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Award-Winning Author to Read and Sign New Book, "They Call Me Destiny," at Three Events This Weekend

A Portion of Book Sales Proceeds to Benefit Martin, A Special-Needs Kitten Rescued by Silicon Valley Pet Project

WHAT: Fern Field Brooks will read from and sign her new book, "They Call Me Destiny." The book recounts the journey of a rescue kitten from the hopeless gutter to luxury high-rise — told from the cat's perspective. A portion of the proceeds from books sold <u>online</u> (now through the month of October) and during the events will benefit <u>Martin</u>, a special needs kitten rescued from the San Jose municipal shelter by Silicon Valley Pet Project.

WHERE AND WHEN: The public is invited to attend these three events:

- Meet the author and book signing at Hicklebee's Books
 Sept. 26, 12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. 1378 Lincoln Ave., San Jose.
- Creative and participative evening at The Dancing Cat Café *
 Sept. 26, 5:00 p.m. to 6:30. 702 E. Julian St., San Jose.
 Tickets are \$15 per person. Seating is limited and tickets can be purchased in advance.
- Reading and book signing at the Rose Garden Public Library Sept. 27, 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. 1580 Naglee Ave., San Jose.

For more information about the events, email events@svpetproject.org, call 408.641.8745 or visit the events page on the SVPP website.

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Founded in 2014 and launched in 2015, Silicon Valley Pet Project is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization of volunteers committed to saving local at-risk shelter pets through rescue, community involvement and education. To volunteer, foster, or donate go to www.svpetproject.org. Find and like us on Facebook. Join us for Strut Your Mutt! Register or Donate to raise life-saving funds.

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