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Dear Family Member:

As the 12th anniversary of September 11 approaches, I am writing with the hope that you will join us to honor all those we lost in the attacks of 2001 and 1993.

The 9/11 Memorial will again host this year's 9/11 anniversary commemoration at the World Trade Center site in New York City. As in years past, we will observe six moments of silence for when each tower was struck and fell, and the moments of the attacks on the Pentagon and Flight 93. The first moment of silence will be at 8:46 a.m., and we encourage houses of worship to toll their bells at that time. The reading of the names by family members will again be the exclusive focus of the program, and music will provide a backdrop to the day. The commemoration will conclude at approximately 12:00 p.m., and the 9/11 Memorial will remain open until 8:00 p.m. The "Tribute in Light" will return at sundown, carrying us through the night and into the next day.

Family members of victims from the 2001 and 1993 attacks are invited to participate in this year's reading of the names. If you are a family member who would like to read please visit [www.911memorial.org/ceremonyreaders](http://www.911memorial.org/ceremonyreaders) and fill out the online form or call [212-312-8855](tel:212-312-8855) by Friday, August 2. As in years past, participants will be selected by lottery and notified directly.

We will also send you a letter in August that will provide updated information and more details on the anniversary commemoration, as well as an official invitation. Until then, please feel free to email [memorial@911memorial.org](mailto:memorial@911memorial.org) if you have any questions.

Thank you for joining us as we lead the nation in a day of remembrance.

Warm regards,



Joe Daniels  
President & CEO

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