



ONLINE WITH DIANE EVANS

**Tuesdays @ Seven**

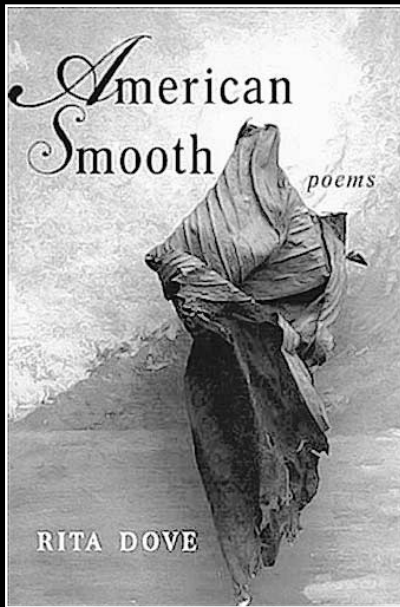
### Diane Evans to chat with Rita Dove

On Tuesday, Nov. 1, you can join a live -- and lively! -- online book chat on Ohio.com with Akron Beacon Journal columnist Diane Evans and special guest, Rita Dove.

Joining the chat is easy! About 6:45 p.m. that Tuesday, go to [www.ohio.com](http://www.ohio.com), click on Diane Evans' photo and follow the prompts to register. You can register in your own name or under a fictitious name. It's up to you.

Read Diane Evans on Tuesdays and Thursdays in the Akron Beacon Journal. Her Livingwell columns cover a wide spectrum of topics concerning life issues and universal values.

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**Akron's own Rita Dove joins Tuesdays @ 7 on Nov. 1 to discuss her latest book of poems, *American Smooth*. The former Poet Laureate of the United States will discuss the role played by a house fire and ballroom dancing in inspiring this collection.**

**Now Poet Laureate of the Commonwealth of Virginia, Rita Dove has won national and international acclaim for her poetry, including the 1987 Pulitzer Prize for *Thomas and Beulah*, a collection of poems loosely based on her grandparents' life.**