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### A LETTER FROM THE CMSA PRESIDENT - David Bolton

Usually summer is a time of very little news, apart from heat waves and fires. Washington D.C. and Sacramento slow down; school is out; vacations are frequent; and the fall elections are far off.

But during this summer of 2012, a big news item within our Mission circles has hit El Camino Real. Highly-respected California Missions Foundation Executive Director Knox Mellon has announced that he is stepping down by year's end.

Wow! Definitely, very big shoes to fill at CMF.

Knox is a legend: a great human being, a dedicated historian and just one of those unique, super individuals we all wish we could come across more often.

And what a career he has had. From his start as a young restaurant busboy, Knox went on to teach from 1960 to 1981 at Immaculate Heart College in Hollywood, California.

He then made a name for himself statewide as a defender and staunch supporter of history and, more importantly, of our Alta California Missions.

Most notably, he served under three governors as California's State Historic Preservation Officer following a 1981 appointment by Governor Jerry Brown. Between stints as SHIPO, Knox played a key role in successful restoration efforts of the Los Angeles Public Library and Riverside's storied Mission Inn.

He has always been a great and admired teacher. And later in his career, he returned to the classroom to teach historic preservation classes at UC Riverside.

The year 2004 marked his calling to the California Missions Foundation, as he took over control of the organization's day-to-day activities as its executive director.

In 2010, Knox's many contributions toward the historic preservation of the Missions earned him the coveted Norman Neuerburg Award at CMSA's Annual Conference at Mission San Luis Rey.

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He's accomplished so much. And incredibly, at age 87, he successfully leads CMF on a daily basis with as sharp a mind as someone half his age.

At CMF, he's made a huge mark institutionalizing support for our Alta California Missions -- support which helps make the fall CMF grants possible. These grants, which are distributed amongst our Missions, help cover restoration, much needed infrastructure upgrades, and education. The list goes on.

Knox you're a legend and a true talent. You've been a huge friend and supporter of CMSA. Personally, I am thankful for the words of encouragement and support that you have shown me and the organization. Thank you.

I am sure I join so many others who are grateful that we have had the opportunity to know you and have had the pleasure to work with you. You'll be fondly missed by everyone. Thank you for all that you have done.

Your retirement is well deserved. Enjoy!

Most kindest regards,

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## SAVE THE DATE: CMSA CONFERENCE 2013 - FEBRUARY 15, 16, 17, 2013 AT SANTA BARBARA

### SAVE THE DATE: FEBRUARY 15, 16, 17, 2013

CMSA WILL BE HOLDING ITS 30TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE AT THE PRESIDIO IN SANTA BARBARA AND AT MISSION SANTA BARBARA. IT SHOULD BE QUITE AN EVENT, AS WE NOT ONLY CELEBRATE AN EXCITING CMSA ANNIVERSARY, BUT ALSO THE 300TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE BIRTH YEAR OF FRAY JUNIPERO SERRA. IT WILL BE A MEMORABLE CMSA CONFERENCE, AND ONE THAT BUILDS ON THE SUCCESSES FELT THIS YEAR AT OUR ANNUAL GATHERING, WHICH TOOK PLACE AT MISSION SAN RAFAEL ARCANGEL. IN THIS EDITION OF THE *CORREO*, YOU WILL FIND THE COMPLETE CONFERENCE SCHEDULE, AS WELL AS A NOTE ON LODGING IN SANTA BARBARA. MORE INFORMATION WILL BE FEATURED IN EACH *CORREO* LEADING UP TO THIS IMPORTANT CMSA CONFERENCE. STAY TUNED.

## CMSA CONFERENCE 2013 - OVERVIEW

The CMSA Board and local Organizing Committee have announced details for the 2013 CMSA Annual Conference set for next February 15-17 in Santa Barbara.

The three-day gathering will be a kickoff event celebrating, among other things, the 300th anniversary of Fray Junipero Serra's birth year.

"We are looking forward to discussing this legendary figure in Alta California mission history," said CMSA President David Bolton. "2013 will feature many events from Spain to Mexico to California all centering on the life of Fray Junipero. This CMSA Conference will help tell the story."

The 2013 CMSA Conference begins Friday morning at El Presidio de Santa Barbara with tours of the grounds and a Rancho/Mission era cooking workshop. Friday afternoon will be highlighted by paper presentations, the Keynote Address in the Presidio Chapel, and the CMSA hosted reception afterwards at historic nearby Casa De La Guerra.

Friday night the CMSA stage moves to the Old Mission for John Warren's Farewell Concert featuring Mission era Baroque music and Los Soldados.

The Saturday day-long sessions will also be held at the Old Mission Santa Barbara, with lunch prepared in the Mission's La Huerta.

CMSA's 2013 Awards Banquet will be held Saturday evening at the picturesque Mission-revival Montecito Country Club.

The Conference wraps up Sunday morning back at El Presidio with a special mass featuring the original Serra chalice, followed by a re-enactment of Fray Junipero raising his last founding cross at what he called the "Presidio y Mision de Santa Barbara."

A complete schedule of CMSA Conference activities for 2013 follows. Next month in *Correo*, details on lodging and the Call for Papers will be included. Stay tuned. It should be a memorable and historic CMSA Conference. You definitely won't want to miss this one.

## CMSA CONFERENCE 2013 - SCHEDULE

### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2013 - El Presidio de Santa Bárbara (day) and the Santa Bárbara Old Mission (evening)

10 am: 2 choices

1. Walking tour of the grounds and surrounding complex of El Presidio de Santa Bárbara conducted by Dr. Jarrell Jackman, and simultaneously

2. A Rancho/Mission era cooking demonstration and workshop.

11:30 am-12:30 pm: Optional lunch - \$15/person - El Presidio de Santa Bárbara

12:30-4 pm: Opening paper sessions of the 2013 CMSA Annual Conference,

4:00-4:20 pm: El Presidio Chapel CMSA Annual General Membership Meeting and 2013 Elections

4:20-5:10 pm: 2013 CMSA Annual Conference Keynote Address - El Presidio Chapel

5:15-6:45 pm: Casa de la Guerra: Hosted CMSA Conference Reception

7:15 pm: Mission Santa Bárbara Parish Church: John Warren farewell concert featuring Mission era Baroque music y los Soldados

## **SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2013 - Old Mission Santa Bárbara (day) and Montecito Country Club (evening)**

8:00-9:00 am: Continental Breakfast at Old Mission Santa Bárbara

9:00 am-12 noon: 2013 CMSA Annual Conference Morning Sessions - Old Mission

12-1 pm: Lunch cooked in the Mission Huerta - \$15/person

1:00-4:00 pm: 2013 CMSA Annual Conference Afternoon Sessions - Old Mission

4:00-5:00 pm: Tours of the Old Mission

5:30-7:00 pm: 2013 CMSA Annual Awards Banquet No-Host Reception - Montecito Country Club

7:00-9:30 pm: 2013 CMSA Annual Awards Banquet - Montecito Country Club

## **SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2013 - El Presidio de Santa Bárbara**

10 am: Mass in the Presidio Chapel featuring Father Serra's chalice

11 am: Re-enactment of Fray Junipero Serra raising the founding cross at the "Presidio y Misión" de Santa Bárbara

11:30 am: Repeat of Friday's Walking tour of the grounds and surrounding complex of El Presidio de Santa Bárbara conducted by Jerry Jackman

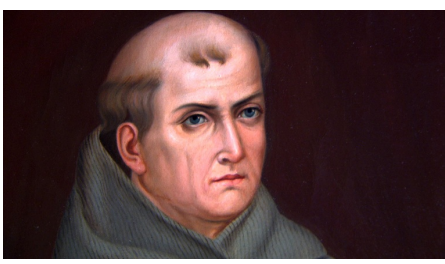
### **IMPORTANT CONFERENCE LODGING NOTES:**

CMSA has reserved all of the SB Mission Retreat rooms for our Conference attendees. These include both single/double rooms with their own bath, and discounted single/double rooms with shared bath. The Mission requests that all reservations for Retreat rooms be handled by CMSA. So our on-line store on the CMSA web page will be the only place to reserve Retreat rooms for that weekend. Further details, including pricing, will be posted in our August 10 edition of *Correo*. Rooms can be booked on a first-come basis, beginning August 15 at 12 noon PDT on the CMSA web site, [www.ca-missions.org](http://www.ca-missions.org)

The Mission has reduced the room rates slightly, as meals will not be provided as part of the Retreat lodging plan, but rather through CMSA, as part of our Conference. Full details will be in *Correo* each month, starting in July, as well as on our CMSA web page, [www.ca-missions.org](http://www.ca-missions.org)

**JUNIPERO SERRA 300 - CMSA HELPS CELEBRATE A MEMORABLE BIRTHDAY**

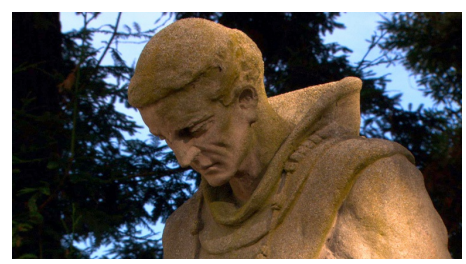
Photos Courtesy of Cultural Global Media



Portrait of Fr. Junipero Serra



Fr. Serra and Raising of Cross



Statue of Fr. Serra

In 2013, Mission followers around the world will join in the celebration of the 300th Anniversary of legendary Fray Junipero Serra's birthday and birth year.

