Lucille Clifton (DePew, New York, 1936-Baltimore, Maryland, 2010)

Lucille Clifton was a poet, writer and educator who was the Laureate Poet of Maryland from 1979 to 1985.

In her poetry and in her memoir Clifton explored topics such as the woman's body and her African ancestors.

"Confession" was included in her collection *Two-Headed Woman* (1980).