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Extrait p. 73 – Poème Survivor Tree

There in core of the
World Trade Center
this pear tree stands.

It grew from ash of bodies
clasping[1] hands falling in air.
Cared for by those who
believe in life.
Now reaching for heaven
despite the hatred of men
screaming in streets.

Look how sunlight touches
each leaf. Think of
every leaf being
completely unique.

There are none so blind
who will not see all that

[1] holding tightly

has been given to us.

Joan MCNERNEY, 2011.

Extrait p.74 – Article de Hannah Fraser-Chanpong*, CBS News*

A museum designed to evoke memories without causing fresh pain

The National September 11 Memorial & Museum officially opens to the public Wednesday, but Charles G. Wolf saw the inside days ago. Wolf lost his wife, Katherine, in the World Trade Center attack and he and other family members were among the first to visit the museum. “It’s just amazing what you see down there,” Wolf said after his visit. “Absolutely amazing.”

Not all who go to the museum will share Wolf’s feelings.

To plan for the varied reactions of visitors, the lead exhibit design team for the museum, Thinc Design, hired clinical psychologist Billie Pivnick in late 2006. “We focused on how to create something that would honor the lives of people,” Pivnick said, “but also be a safe place where people could experience their emotions.” “It’s the ethical obligation of memorialization,” she said.

The museum’s design allows visitors to choose a path that matches their comfort level, according to Pivnick, who met weekly with the designers. “People who were very directly involved and touched by 9/11 may choose, for instance, to do the memorial exhibit but not do the historical exhibit,” she said.

One exhibit, a long steel column from the South Tower, is accompanied by touchscreens where visitors can write their thoughts. Their comments are then projected onto the wall in front of the steel column.

“It’s a chance for people to experience that they’re all part of the story of this event,” she said. “Even though they may all have different perspectives, when you add all those perspectives together they make a collective memory.”

Hannah Fraser-Chanpong, *CBS News*, 2014.

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Extrait – Article de *globenewswire*

STATEN ISLAND, NEW YORK [March 10, 2026] — The Tunnel to Towers Foundation today announced the nationwide route for its Steel Across America tour– a historic coast-to-coast commemoration honoring those who sacrificed their lives on September 11, 2001. Featuring a steel[1] beam[2] recovered from the rubble of the World Trade Center, the tour will travel across the country to unite communities in remembrance, reflection, and resolve–reaffirming the promise America made to Never Forget.

"This steel beam represents the best of who we are as a country," said Frank Siller, Tunnel to Towers Foundation Chairman and CEO. "As it travels from coast to coast, we hope this symbol brings communities together to remember the heroes we lost, honor the people still suffering from 9/11-related illnesses, support the families forever changed, and pay tribute to those who continue to protect and serve. Together, we must Never Forget."

Steel Across America will officially launch on Saturday, May 2nd, 2026, near Ground Zero in Lower Manhattan. Across more than 10,500 miles, the steel will make more than 35 stops in 21 states and Washington, D.C., visiting landmark locations, community gathering places, town squares, and major sporting events nationwide

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[1] *acier*

[2] *poutre*

before culminating in its return to Ground Zero on September 11th on the 25th anniversary of 9/11.

At the heart of Steel Across America is a powerful and historic tribute: a steel beam recovered from the World Trade Center's South Tower that will be carried from city to city as a lasting memorial. This sacred artifact will journey through communities and neighborhoods, inviting everyone to gather in shared remembrance, pay tribute to the heroes who answered the call on 9/11, and honor those who continue to serve our nation every day.

Stephen Siller Tunnel To Towers Foundation, *globenewswire*, 2026