CMSA kicks off the year-long festivities with its annual Conference, February 15-17, 2013 in Santa Barbara - the last place Serra raised the founding cross as he established what he noted was 'the founding of the Presidio and Mission' at Santa Barbara.

Additionally, events commemorating this special 300th anniversary will be held throughout the year from Mallorca, Spain -- Serra's birthplace -- to Querétaro, Mexico and Alta California -- places of Serra's famed missionary work.

Here in *Correo*, we plan to keep you up-to-date with the latest calendar of events celebrating the 300th birthday and birth year of who many call the Father of Alta California's missions.

Please let us know of Serra related events in your area so that we can keep everyone informed. Email us anytime at [JuniperSerra300@ca-missions.org](mailto:JuniperSerra300@ca-missions.org)

As Serra so often said, ***Adelante Siempre, Nunca Atras*** ... Always Forward, Never Back

It will be a memorable year in 2013. Please join in the festivities.

## **JUNIPERO SERRA 300 CALENDAR**

February 15-17, 2013  
Santa Bárbara Mission and Royal Presidio de Santa Bárbara  
CMSA Annual Conference 2013  
'Looking Back on the Life of Fray Junipero Serra'

August, 2013  
Opening of large Junípero Serra Exhibit  
Huntington Library  
San Marino, California

November 24, 2013  
Junipero Serra's 300th Birthday  
A Special Day Honoring a Missions Legend

## **FATHER JUNIPERO SERRA FACTS**

Here in *Correo*, we plan to bring you interesting tidbits of this famed missionary's life each month leading up to his 300th Birthday on November 24, 1713.

1729: "At the age of 16, he [Miguel Jose Ferrer Serra] entered the service of the Catholic Church. He soon entered the Order of St. Francis of Assisi, and took a new first name, Junípero, that of St. Francis' beloved original companion friar."

1749: Fray Serra applied for and later won a spot to be a Franciscan missionary in New Spain.

For more, see <http://www.catholic-church.org/serra-beth/serra-4.htm>

Next Month in *Correo*: Fray Junípero Serra arrives in the New World.

This month the *Correo* presents the eleventh poem in our new series of mission-related poetry published in *The California Mission Poems* (1991) by Philomene Long.

This selection is entitled "Junipero Serra." This series will end as it opened with a tribute to the founder whose 300th birthday we celebrate in 2013.

If you would like to learn more about Philomene Long and her body of poetry, please visit <http://philomenelong.com>

"JUNIPERO SERRA" - BY PHILOMENE LONG

JUNIPERO SERRA

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## REVIVING THE BOLETIN - REQUEST FOR ARTICLES REMINDER

CMSA is resuming the publication *Boletín* this fall. While we already have some promising materials in hand, members of CMSA, as well as non-members, are invited to submit articles, reviews, reactions to sessions, and other materials for consideration. Submissions, inquiries, and suggestions can be mailed electronically to: [boletin@ca-missions.org](mailto:boletin@ca-missions.org). We look forward to hearing from you. **The current deadline is July 31, 2012, for submissions.**

### CMSA Board and Publications Committee

## 2012 VERSION OF CMSA STYLE GUIDE FOR BOLETIN POSTED ON CMSA WEBSITE

If you are submitting an article for publication in the *Boletín*, please check the updated 2012 version of the CMSA Style Guide for Print Publications at:

<http://www.ca-missions.org/publications.html>

Scroll down to [click here](#) to access the updated Style Guide in pdf format.

There are some changes regarding the mailing address and guidelines for submitting illustrations.

## ALONG THE MISSION TRAIL - STOLEN BELLS AND MORE ON HISTORIC BELLS

By David Bolton

Last month's CMSA article on the recently stolen El Camino Real bells along Highway 101 near Mission San Buenaventura generated a great deal of interest.

Among those who wrote in to *Correo* was Max Kurillo, historian for El Camino Real: "From 1906 to present day there have been 15 different styles of bells, the ones that are now being installed are cast from Mrs. Forbes original bell, only painted a different color. Yes, people do take them, since the bells are not individually marked it is impossible to track."

The El Camino Real Bells have quite a history. Another related story follows by CMSA Board Member Theresa Brunner.

Separately, but still talking bells, Tina Foss of Mission Santa Barbara reports that one of the original bells has been taken down from the Old Mission's tower for fear of its cracking further and falling below.

These original Mission bells were cast in Peru, but not enough metal was used. This condition causes the bells to crack during periods of extreme cold or heat. The devastating and powerful mountain and foothill fires that wreaked havoc in Santa Barbara four years ago also seem to have caused that Mission bell to crack.

The bells can be repaired in Europe, and more can be metal added. But funds are needed to help get this original bell repaired and put back up into the Old Mission Santa Barbara tower. If you would like to assist the effort, please contact Tina at Mission Santa Barbara.

## ALONG THE MISSION TRAIL - MISSING MISSION SAN RAFAEL ARCANGEL BELL BEING SOUGHT AND OTHER MISSING BELLS FROM THE EL CAMINO REAL



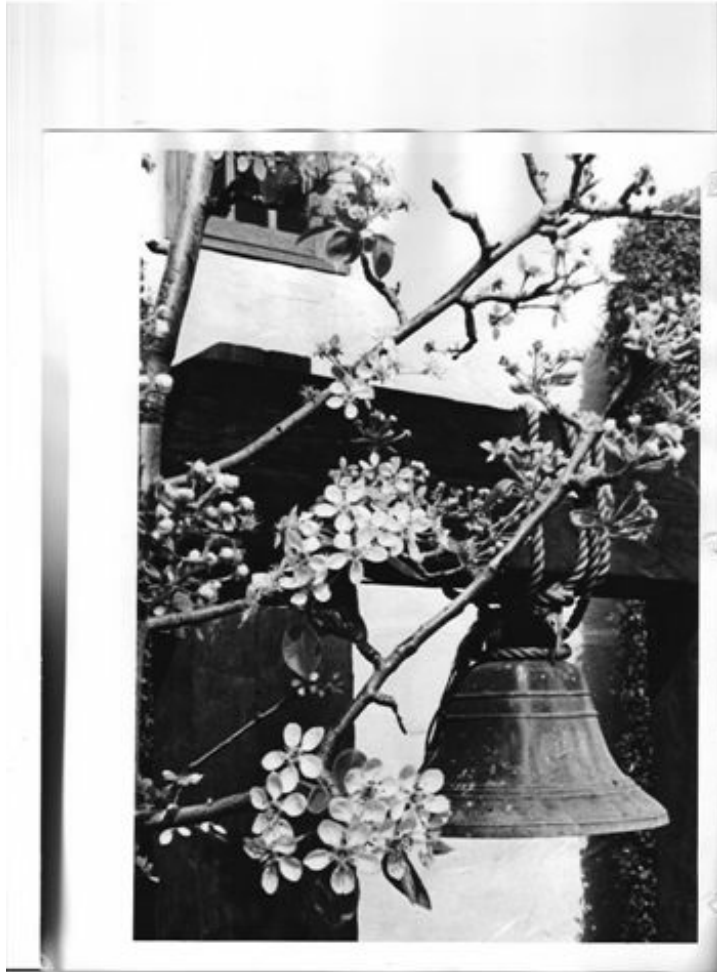


Photo Courtesy of Mission San Rafael

Photo of 1829 Mission Bell Missing from Mission San Rafael

By Theresa Brunner  
Curator, Mission San Rafael

August 28, 1845, at Mission San Rafael Arcangel, an inventory list reads "cuarto campanas" (four bells) as part of the property of the former Mission founded in 1817. Throughout the years our Mission bells have wandered to various sites to serve other purposes around California. By 1972, Lucretia Hanson Little and Fr. Thomas Kennedy had found and returned home all four Mission bells.

