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D.C. Sniper's Ex-Wife to Speak at Jesse Auditorium

Domestic Violence survivor, Mildred Muhammad, will share her story of strength and courage

Columbia, Mo. – John Allen Muhammad, the D.C. sniper, terrorized the Washington Metropolitan Area for three weeks in October 2002, but he emotionally terrorized his ex-wife Mildred Muhammad for their entire 11-year marriage.

John Allen Muhammad emptied their bank accounts, kidnapped their children and disappeared. Eventually, Mildred Muhammad navigated the legal system and won full custody of her children. She then fled from Washington state to Maryland. John Allen Muhammad followed her. He planned the sniper attacks to mask Mildred Muhammad's eventual murder.

Hear the rest of her story on **Thursday, September 30 at 7 p.m., in Jesse Hall Auditorium** on the University of Missouri campus. Mildred Muhammad will be available for individual interviews after the forum.

The Alpha Nu chapter of Alpha Chi Omega is pleased to sponsor Mildred Muhammad as part of Domestic Violence Awareness month.

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More about Mildred Muhammad

Mildred published her book, "Scared Silent" in October 2009 detailing the full extent of her abuse. In addition to her book, started her own nonprofit, After the Trauma. Her organization makes it easier for abused women to find resources, cut through red tape and gives them support at court hearings.

More about Alpha Chi Omega

The Alpha Chi Omega Foundation helps women address the tragedy of domestic violence. Because women are affected by this issue that has personally affected some of our members and their families, we've made this our national philanthropy since 1992. Alpha Chi Omega encourages members to support victims of domestic violence through connections with local agencies and to assist in the development and implementation of programs and hands-on activities to educate themselves and others about domestic violence. Members can donate, volunteer, or work to change laws in our efforts to eliminate domestic violence.