



November 16, 2004

To Whom It May Concern:

The USS Midway Museum displayed the interactive Memorial Sculpture "Release of Souls" by Artist Kathleen Tonnesen, September 12 through October 24, 2004. We were honored to participate in the beginning of a two-year journey across the United States towards its ultimate destination of New York's Ground Zero on the five-year anniversary of 9-11. The display was very well received by the public and a great addition to our Museum.

A Canadian *Gift of Healing* to the American public pays homage and is a tribute to those civilian, flight crews, military and public safety personnel who died in the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001. The USS Midway is proud to support the efforts of the WORLD MEMORIAL Release of Souls team and we encourage others to sponsor this important project and wish it a successful journey to New York City.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mac McLaughlin". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a period at the end.

Mac McLaughlin  
President  
San Diego Aircraft Carrier Museum  
USS Midway