In the early 1990's, our 1829 mission bell described as "compaña de 7 arobas", a bell of 175 pounds, that Fr. Amoros had suspended on a redwood cross beam by leather thongs through its crown, was stolen off the wooden rack on Fifth Avenue and is still at large. It was first recorded in an inventory of 1829 measuring 14" high and 22" at its base. It is bronze with a green patina and is decorated with six bands around it.

Forty six years ago, on November 19, 1966, three 20 year old students, Steven Wechsler, Walter H. Jensen and John D. Mills, from the University of the Pacific in Stockton stole two of our Mission bells as part of an initiation rite of the University's Phi Kappa Tau fraternity. The fraternity house had a "bell room" where stolen bells resided. Later the men were apprehended and freed on their own recognizances and the bells were returned.

In the summer of 2007, I wrote a letter to Dr. Pamela Eibeck, the President of the University of the Pacific, and contacted UOP's officer Mike Belcher and Seth Witten of the FBI to no avail. I also found a former fraternity member, Kurt Blakely, who was in the fraternity when it was disbanded and he remembers when the artifacts wound up in a storage unit including a 1929 San Anselmo fire truck. Over time, the former fraternity brothers defaulted on the storage unit payments and the owners of the storage unit most likely sold or gave away the contents.

In June of 2007, I wrote an article that ran in our local newspaper, the Independent Journal in Marin County, which generated some interest. One phone call I received was from Jack Beggs who said that he had a cement bell which hung between his property and his neighbors and was there when he bought the house. That generated my enthusiasm and I visited the bell on June 26, 2007. I determined that it was an El Camino Real bell and contacted John Kolstad of the California Bell Company to connect with Jack and they did. This bell has the date of 1823 on the outside of the painted green patina. It is made of cement. Research shows that it was made in the 1960's by the California Bell Company and



very few were made, and it is of historical significance. The California Bell Company is the originator of the 1906 "El Camino Real Bell" established in 1914 by Mrs. A.S.C. Forbes. The company also has the El Camino Real Bell Restoration Project which was founded to encourage the reinstallation of the bells on the sites of significant historical importance.

If you have seen any of these bells that belong to any of our Missions or the El Camino Real, please contact me and we will ensure that our wandering bells will come home.

Theresa Brunner, Mission San Rafael Arcangel, 415.454.8141 ext 12

## ALONG THE MISSION TRAIL - NEW BELLS GIVE SANTA BARBARA COURTHOUSE A RING OF AUTHENTICITY

### **New bells give Santa Barbara courthouse a ring of authenticity**

By Steve Chawkins, Los Angeles Times  
June 17, 2012

<http://www.latimes.com/news/local/la-me-clocktower-20120617,0,3928662.story>

## BUEN PROVECHO! - CMSA'S FOOD CORNER - ENCHILADAS DE FRIJOLES

By David Bolton

Enchiladas have been a part of the menu along Los Caminos Reales probably as early as the Spanish settlers began to build on and modify the ancient cuisines of New Spain.

In etymology, Enchilada is the past participle of the Spanish word 'enchilar', "to add chile pepper to", literally to "season [or decorate] with chile".

Basically, an enchilada is a corn tortilla rolled around a filling and covered with or dredged in a chili pepper tomato sauce.

Enchiladas can be filled with a variety of ingredients, including meat, chicken, cheese, beans, potatoes, vegetables, seafood or combinations.

Today the enchilada, which has its origin in the days of the Mayan Civilization, has many forms, from the cheesy baked version found in Tex Mex cooking to the traditional style still served throughout Mexico.

Our food journey this month explains the technique of making the traditional enchilada. It's simple and enjoyable. Buen Provecho!

### **ENCHILADAS de FRIJOLES**

Cook's Note: This recipe is for Enchiladas filled with refried beans and a dry Mexican cheese. The filling can be substituted, as mentioned above, with: shredded cooked chicken, meat, seafood, veggies, just cheese or any combination.

Ingredients: Serves 3-4

12 Corn Tortillas (I have really come to like the Trader Joe's brand corn tortillas. They're fresh, without a lot of preservatives, and at 99 cents a packet, a great bargain.)

Cooking oil (vegetable the best)

A homemade chile tomato sauce or for quick prep canned Pato Sauce found in every supermarket's international or mexican foods section

Refried beans

1 diced onions, and

Cheese: preferably Cotija cheese, as its called here; in Mexico just simply "*queso seco*" or dry cheese. Note: The other common Mexican cheese is *queso amarillo* "yellow cheese" or, as they often say, "*queso para quesadillas*." A drier cheese is preferred for these enchiladas.

In one skillet, fill with about a half inch of the oil, and turn burner to medium

In another skillet place the tomato/chile sauce, or 2 small cans of the canned Pato Sauce

Take a corn tortilla and with tongs submerge in the hot oil 5 seconds. Remove and then submerge in the tomato/chile sauce until well coated and remove to a flat surface.

Place 2 tablespoons of your filling across the tortilla, just to one side of the middle of the tortilla at about the 1/3 mark.

Sprinkle some of the dry cheese on the beans

From one end, begin to roll the tortilla over the filling, ending up with a kind of tube

Place on a plate. Repeat this process with 2 or 3 other corn tortills, and place on the same plate. This is a serving.

Top the 3-4 enchiladas with a scoop of the tomato sauce, some of the diced onions and more of the crumbled dry cheese.

A more modern version adds diced lettuce on top. Your choice.

As always be creative, try new things and give it a try. You'll enjoy them, and your guests will too.

Buen Provecho!

## DOCENT SPOTLIGHT - MISSION SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO - LEO POLITI'S SONG OF THE SWALLOWS

Karen DeBellis, docent at Mission San Juan Capistrano, writes that she is a fan of Leo Politi, artist and author of *Song of the Swallows*, a book that brought her mission to life for her and for many others.

"I mentioned the author-artist, Leo Politi, yesterday, and wanted you to check out his book, *Song of the Swallows*, on Amazon, when you have the time. They have it in paperback at the Mission, published now by Getty Press. His art work is in a mural in Old Town, Los Angeles, and he has written and illustrated many children's books. Beth and I were fans, and went to many of the Centennial events several years ago. We have copies of a lot of his books, and loved the way he brought OUR mission to life.

"There are lots of web-sites to visit about Leo Politi, probably the most important being the official centennial one. However, when you begin looking, you might miss this attached article, written by our own Dr. Bob. He is the editor of the Docent Newsletter, and was quite taken with Leo Politi, when he met his son. I was surprised myself when I thought the Centennial was several years ago—looks like it must have been 2008-09. Time flies..."

Dr. Robert Manniello wrote this tribute to Leo Politi on the occasion of the author's 100th birthday in 2008.

**Robert Manniello: Leo Politi's centennial message - celebrate life**  
Spirit of Capistrano

<http://www.ocregister.com/news/paul-167221-leo-children.html>

Published: Nov. 4, 2008 3:00 a.m.

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If your docent group has developed an innovative program, produced a book, organized a lecture series, developed a training website, custom-tailored a special tour, or undertaken any activity that might serve as an example for other groups of mission docents, kindly relay your accomplishment to us in an email to [docents@ca-missions.org](mailto:docents@ca-missions.org). Please use "Docent Spotlight," followed by the name of your mission on the subject line.

Each of these communications will become the nucleus of a regular, monthly newsletter item under the "Docent Spotlight" heading.

In addition, the 2013 CMSA Conference at Santa Barbara will feature a "What's New at the Missions?" panel with

presentations on several trailblazing initiatives of particular interest to Mission Docents statewide. Stay tuned!

