Poet Jim Carroll dies at 60

Poet Jim Carroll, author of "The Basketball Diaries," died Friday at the age of 60 from a heart attack.

Carroll's career as a poet, autobiographer, and punk musician brought his eclectic mix of art to the New York art scene. Quite often, his true life experiences with drugs found its way into his writing. Reports say Carroll died while writing at his desk.

Works by Jim Carroll:

Poetry

* Organic Trains (1967)
* 4 Ups and 1 Down (1970)
* Living at the Movies (1973)
* The Book of Nods (1986)
* Fear of Dreaming (1993)

Prose

* The Basketball Diaries (1978)
* Forced Entries (1987)

Music

* Catholic Boy (1980)
* Dry Dreams (1982)
* I Write Your Name (1983)
* Pools of Mercury (1998)