



A TRIBUTE TO THOSE NEW JERSEY RESIDENTS KILLED ON 9/11/01

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I hope this letter finds you well. We are the board members of the NJ 9/11 Memorial Foundation, Inc., a 501 C 3 non-profit organization primarily made up of NJ 9/11 family members. We volunteer our fundraising efforts to provide assistance to the State for the perpetual endowment needed for the repairs and maintenance of New Jersey's State 9/11 Memorial, Empty Sky and its surrounding landscaped grounds located in Liberty State Park, Jersey City.

The Empty Sky Memorial pays tribute and gives honor to the 749 New Jersey Residents who lost their lives on September 11th 2001. Thanks to funding from NJ State and NY/NJ Port Authority it was built and dedicated in September, 2011. While we are grateful it was built and dedicated for the 10th anniversary of the September 11th attacks, it remains to this day unfinished without outer steel panel walls as it was designed to be. We would like to see it finally completed and in addition, it is our wish to give honor to the NJ 9/11 Responders who heroically gave of themselves and inscribe their names to the "new" outer steel panel walls.

Please help support our efforts and join us on **Saturday, September 7th 2019**, for the **Empty Sky Memorial 5K Run/Walk**. Race starts at 10:00 AM. It is a USATF sanctioned race with age group awards. The Race course starts at the Empty Sky Memorial and runs along the Hudson River with magnificent views of the Manhattan skyline. Prior to the Empty Sky 5K we will have a 9/11 Memorial Remembrance Ceremony that will begin approximately at 9:30 AM.

Your generous support for the Empty Sky Memorial, will help us achieve the proper maintenance and repairs that it needs while giving respect and honor to the memory of the 749 NJ residents whose names are engraved on its inner steel panel walls and to the NJ 9/11 Responders by listing their names on the "new" outer steel panel walls. We hope to see this completed by 2021, in time for the 20th anniversary of the September 11th attacks.

The tragic events of September 11th 2001 forever changed the world as we knew it. The core of our American spirit was attacked, but through our grief as a nation, we emerged stronger than ever before with great sense of community, neighbor helping neighbor.

For more information about Sponsorship Opportunities, please call Cynthia Tumulty-Ollemar, our Events Coordinator at 908-209-3108 or email info@nj911memorial.org.

Thank you,
Faith
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Chairwoman

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