Please let us know how and when you would like people to sign up to become docents.  
Please send all of your Docent Spotlight ideas and information to [docents@ca-missions.org](mailto:docents@ca-missions.org)

## NEW SERIES - NIGHT PHOTOGRAPHY OF ALTA CALIFORNIA MISSIONS

With this issue, CMSA, via the *Correo*, continues a new series dedicated to fascinating night photography of the California Missions by Paul C. Richmond. For the next several months, the *Correo* will feature examples of these unique images.

We begin this month with a few photos from Richmond's archives before debuting in our August *Correo* the first of this year's night photographs that Richmond is currently taking, with logistical assistance from CMSA.

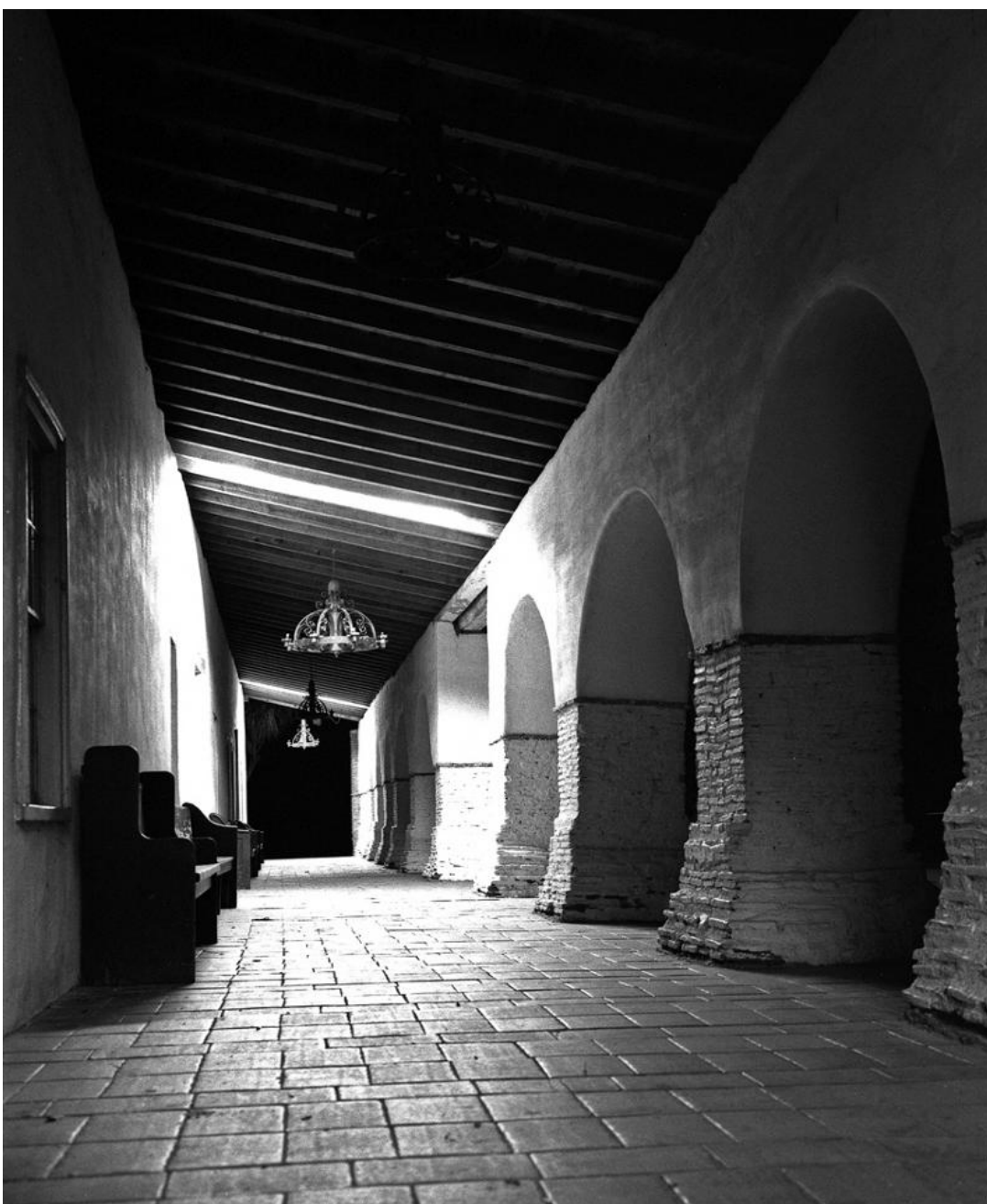
We hope that you will enjoy these nighttime images provided to us, courtesy of Paul C. Richmond.



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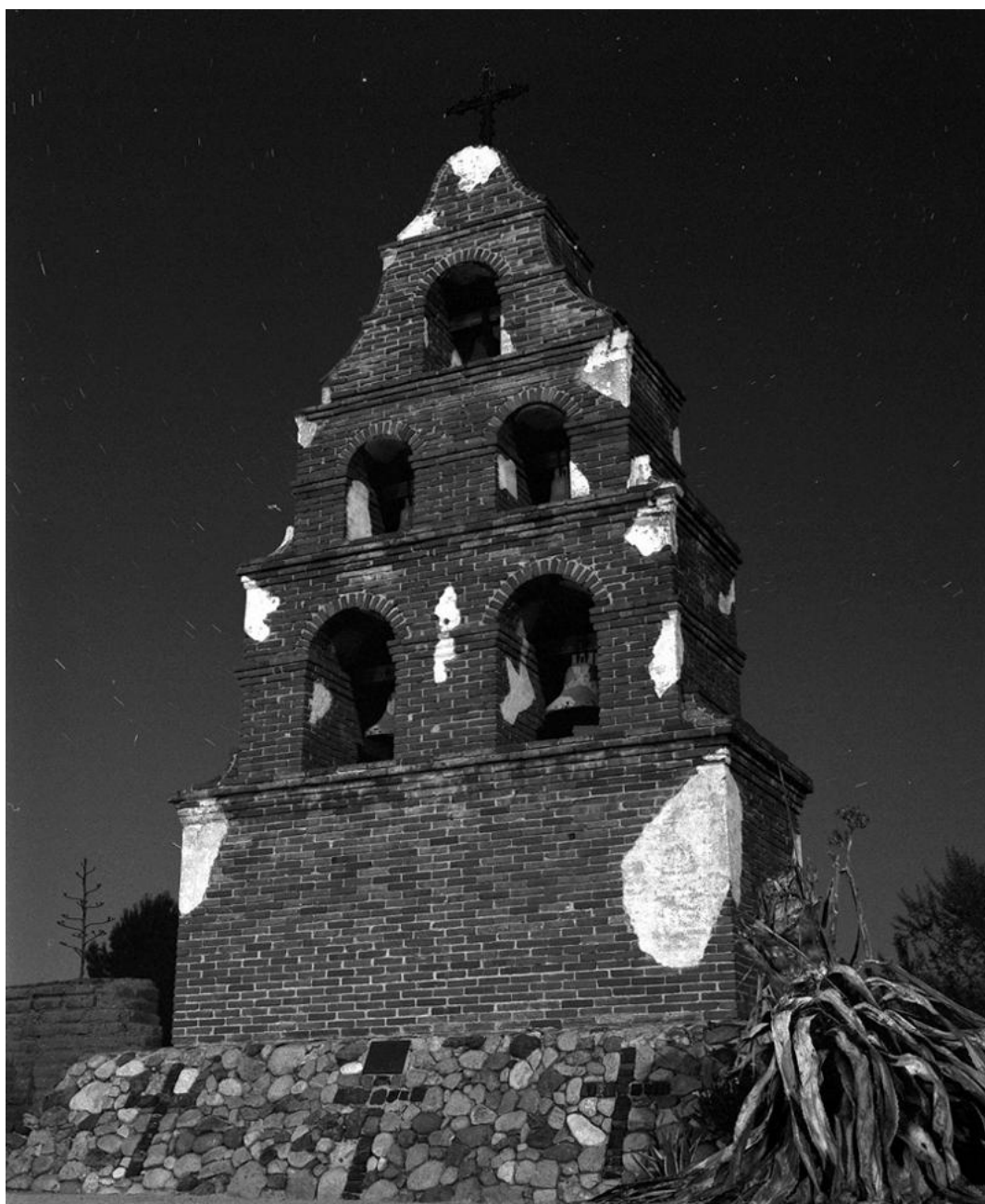
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## MISSION SAN JUAN BAUTISTA

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## MISSION SAN MIGUEL

ALONG THE MISSION TRAIL - THE CALIFORNIA MISSION RIDE - FROM SONOMA TO MEXICAN BORDER -  
AUGUST 18, 2012

### The California Mission Ride

A 600-mile horseback journey through the past and for the future

On August 18, seven riders will mount their horses in Sonoma to head for the Mexican border via 21 Spanish and Native American Missions.

