

## WIFV Member-Made Gift Guide 2020 - Vol 2 Books, Music, Videos, Brushes, Art, Masks, etc!

### Throw Me a Bone CD



Inspired by his music-loving pets, accomplished keyboardist and notable composer, **Kraig Greff** began creating a number of songs about dogs for children. With the help of his wife and **Tonal Vision** business partner, **Jacquie**, they are proud to present the release of the album "Throw Me A Bone". This freshly produced set of nine tracks are the first of the planned "Penny's Playlist" dog-themed music series.

Kids will enjoy the playful songs about their favorite furry friends as well as artwork by Kraig and Jacquie's granddaughter Sadie. These nine songs will be on repeat as kids of all ages learn the underlying theme of respect for animals. The album is available to purchase and stream on [popular music sites](#). The physical CD is also for sale at [Tonal Vision's store](#) for \$15, including tax and shipping. For more fun, this enhanced CD includes "[The Dog Park](#)" animated music video as an added bonus.

### 60 Years of Afro-American Musical Theater

#### THE FIRST 60 YEARS

THE HISTORY OF AFRO-AMERICAN  
 MUSICAL THEATER AND  
 ENTERTAINMENT  
 1865-1930

**Ronald Smokey Stevens**

*The First 60 Years* is an insightful look at the progression of artistic contributions made by Afro-Americans to musical theater and entertainment in America from

1865 to 1930. Reading this unearthed historical information will amaze you. Written by **Ronald "Smokey" Stevens** and [available from Barnes & Noble here](#).

### Book Club Jan 21 - Be Ready!

The **WIFV Book Club** reconvenes on January 21 and WIFV has a few copies of **TALKING PICTURES: How To Watch Motion Pictures** by Ann Hornaday available for purchase.

Other books available from WIFV are: **INSIDE STORY** by Dara Marks; **DATE YOUR CHARACTER** by Marilyn Atlas, et. al; **HOLLYWOOD ON THE POTOMAC** by Mike Canning. Each is \$15 plus \$3 shipping. [Book descriptions and order here](#).

## RESISTERHOOD - Advocacy, Clothing, Mugs

**Cheryl Crim** is proud to announce that the RESISTERHOOD team has joined with Social Change, Tyson Foods, Lift, and several other organizations to offer a free drive-in movie screening



of RESISTERHOOD in Atlanta to inspire people to VOTE. Even better, 15,000 pounds of food will be available for those in need before the event!! If you would like to help, you can donate on our website, [ResisterhoodDoc.com](http://ResisterhoodDoc.com), OR, you can buy some fabulous **Resisterhood swag** during our holiday sale, happening now!! A 25% discount will be automatically applied to everything in your cart.

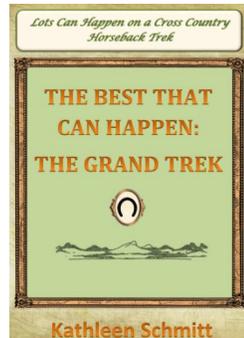
Awesome photo of some of the family of one of the RESISTERHOOD subjects, Margaret Morrison and her grand-nephew, Dallas (right middle and front).

## Schmitt's *Grand Trek*

*The best that can happen is to fulfill the dreams of one's youth." - Willa Cather. "Uh huh. Ever actually, like, try it? -*

**Kathleen Schmitt.**

A lame joke over the farm breakfast table just after high school turns into Kathleen's decision to ride a horse from coast to coast. It took a few years to assemble 'The Trekkers' - a national champion trail horse to ride, a half-broke half-bred as a pack horse, a protection-trained Boxer dog, and a post-college Kathleen. This solo adventure travel memoir recounts preparing for The Trek, the characters and challenges met along the road for each of The Trekkers, and how The Trek impacted Kathleen's later life. Humor, insights, the occasional rant, a few slides into fiction, and one moment of real terror, Kathleen invites you to come along on one life adventure that, as all adventures do, leads to another. Available in print, ebook (MOBI and EPUB) and Audiobook. **Use Promo Code WIFV2020 at checkout for a 50% discount. [Order your copy here.](#)**



## BREAKING THROUGH THE CLOUDS

One of the reasons producer/director

**Heather A. Taylor** has been a member of WIFV for years is to experience

the same supportive environment the women of the Derby created more than 90 years ago.



