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Exciting Authors in April

Olympic Swimmer Dara Torres Headlines Big Book Signing Month

Atlanta, GA.- Meet a host of fabulous authors at the Carter Presidential Library this month, from a New York Times reporter to an Olympic medal winner. Here's the line-up:

April 15 at 7pm... Richard Pane discusses his photographic look at "The Lost Vanguard: Russian Modernist Architecture 1922-1932." The Lost Vanguard documents the work of modernist architects in the Soviet Union during the years following the 1917 revolution and civil war. In little more than a decade, some of the most radical buildings of the twentieth century were completed by a small group of architects who developed a new architectural language in support of new social goals of communal life. Rarely published and virtually inaccessible until the collapse of the Soviet regime, these important buildings have remained unknown and unappreciated. **Carter Library Theater. Free**

April 22 at 7pm... New York Times reporter Warren St. John talks about the effects of refugees on a Georgia town in his book "*Outcasts United: A Refugee Team, An American Town*" Set against the backdrop of an American town that without its consent had become a vast social experiment, *Outcasts United* follows a pivotal season in the life of the Fugees soccer team and their charismatic coach. \$10 per person. Free to "Friends of the Carter Library" & with purchase of the book from ACappella Books. **Carter Center Day Chapel.**

April 23 at 7pm... Atlanta author Marc Fitten discusses his debut novel "*Valeria's Last Stand.*" Publishers Weekly says "Life in an isolated Hungarian village is turned upside down by an unusual love affair in Fitten's promising debut." **Carter Library Theater. Free**

April 29 at 7pm... Olympic swimming medalist Dara Torres discusses her inspiring life and career as told in her book "*Age is Just a Number: Achieve Your Dreams at Any Stage in Your Life.*" Dara Torres captured

the hearts and minds of Americans of all ages when she launched her Olympic comeback as a new mother at the age of forty-one. Dara talks frankly about diving back in for this comeback; about being an older athlete in a younger athletes' game; about competition, doubt, and belief; about working through pain and uncertainty; and finally—about seizing the moment and, most important, never giving up.

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