Visit the website below to follow their journey.

<http://www.thecaliforniamissionride.org/>

ALONG THE MISSION TRAIL - MISSION SAN MIGUEL CELEBRATES ITS 215TH BIRTHDAY WITH ANNUAL  
FIESTA AND RIDERS ON THE CALIFORNIA MISSION RIDE - SEPTEMBER 16

Annual Fiesta and BBQ



On Sunday, September 16, 2012, Old Mission San Miguel will celebrate its 215th birthday with its Annual Fiesta and BBQ, directly following mass which starts at 10:00 am.. Live music will entertain all, as well as dancing, games and prizes. Tickets for the BBQ, which will be available in August of 2012, will include salad, garlic bread, beans, salsa and a choice of beef or chicken, and will be \$10.00 for adults and \$8.00 for children under 12. Desserts, snow cones and refreshments, including beer and wine, will also be offered for sale.

We will be joined this year by riders on horseback that will be ending the first half of their mission ride. The group will start at Sonoma, visiting each mission on their way down to Mission San Miguel, arriving in time to help celebrate with us. They will then begin from Mission San Miguel in August of 2013 and continue down to San Diego.

For more information on this terrific endeavor, visit [www.thecaliforniamissionride.org](http://www.thecaliforniamissionride.org). All proceeds from the Fiesta help to maintain this National Historical Monument and all donations are tax-deductible. For more information, please phone (805) 467-3256 or e-mail [parishcenter@missionsanmiguel.org](mailto:parishcenter@missionsanmiguel.org).

<http://missionsanmiguel.org/events>

## ALONG THE MISSION TRAIL - REPORT FROM MISSION SAN MIGUEL ARCÁNGEL - JULY 2012 - BY JOHN WARREN

### REPORT FROM MISSION SAN MIGUEL ARCÁNGEL - JULY 2012:

Hello and welcome from Mission San Miguel Arcángel as we approach the 215th year of our founding (July 25, 1797). Many changes are now taking place here with a complete change of our clergy at the Mission. Our beloved Fr. Ray Tintle, O.F.M., our Pastor, who guided us through the many challenging years of retrofitting and repairs to the Mission complex is going into semi-retirement and will be moving on to assist at a parish in the Los Angeles area, and later to the Franciscan retreat center in Malibu, California to be closer to his family. Fr. Larry Gosselin, O.F.M., our Guardian, will be joining the friars at Mission Santa Barbara and is being assigned as the Asst. Pastor there. Our other two priests, Fr. Tom and Fr. Joe, and Bro. Reagan, our Franciscan Novice Master will be moving on to other parishes and Franciscan communities in Northern and Southern California. We will very much miss these dedicated men, as they became not only great spiritual and administrative advisors to us all through the years but dear and beloved friends to us as well.... Our new pastor assigned to us will be Fr. Ignatius DeGroot that comes to us from a parish in Arizona. Our new guardian will be Fr. Max Hottle, O.F.M. and the other Franciscans joining us will be Frs. Anthony Garibaldi, O.F.M., Philip Garda, O.F.M., James Kyrie, O.F.M. and Br. Hajime Okuhara, O.F.M.

Our museum is doing well and we are in the process of installing new LED lighting in the rooms and displays. We have now obtained permission to use a room next to my office in the front office section of the Mission to store our artifacts. We are building new shelves in the room to house the artifacts and plan to move them soon from the old novice wing to the new location. This is a great blessing as it will allow us to have better security and easy access to the holdings for research and cataloguing.

Our Salinan Tribal Members recently celebrated the Summer Solstice at Morro Rock in Morro Bay with Fr. Larry and have often been conducting their Monthly gatherings in the Wine-Vat Room in the museum which houses the displays honoring the Tribal history at the Mission.

The number of guided tours at the Mission has really increased this past year with many large tour groups, including hundreds of 4th grade students at a time often visiting our museum from local schools and other Northern, Southern and the Central San Joaquin Valley schools as well. We are very blessed to have four very knowledgeable docents to assist me with the tours, often splitting the larger tours into smaller groups to offer a more informative and personal visit to the Mission church, the cemetery and original living quarters in the museum.

We are all very excited to learn that on our fiesta day, Sunday, September 16th this year, the riders of the California Mission Ride, will be arriving at our Mission, on the final leg of their 600 mile horseback journey of the Northern California Missions, which will begin on August 18th at Mission San Francisco Solano.

Many blessings and much success and support to us all as we protect, preserve, study and enjoy the history of our beloved Spanish-California Missions.

¡Siempre adelante! ¡Nunca atras!

John Warren, Museum Curator  
Mission San Miguel Arcángel



Photo Courtesy of Mission San Miguel Arcángel

"A blessed day as Fr. Larry Gosselin, O.F.M., Guardian, and Fr. Ray Tintle, O.F.M., Pastor, watch the return of the sacred artifacts, the paintings and statues to the Mission church with Members of the Salinan Tribe prior to the reopening of the church in Sept. 2009, following the nearly six years of closure due to earthquake retrofitting and repairs."

#### ALONG THE MISSION TRAIL - MISSION SAN JOSE - VINCENT MEDINA SPEAKS ON REVITALIZATION OF THE CHOCHENYO LANGUAGE - JULY 22

Victor D. Medina, respected CMSA member and docent at Mission Dolores, will give a lecture at Old Mission San Jose in Fremont on July 22 at 2 pm. His topic will be: "Revitalization of The Chochenyo Language."

Chochenyo, the native language spoken on the eastern shores of San Francisco Bay was deemed by linguists to be an "extinct" language for generations. Aided by the help of his elders, scholarship, and technology Vincent has begun to bring back to life and speak the language of his ancestors. He is part of a larger effort by many Ohlone people to revitalize and speak ancestral languages, while bringing them into the modern day.

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Photo Courtesy of Andrew Galvan





Vincent D. Medina in front of an Ohlone Tule House at Mission Dolores in May 2010

### **VINCENT D. MEDINA, Jr.**

Vincent Medina, Chochenyo Ohlone, was born at the site of his ancestral Ohlone village of Jalquin (modern Hayward, California). Strongly aware and proud of his Ohlone identity, Vincent works to educate others of a continuous Ohlone presence, and to dispel negative stereotypes of his people.

While living in two worlds, both contemporary and traditional, Vincent has strived to bring Ohlone culture into the modern era. Working in his free time and aided by technology he has worked diligently to revitalize the Chochenyo language. Vincent has also created a successful blog titled "Being Ohlone in the 21st Century" where he has told a first person Ohlone narrative focusing on contemporary issues, and the odd juxtaposition of living in ones ancestral homeland, yet often feeling isolated.

At Old Mission Dolores, San Francisco, Vincent has revolutionized the way tours are given, from focusing on the Spanish Padres and/or Father Serra to creating a tour that is primarily focused on Ohlone culture, resistance, and survival. Motivated by the mantra "the truth will set us free," Vincent is currently the most requested tour guide at the Mission, and strives to tell a story that California Indian children could feel proud of.

Vincent is currently in college, focusing on getting an education to improve his community. He lives in San Lorenzo, which is part of his Jalquin Ohlone ancestral homeland.

March 2012

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Old Mission San Jose is located at the intersection of Washington Blvd. and Mission Blvd, at 43300 Mission Blvd, Fremont, California. Free Parking is available in the St. Joseph Church parking lot next door to the Old Mission Cemetery.

This lecture is sponsored by The Committee for The Restoration of Mission San Jose.  
For more information contact Committee Board of Directors President Andrew Galvan at [chochenyo@aol.com](mailto:chochenyo@aol.com) or 510-882-0527.

[To view the flyer for Vincent D. Medina's lecture, please click here.](#)

**ALONG THE MISSION TRAIL - VIRTUAL TOUR OF MISSION DOLORES**

**Andy Galvan, Curator at Old Mission Dolores in San Francisco, offers these links:**

Try this link ([www.jedlovec.com/mdvtour/basilica.html](http://www.jedlovec.com/mdvtour/basilica.html)) for a Virtual Tour of Mission Dolores. The Virtual Tour of Mission Dolores will be linked to the Mission Dolores Basilica Parish Website.

