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Meet the Artists Reception

When Janey Comes Marching Home: Portraits of Women Combat Veterans

A "Meet the Artists" reception for the Women In Military Service For America Memorial's newest exhibition, *When Janey Comes Marching Home: Portraits of Women Combat Veterans*, is scheduled for Wednesday, June 9, 2010, 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., at the Women's Memorial, gateway, Arlington National Cemetery.

Free and open to the public, guests are invited to join author Laura Browder and photographer Sascha Pflaeging as they discuss their collaboration to create this very compelling exhibition about today's women warriors. Refreshments will be served.

When Janey Comes Marching Home is a collection of 44 large-scale photographic portraits and accompanying oral history excerpts of servicewomen, all veterans of the wars in Afghanistan and Iraq. The exhibit is an intimate, personal introduction to some of today's women who have donned military uniforms and gone to war.

To reserve a seat for the event, please call 703-533-1155 or e-mail hq@womensmemorial.org. More information about the exhibition can be found at www.womensmemorial.org/News/JaneyExhibit.html.

The Women's Memorial, the only major national memorial to tell the story of women's service, is located at the gateway to Arlington National Cemetery and is readily accessible by Metro (Blue Line). Paid parking is available.

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