

The UNR Arboretum "Tree Talk" series presents

# Basque Aspen Art of the Sierra Nevada

a lecture by

## Jean Earl

Tuesday, October 25, 2016

7:00 PM

Mackay Science 321

UNR Campus

*This slide show will cover how a family project turned into a conservation effort to document and save the images carved by Basque shepherders on the aspen trees in four "galleries" --Genoa Peak, Pole Creek, Glenshire, and Treasure Mountain. The discussion will cover the relationship between the herder, the trees, and the collectors.*



*Jean Moore Earl is a retired nurse with an interest in folk art fostered by family tradition and the folk arts, crafts, and culture of the Appalachian Mountains emphasized by her four years at Berea College, Berea, Kentucky. Jean and Phillip Earl are co-authors of *Basque Aspen Art of the Sierra Nevada* (2011).*

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