Thanks to Don Jediovec of Mission San Jose, Fremont, who took the photos and provided this service *gratis* to Old Mission Dolores.

You can see other wonderful examples of Don's skills by visiting the Mission San Jose Chamber of Commerce website. This link (<http://www.jedlovec.com/cheesetaster/index.htm>) will take you to a Virtual Tour of The ChesseTaster; and you could also visit the East Bay Regional Park District website, where this link ([http://www.ebparks.org/parks/coyote\\_hills/coyote\\_hills\\_pano](http://www.ebparks.org/parks/coyote_hills/coyote_hills_pano)) will take you a Virtual Tour of The Ohlone Indian Village of Tuibun at Coyote Hills Regional Park.

Also try this link for Coyote Hills and the Ohlone Village of Tuibun...

<http://www.jedlovec.com/chillsvt/shellmound.html>

### ALONG THE MISSION TRAIL - MISSION SANTA CRUZ - FRIENDS OF SANTA CRUZ COUNTY STATE PARKS RESCUE ADOBE MISSION STATE PARK

By Mary Wood

Three cheers for the Friends of Santa Cruz County State Parks!!! They have rescued the Adobe Mission State Park in Santa Cruz. This site is a little different from other missions in the chain. The old mission church is totally gone but there is a replica built in 1937 that is owned by the Monterey archdiocese. The Adobe Mission State Park, while not a church, is the only extant building left of the old mission compound and was given over to the State Park system in 1984. It is currently undergoing some changes as Friends have been able to help with a long overdue upgrade of the exhibits. The Adobe has a wonderful interpretive program for our fourth-graders and we are currently doing a lot of awareness-raising in the area. Bright future ahead!!!!

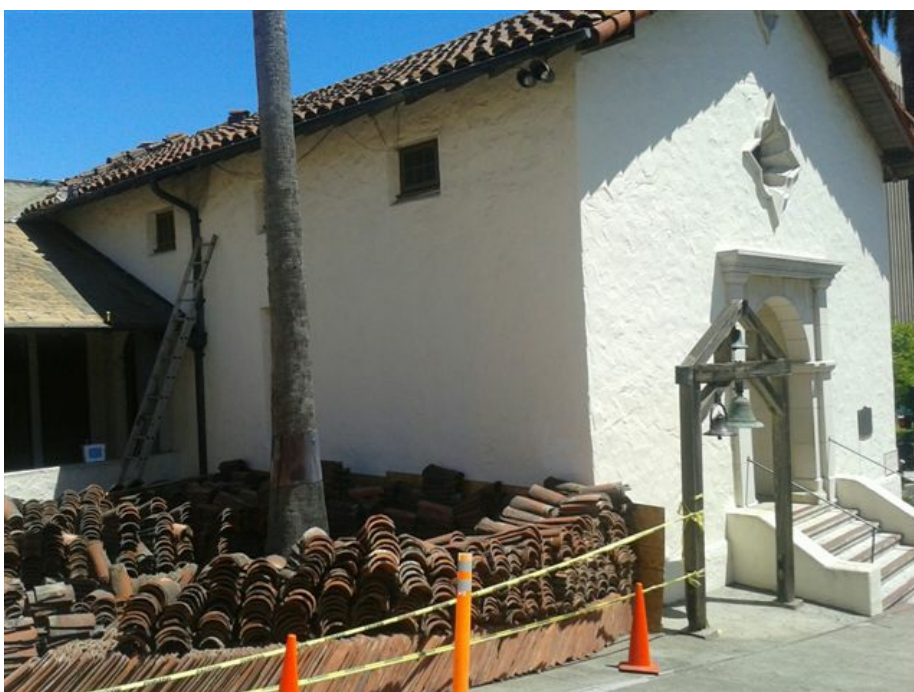
### ALONG THE MISSION TRAIL - MISSION SAN RAFAEL GETS A NEW ROOF

Mission San Rafael gets a new roof. The Mission has damage primarily with a leaking roof where much water damage has happened when the Mission was built in 1949. The Capital Campaign at St. Raphael's Parish has raised over 2 million dollars for the renovation of the deferred maintenance on the Parish buildings of which include the Mission.

Theresa Brunner, Curator, Mission San Rafael

Photos Courtesy of Andre Shashaty, Mission San Rafael





## ALONG THE MISSION TRAIL - SEISMIC RETROFIT AT MISSION SAN LUIS REY

Mandated seismic retrofitting at Mission San Luis Rey has begun, but more funding is necessary to complete this important infrastructure upgrade, according to reports.

North County Times reporter Paul Sisson ([psisson@nctimes.com](mailto:psisson@nctimes.com)) says work got underway on June 9.

A recent plea-to-the-community appearing on the Mission's official website has drawn support but more is needed

The Mission San Luis Rey website says:

"Please Help Save the Mission Church. Old Mission San Luis Rey's Historic Church faces closure if a state-mandated seismic retrofit is not completed.

In order to preserve access to a large and critical grant from the Save Our Nation's Treasures program, (the Mission) must complete fundraising for the matching funds and begin construction in the next few months. The goal is within reach, but (must be reached) by the deadline. Your gift today will make a difference.

The Mission is an important part of our cultural heritage, and merits support from the entire community. This is your opportunity to invest in preserving this legacy for the next generation."

For information regarding fundraising efforts to preserve Mission San Luis Rey, please visit

<http://www.sanluisrey.org/Seismic-retrofit/>

For more information about the progress of the retrofitting efforts, please read this article at the website below.

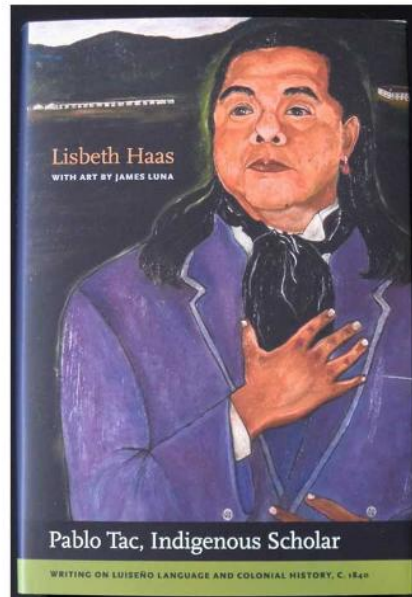
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**EVENT OF INTEREST - LISBETH HAAS - BOOK READING AT CITY LIGHTS BOOKSTORE, SAN FRANCISCO - JULY 15**

Reading at CITY LIGHTS bookstore

celebrating the release of

***Pablo Tac, Indigenous Scholar:***  
***Writing on Luiseno Language & Colonial History***



**LISBETH HAAS**

***On the Life and Work of Pablo Tac***

**Sunday July 15 5:00 PM**

CITY LIGHTS <http://www.citylights.com/info/?fa=events>

Courtesy of City Lights

Noted California historian and former CMSA Board Member Lisbeth Haas will hold a reading of her latest book, *Pablo Tac, Indigenous Scholar: Writing on Luiseno Language & Colonial History*, at City Lights Bookstore in San Francisco on July 15 at 5:00 pm. For further information, please refer to the link below.

[http://www.citylights.com/info/?fa=event&event\\_id=1561](http://www.citylights.com/info/?fa=event&event_id=1561)

**EVENTS OF INTEREST - CALIFORNIA**

**UPCOMING CALIFORNIA MISSION-RELATED EVENTS**

**JULY**

JULY 1 - San Juan Capistrano Mission: Bell Ringing for Feast of Fr. Serra. Serra Statue This event is free with paid admission to the Mission. Noon.