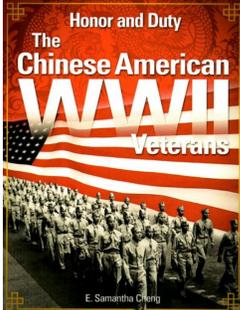
**BREAKING THROUGH THE CLOUDS: *The First Women's National Air Derby*** (BTTC) is the inspiring true story of 20 women, including Amelia Earhart, who raced across America in the summer of 1929. With little navigational aide and plenty of public scrutiny, these aviators succeeded as pilots in spite of their social status of being female in an era where women rarely drove automobiles. Facing cultural stereotypes, mechanical failures, threats of sabotage, navigational challenges, and endless chicken dinners, the women persevered. They became ambassadors of flight in the golden age of aviation while proving women could be independent, competitive, self-sufficient, intelligent, competent, graceful and above all, really good pilots. BTTC is available at Vimeo On Demand and on DVD. [Links and more information available here.](#)

## Honor and Duty

*In Honor And Duty: The Chinese American WWII Veterans*, **E.**

## Discovering Tunisian Cuisine

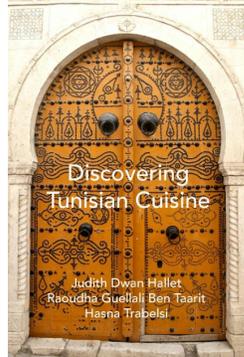
In Tunisia, women are generally the cooks and reign in the kitchen. Raoudha and



**Samantha Cheng** compiles a thorough historical record that recognizes the service and sacrifice of Chinese American veterans who

contributed to America's wartime needs. The data collected and compiled for this book will serve as an indispensable source of information for family members, historians and scholars alike. This book is inspired by the DVD 3-part series, *Honor and Duty: The Mississippi Delta Chinese*.

**You can purchase the book and DVD set here.**

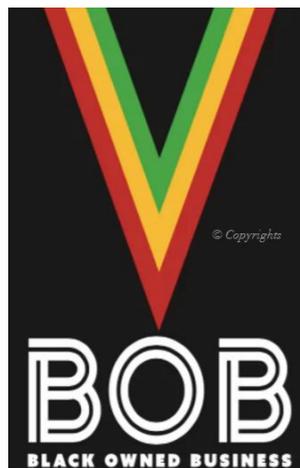


Hasna are no exception. They love to cook, and they took great pride in sharing their family recipes with me. In many ways, this cookbook is a personal journal recording **Judith Dwan Hallett's** time with two fabulous

women in their kitchens. **Order here.**

*Discovering Tunisian Cuisine is awesome and authentic both visually and content wise -- my favorite kind of cookbook. Judith Dwan Hallett, a videographer, ethnographer and daughter from a great culinary tradition -- her late mother was longtime restaurant critic of the LA Times -- has nailed Tunisian cuisine, little known by Americans. I can't wait to cook every single recipe!!! - Joan Nathan 2005 Julia Child Award Winner for Best Cookbook of the Year*

## Black Friday's Offerings



Brace yourselves: Black Friday (aka **Lisa Scott**) is here and she's around every week. Of all the years to consume, 2020 is the most vital. Arm yourself for stress-free holidays by indulging with some delicious cannabis-infused edibles OR get some for a friend or family member in need. Bud Appétit Edibles come in all sorts of varieties. Hibiscus Ginger Elixir, Infused Honey, Assorted Cookies, Brownies and Almond Poundcake, Gummies, Soft Caramels, Buddermints, Fruit Leather Strips, Sesame Seed Crunch and Weedy Ranchers. A variety of locally-grown smoking herbs too. They're all tasty and something for everyone over 21, of course. Initiative 71 compliant makes it legal to buy a colorful Bud Appétit Tote Bag and/or T-shirt — the edibles are a gift. **Browse the selection here .**

The "Buy Black Movement" has always been present but it's growing stronger every day. To more easily identify black owned businesses Lisa created the Official Black Owned Business - BOB Flag!

