

FRIENDS OF SAN PEDRO LIBRARY

FALL 2014 NEWSFLYER

RESERVE YOUR SEAT!

Point Fermin Lighthouse will be the topic of guest speaker Henrietta Mosley, author of *Point Fermin Lighthouse Families 1874 – 1927*, at the



Friends of San Pedro Library Annual Dinner, **Friday, October 24, at Ports O' Call Restaurant.** Joining Ms. Mosley in the presentation will be Friends member Martha McKinzie, whose ancestors were the last keepers of the light. **Members will be sent reservation forms.**

ARE YOU READY TO VOTE?

If you need more information before voting with confidence in the November 4 election, help is on the way. The League of Women Voters will present a non-partisan discussion of the propositions on the November 4 ballot. If you have questions about a bond for California's water system, an increase in our state's rainy day fund, a rise in medical negligence lawsuit payouts, reducing some non-violent crimes from a felony to misdemeanor, the granting of gaming rights to Native Americans of the Mono and Wiyot tribes, then come to the **Community Room of San Pedro Library Saturday, October 11, 1:30 p.m.** An interesting discussion will be the removal by the California Supreme Court of Proposition 49, which would have led to the overturning of the Citizens United v. Federal Election Commission decision by the United States Supreme Court.



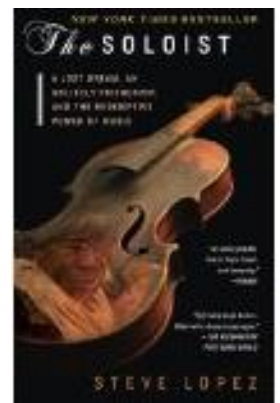
CULINARY LECTURES

Richard Foss, restaurant critic, gourmet, and editor of *The Edible Series*, is bringing fellow chefs and food historians to San Pedro Library in a monthly series of Sunday presentations. Programs begin **September 21** with Linda Civitello, author of *Cuisine and Culture*, speaking on the history of chocolate. Other programs include **October 19**—historian Charles Perry speaking on the history of the Tiki cuisine craze; **November 16**—author and *Orange County Weekly* editor Gustavo Arellano presenting “Taco USA” about Mexican food in America; and, to end the year, **December 21**—Richard Foss speaking on food in the Victorian era as seen in the works of Charles Dickens. All programs will be presented in the Community Room at 2:00 p.m.



STEVE LOPEZ IS COMING!

Steve Lopez, award-winning *Los Angeles Times* columnist, novelist, author of *New York Times* best seller, *The Soloist*, will be the guest of Friends of San Pedro Library **Sunday, January 18, 2015, 2:00 p.m. at the Grand Annex.** Members will be sent reservation forms in December.



Welcome New Life Members

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