<http://www.missionsjc.com/calendar/events-todays-events.php?day=1&month=7&year=2012&sitemapurl=../tours/calendar-tours-sitemap.php>

JULY 4 - Mission San Buenaventura: Ventura City Street Faire. Downtown Main Street. All proceeds go to help support the Mission and Holy Cross School. 11 am - 5 pm <http://www.sanbuenaventuramission.org/events/annual-events>



JULY 7 - San Juan Capistrano Mission: Music Under the Stars Summer Concert Series: The Long Run with Opener: Fortunate Son. Central Courtyard. Series of 5 Saturday evening concerts hosted annually, running every other week from July through Labor Day weekend. All proceeds support the non-profit's historic preservation efforts and education programming. 6:30 pm - 9:30 pm

<http://www.missionsjc.com/calendar/events-todays-events.php?day=7&month=7&year=2012&sitemapurl=../tours/calendar-tours-sitemap.php>

JULY 7 - Mission La Purisima: People Days. 11 am - 2 pm [http://www.lapurisimamission.org/events/#mountain\\_men](http://www.lapurisimamission.org/events/#mountain_men)

JULY 11 - San Juan Capistrano Mission: Soldiers Barracks: Special Hummingbird Presentation: "Jewels of Nature, Hummingbirds in Your Garden," by Monique Rea, artist, author and speaker. Rea has worked with and rehabilitated hummingbirds for the past 16 years in South Orange County. Learn more about these wonders of nature and bring your brown bag lunch to enjoy on the patio following the presentation. Please RSVP as space is limited. Free with paid admission to the Mission. Phone: (949) 234-1321. Noon.

<http://www.missionsjc.com/calendar/events-todays-events.php?day=11&month=7&year=2012&sitemapurl=../tours/calendar-tours-sitemap.php>

JULY 13 - San Juan Capistrano Mission: Night at the Mission: Adventure Sleepover. Mission San Juan Capistrano is pleased to offer adventurous sleepover of camping overnight on Mission grounds for kids with their parents. The sleepover includes dinner, activities and breakfast the following morning. All participants must be pre-registered. \$70 non-members, \$60 for members, and \$55 per individual in groups of 4+. Phone: 949-234-1306.

6 pm - 8 am

<http://www.missionsjc.com/calendar/events-todays-events.php?day=13&month=7&year=2012&sitemapurl=../tours/calendar-tours-sitemap.php>

JULY 13, 14, 15 - Mission San Diego - Festival of the Bells. This one weekend event is the anniversary celebration of Mission San Diego de Alcalá, the Mother of California's 21 Missions. Founded by Blessed Father Junipero Serra on July 16, 1769.

<http://www.festivalofbells.com/>  
[http://www.festivalofbells.com/Event\\_Schedule.html](http://www.festivalofbells.com/Event_Schedule.html)

JULY 14 - Mission Santa Barbara: Old Spanish Days Preview Event: Costume Sale. 9 am - 1 pm

[http://www.oldspanishdays-fiesta.org/new/index.php/calendar/calendar\\_all/santa\\_barbara\\_mission\\_docent\\_tours/](http://www.oldspanishdays-fiesta.org/new/index.php/calendar/calendar_all/santa_barbara_mission_docent_tours/)  
[http://www.oldspanishdays-fiesta.org/new/index.php/calendar/calendar\\_all/](http://www.oldspanishdays-fiesta.org/new/index.php/calendar/calendar_all/)

JULY 14 - Olivas Adobe, Ventura - Music Under the Stars: Rob Rio: Boogie Woogie. Admission: \$20. 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm

<http://www.cityofventura.net/mus>

JULY 15 - Mission San Buenaventura: San Buenaventura Feast Day, Refreshments after each Mass in Mission Gardens.

<http://www.sanbuenaventuramission.org/events/annual-events>

JULY 21 - San Juan Capistrano Mission: Central Courtyard: Music Under the Stars Summer Concert Series: A Tribute to Sir Elton John with Dandy DJ. Phone: 949-234-1315. Gates: 5:30 pm. Concert: 6:30 - 9:30 pm

<http://www.missionsjc.com/calendar/events-todays-events.php?day=21&month=7&year=2012&sitemapurl=../tours/calendar-tours-sitemap.php>

JULY 21 - Olivas Adobe, Ventura: Music Under the Stars: Cascada: Latin Guitars. Admission \$20. 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm

<http://www.cityofventura.net/mus>

JULY 21 - Mission La Purisima: Childrens Mission Life. 11 am - 2 pm

[http://www.lapurisimamission.org/events/#mountain\\_men](http://www.lapurisimamission.org/events/#mountain_men)

JULY 28 - Olivas Adobe, Ventura: Music Under the Stars: Sweet Baby Ja'i: R&B. Admission \$20. 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm

<http://www.cityofventura.net/mus>

JULY 29 - Mission Santa Barbara: Old Spanish Days Preview Event: Recepcion del Presidente. DoubleTree Resort (Plaza del Sol), 5 pm - 10 pm

[http://www.oldspanishdays-fiesta.org/new/index.php/calendar/calendar\\_all/santa\\_barbara\\_mission\\_docent\\_tours/](http://www.oldspanishdays-fiesta.org/new/index.php/calendar/calendar_all/santa_barbara_mission_docent_tours/)

## AUGUST

AUGUST 1 -5 - Mission Santa Barbara: Old Spanish Days Fiesta.

[http://www.oldspanishdays-fiesta.org/new/index.php/calendar/calendar\\_all/santa\\_barbara\\_mission\\_docent\\_tours/](http://www.oldspanishdays-fiesta.org/new/index.php/calendar/calendar_all/santa_barbara_mission_docent_tours/)  
[http://www.oldspanishdays-fiesta.org/new/index.php/calendar/calendar\\_all/](http://www.oldspanishdays-fiesta.org/new/index.php/calendar/calendar_all/)

AUGUST 1 - 4: Mission Santa Barbara: Casa Cantina at Casa de la Guerra. Casa de la Guerra Historic House Museum.  
12 pm - 12 am <http://www.sbthp.org/events2.htm>

AUGUST 4 - San Juan Capistrano Mission: Central Courtyard: Music Under the Stars Summer Concert Series: Hot August Night - Neil Diamond Tribute. Phone: (949) 234-1315. Gates: 5:30 pm. Concert: 6:30 pm - 9:30 pm  
<http://www.missionsjc.com/calendar/events-todays-events.php?day=4&month=8&year=2012&sitemapurl=../tours/calendar-tours-sitemap.php>

AUGUST 8 - Mission San Gabriel: History Challenge. 11 am - 2 pm <http://sangabrielmissionchurch.org/>

AUGUST 11: Olivas Adobe: Concert Under the Stars. Porterhouse Bob. 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm  
<http://www.cityofventura.net/mus>

AUGUST 17 - 18: Mission La Purisima: Mountain Men. 10 am - 3:30 pm  
[http://www.lapurisimamission.org/events/#mountain\\_men](http://www.lapurisimamission.org/events/#mountain_men)

AUGUST 18: Mission La Purisima: Village Days. 11 am - 2 pm  
[http://www.lapurisimamission.org/events/#mountain\\_men](http://www.lapurisimamission.org/events/#mountain_men)

AUGUST 18 - San Juan Capistrano Mission: Central Courtyard: Music Under the Stars Concert Series: Jumping Jack Flash - Celebrating the Rolling Stones. Gates: 5:30 pm. Concert: 6:30 pm - 9:30 pm  
<http://www.missionsjc.com/calendar/events-todays-events.php?day=18&month=8&year=2012&sitemapurl=../tours/calendar-tours-sitemap.php>

AUGUST 19 - Mission Santa Ines: 41st Annual Fiesta. Free. 12:30 pm - 5:30 pm  
<http://www.missionsantaines.org/home.html>

AUGUST 24 - Mission San Luis Obispo: La Mesa Dinner, Trinity Hall - A Vacquero Evening at the Ranch, 6 pm  
[http://www.missionsanluisobispo.org/?page\\_id=47](http://www.missionsanluisobispo.org/?page_id=47)

AUGUST 25 - Mission San Luis Rey: Old Mission San Luis Rey Heritage Ball: Moonlight in the Garden. Featuring fabulous entertainment by NRG Music & Productions. For sponsorship opportunities and table reservations, please contact [Maureen Sullivan](#) or call (760)757-3651, ext. 146.