The BOB Flag was created to quickly identify, spread awareness and drive business to BOBs. Consumers and clients who want to support and buy black will immediately know that they are a part of the black community.

If you are not black and do not own a business, but want to do something extra special for

a black owned business, then [you can buy one and gift it to them](#). Also available is the official logo for eCommerce websites, decals for vehicles, windows, and doors, posters, t-shirts, and "I support" t-shirts. [Buy here](#).

## Gift a Membership



Grateful for a PA's enthusiasm? Want to help a recent graduate start their media career? Have a colleague you KNOW should be a member? Giving a gift membership is

easy. You can [join online here](#) or you can [download the application here](#) and mail or scan it to us. First 5 gift membership recipients will receive a special gift!

Your gift recipient will receive many benefits throughout the year (and be hydrated)!

- Reduced admission to 90+ WIFV programs each year, including workshops, panels, ScriptDC, and special events.
- Career resources. The members-only listserv features exclusive job postings, freelance gigs, and casting notices nearly every day of the year.
- Networking with 900+ media professionals.
- WIFV member discounts and advance screening passes.



Whenever you shop with [Amazon Smile](#), Amazon will donate a percentage of every purchase to WIFV - at no extra charge to you. Nearly \$100 has already been raised this year to benefit WIFV - thank you! [Click here](#) to set your Amazon account to automatically donate to WIFV, and be sure to use [smile.amazon.com](#) whenever you make an Amazon purchase.

## Holiday Masks



|Masks by Maureen O'Grady, AbingtonLions@yahoo.com

This holiday season show someone you love them - give them a mask. We'll be wearing masks for months to come, so why not wear one with style as well as the CDC recommended safety features?

We have a dozen Christmas fabrics, 3 Hanukkah fabrics, fireworks for New Year's Eve, and a variety of special interest fabrics, including sports, travel, hobbies, and coffee!

Masks are available with a choice of elastic ear loops, toggles, or ties.

[Contact WIFV member Maureen O'Grady to order.](#)

## WIFV Gifts

Choose from a selection of tote bags, mugs, clothing, and beverage holders at Cafe Press. [Shop now.](#) All proceeds from Cafe Press items benefit WIFV programming.



## Makeup Brush Shampoo and Handmade Soaps

## Harris Finished or DIY



**HANDMADE GOAT MILK SOLID MAKEUP BRUSH SHAMPOO W/ESSENTIAL OIL**  
**By Carolyn Marie, Makeup Bizz**  
 Four amazing fragrances - Fabulous Lavender, Creamy Coconut, Lemon Licious (essential oil), and Natural Tea Tree (essential oil). Comes with in-cap cleaning pad. All fragrances contain Tea Tree Oil known for its disinfecting properties.

**HANDMADE SOAPS**  
 Amazing hand-made soaps with original illustrations featuring Pop Culture themes. Fabulous fragrances to use or just put them on display.

Shop at [www.TheRedwoodBay.com](http://www.TheRedwoodBay.com)



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Prefer to do your own coloring? Kristin's Bay Ridge Coloring Book celebrates the natural treasures found all around us. Color for calm and color for peace of mind. All drawings by Kristin Reiber Harris. [Purchase your copy here!](#)

## Bay Ridge Coloring Book



### News Deadline

The deadline to submit your information for the monthly Members in the News e-publication is the 10th of the month. Send your article (100 words or so) and a jpg-format photograph or link to your video project to [director@wifv.org](mailto:director@wifv.org).



### About WIFV

Women in Film & Video (WIFV) provides educational and networking opportunities for screen-based media makers, celebrates women's creative and technical achievements in media, and advocates for parity both in front of and behind the camera to ensure that all voices can be heard.



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