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December at the Carter Presidential Library

Authors, Photography and Holiday Music

Atlanta, Ga.- The Jimmy Carter Presidential Library will host a series of noted authors for free lectures and book-signings.

Bosnia in Photographs and Poetry

Lecture & Book Signing

Tuesday, Dec. 6th

7:30 p.m.

Photographer Sara Terry has documented the grim story of life in Bosnia in the aftermath of war. Her images show how life goes on, no matter what is happening. Terry will show slides from Bosnia and discuss life in that war-torn region.

Poet Lee Peterson will join Terry. Her book, *Rooms and Fields: Dramatic Monologues from the War in Bosnia*, is a compassionate look at the human struggle there. The free lectures begin at 7:30 and will be followed by book signings.

Rosalynn Carter: First Lady From Plains

Lecture by Stanley Godbold

Sunday, Dec. 11th

2 p.m.

Author and Carter scholar Stanley Godbold will discuss the role of former first lady Rosalynn Carter. Godbold, who is Professor Emeritus at Mississippi State University, is currently researching and writing a biography on President Jimmy Carter. This free lecture will give keen insight into the political role Mrs. Carter played and her close partnership with President Carter in every aspect of his career.

Holiday Carols

E.W. Oliver Elementary School

Monday, Dec. 12th

Noon

Celebrate the holidays with the E.W. Oliver Elementary School choir. The choir will perform a half-hour of holiday songs around a re-creation of the 1980 White House Christmas Tree in the lobby of the Jimmy Carter Presidential Museum.

More Than Petticoats

Lecture & Book Signing by Sara Martin

Thursday, Dec. 15

7:30 p.m.

In this engrossing book, Sara Martin profiles thirteen Georgia women. The women were all born before 1900 and all made outstanding achievements in a wide variety of areas. The women range from Mary Musgrove, the half-Indian who interpreted for General Oglethorpe when he founded the colony of Georgia.....to *Gone with the Wind* author Martha Mitchell.

All of these events are free and open to the public.