<http://www.sanluisrey.org/Events2/SAVE-THE-DATE-HERITAGE-BALL-MOONLIGHT-IN-THE-GARDEN>

<http://www.sanluisrey.org/>

AUGUST 25 - Olivas Adobe: Concert Under the Stars. Shari Puerto. Blues. 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm  
<http://www.cityofventura.net/mus>

## SEPTEMBER

SEPTEMBER 1 - Olivas Adobe: Concert Under the Stars. Susie Hansen Latin Band. 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm  
<http://www.cityofventura.net/mus>

SEPTEMBER 1 - Mission San Juan Capistrano. Concert Under the Stars Series. The Fab Four - Ultimate Beatles Tribute. 6:30 pm - 9:30 pm

<http://www.missionsjc.com/calendar/events-todays-events.php?day=1&month=9&year=2012&sitemapurl=../activities/calendar-activities-sitemap.php>

SEPTEMBER 2 - Mission San Juan Capistrano. Free Admission for Military and Veterans. Labor Day Weekend. 8:30 am - 5:30 pm

<http://www.missionsjc.com/calendar/events-todays-events.php?day=2&month=9&year=2012&sitemapurl=../activities/calendar-activities-sitemap.php>

SEPTEMBER 8 - Mission La Purisima: People's Day. 11 am - 2 pm  
[http://www.lapurisimamission.org/events/#mountain\\_men](http://www.lapurisimamission.org/events/#mountain_men)

SEPTEMBER 8 - Olivas Adobe: Concert Under the Stars. Lisa Haley. 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm  
<http://www.cityofventura.net/mus>

SEPTEMBER 11 - Mission San Juan Capistrano: 9/11 Memorial Bell Ringing. The event is free with paid admission. 8:30 am

<http://www.missionsjc.com/calendar/events-todays-events.php?day=11&month=9&year=2012&sitemapurl=../activities/calendar-activities-sitemap.php>

SEPTEMBER 14 - Mission San Juan Capistrano: Romance of the Mission Benefit Gala Concert and Dinner. 6 pm - 9:30 pm

<http://www.missionsjc.com/calendar/events-todays-events.php?day=14&month=9&year=2012&sitemapurl=../activities/calendar-activities-sitemap.php>

SEPTEMBER 15 - Mission La Purisima: Military Mission Life. 11 am - 2 pm [http://www.lapurisimamission.org/events/#mountain\\_men](http://www.lapurisimamission.org/events/#mountain_men)

SEPTEMBER 16 - Mission San Miguel: BBQ and Fiesta. 10 am. <http://www.missionsanmiguel.org/events>

SEPTEMBER 17 - Mission San Juan Capistrano: Daughters of the American Revolution Constitution Bell Ringing. The historic bells will ring between 12:30 and 1:00 PM in honor of Constitution Day (September 17, 1787). The event is free with paid admission. 12:30 pm - 1 pm

<http://www.missionsjc.com/calendar/events-todays-events.php?day=17&month=9&year=2012&sitemapurl=../activities/calendar-activities-sitemap.php>

## OCTOBER

OCTOBER 12 - 13 - La Purisima Mission: Candlelight Tours <http://www.lapurisimamission.org/events/>

OCTOBER 23 - Mission San Juan Capistrano: Bell Ringing for Feast of St. John of Capistrano. <http://www.missionsjc.com/calendar/events-todays-events.php?day=23&month=10&year=2012&sitemapurl=../activities/calendar-activities-sitemap.php>

### EVENTS OF INTEREST - OUTSIDE OF CALIFORNIA

## UPCOMING MISSION-RELATED EVENTS OUTSIDE OF CALIFORNIA

### SEPTEMBER

SEPTEMBER 22 - San Antonio Missions, Texas: National Public Lands Day & Take Pride in America: The San Antonio Missions will be offering landscaping and trash pick-up opportunities. <http://www.nps.gov/saan/planyourvisit/events.htm>

### OCTOBER

OCTOBER 13 - San Jose Mission, Texas: Archaeology Day. Mission San José hosts free hands-on activities, exhibits, and demonstrations for the whole family. Activities will emphasize techniques, information learned from digs/artifacts found at the missions, importance of preservation, and future archeology planned for the park. 10 am - 3 pm

<http://www.nps.gov/saan/planyourvisit/events.htm>

OCTOBER 20 - Tumacácori Mission, Arizona: Anza Day Mass, In conjunction with Tubac State Historic Park's Annual Anza Day Celebration. Once each year a Catholic Mass is celebrated inside the Tumacácori Mission church as it would have been during the time that Tumacácori was an active mission community. 10 am

<http://www.nps.gov/tuma/planyourvisit/special-events.htm>

OCTOBER 27 - NOVEMBER 17 - San Antonio Missions State Historical Park, Texas. Dia de los Muertos Offrenda (Day of the Dead Altar). Visit the traditional offrenda at the park's Visitor Center that honors those employees and volunteers who have died. <http://www.nps.gov/saan/planyourvisit/events.htm>

### EVENT OF INTEREST - EXHIBITION: INDIAN SUMMER, 1830-1950, SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO, JULY 6 - AUGUST 25

Photo Courtesy of William R. Talbot Fine Art, Antique Maps & Prints





Datus Myers (1879-1960). "Deer Dance," 1930s. Gouache on fabric. Detail

## EXHIBITION:

"Indian Summer, 1830-1950"

July 6 - August 25, 2012

Mon-Sat, 9:30 am-5:30 pm

No reception

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From the time of early treaties, through western expansion, and into the romanticism of the 20th century, the United States' relations with Native Americans have been variously documented by artists, authors, and mapmakers. William R. Talbot offers a wonderful collection of historical artworks, maps, and books that explore the history and beauty of Indian cultures.

The current exhibition features early 19th century Americana by Karl Bodmer, George Catlin, and McKenney & Hall. Regionalist New Mexico artworks from the late 19th century and the 20th century Modernist era include paintings and prints by Emil Bistram, Ila McAfee, Peter Moran, Datus Myers, and Arnold Rönnebeck. Early maps of the Southwest, New Mexico, and Indian Territory are also exhibited in this well-rounded selection.

## EVENT OF INTEREST - 2012 HIGH ROAD ART TOUR, NORTHERN NEW MEXICO - SEPTEMBER 22-23 AND SEPTEMBER 29-30

"A unique showcase of northern New Mexico's world class artisans & artists; inspiring traditional & contemporary artwork at studios & galleries set in stunning norteño landscapes."

For more information, tour brochure, down-loadable map: [www.highroadnewmexico.com](http://www.highroadnewmexico.com)

URL may also be accessed through this link below.

<http://www.ask.com/web?q=highroadnewmexico%2ecom&o=100000031&l=dis&qsrc=2871&gct=bar>

Tour funded in part by New Mexico Tourism Dept., New Mexico Arts, Rio Arriba & Taos Counties (Lodgers Tax), & McCune Charitable Foundation

## ARTICLE OF INTEREST - SAN RAFAEL ARCANGEL MISSION PEARS SAVED WITH GRAFTINGS

TRACES OF OLD SAN RAFAEL

By Marilyn L. Geary

## History: San Rafael Arcángel Mission Pears Saved with Graftings

<http://sanrafael.patch.com/articles/history-san-rafael-arc-ngel-mission-pears-saved-with-graftings>

### MULTIMEDIA CORNER - CYARK TO RECORD DIGITALLY ALL MISSIONS, PRESIDIOS, AND PUEBLOS

Jarrell Jackman, Ph.D., Executive Director of the Santa Barbara Trust for Historic Preservation, reports that eventually CyArk intends to record digitally all missions, the presidios, and the pueblos.

To provide an indication of how these structures could be reconstructed, view this webpage, which features a virtual reconstruction by CyArk of a community garden, Merritt Park, at a Japanese internment camp.

<http://archive.cyark.org/executive-order-9066-70-years-later-blog>

Here is website of CyArk: <http://archive.cyark.org/>

### MULTIMEDIA CORNER - ANZA TRAIL FILM NOW ON YOU TUBE, GOOD INFORMATION RELATED TO CALIFORNIA MISSIONS

The 26 minute English version of the Anza Trail film is now on you tube,

<http://youtu.be/uPwSliMxeiU>

Enjoy and share,

Andy Galvin

### MULTIMEDIA CORNER - ARTS OF COLONIAL MEXICO: A NEW BLOG

Queridos aficionados,

I hope some of you have had a chance to sample my new blog on the arts of colonial Mexico:

<http://colonialmexico.blogspot.com/>

Our June posts focused on the 18th century altarpieces by Queretaran designer and sculptor Pedro de Rojas.

Forthcoming pages will look at Folk Baroque architecture, Mexican fonts and fountains, and some images of unusual saints in Oaxaca.

We welcome your comments.

saludos

Richard Perry

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