

HEROPORTRAITS

HONORING LIFE THROUGH ART

ut of the ordinary – often the extraordinary is born! Everyone has a hero in his or her life – someone who does astonishing things like the hundreds of thousands of men and women who have sacrificed or compromised their lives in the line-of-duty or in the 9/11 attacks. All of these people are heroes and should be honored for their selfless commitment to serving our country.

Hero Portraits was began in the winter of 2009 by Darrell and Kimberly Lynn after receiving a heart-wrenching call from a fallen soldier's mom requesting a hand painted oil portrait of her son. Since that one phone call, Hero Portraits has developed into a national campaign by which heroes from all walks of life can be remembered and honored.

Their mission is simple in words, but great in actions. To donate to every family a hand-painted portrait of their hero who has sacrificed to protect, preserve, and provide for the

citizens of the United States of America. "My wife and I have been searching for a way to recognize those who support and protect us every day" says Darrell. "This project was formed with this very premise in mind, and it is our goal to make sure that the heroes of this country are never forgotten. We think it's time this country stands up and honors those who have honored us."

Darrell Lynn is no stranger to success. He spent the majority of his career building an international Company with offices around the world, including virtually every continent. In 2000 he took this public company private through a leveraged buyout. During his tenure as President, CEO, and Chairman, he oversaw an aggressive expansion effort resulting in the start-up and growth of many related companies. In 2007 he orchestrated the sale of this private company to a Philadelphia based public company, thus allowing

him the time to move forward with his passion of finding a way to give to others. Mr. Lynn graduated Cum Laude from the University of Memphis in Finance, and continued his professional executive management educations through concentrated Executive training at UCLA (Mergers and

Acquisitions) and Duke University (Strategic Growth Management). He presently is the Chairman of Hero portraits, Inc. and sits on the Board of the Eric Trump Foundation, which provides significant resources to St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital.

Some of those who sit on the Honorary Board for Hero Portraits include Naomi Judd, Wynonna Judd, Charlie Daniels, Julie Gold, Jon Ondrasik, Marty Berman, Geraldo Rivera, Dr. Jamie Huysman,

Retired General Burwell Baxter Bell, Retired General Charles Wald, Retired General Richard Cody and Retired Rear Admiral Robert C. Crates.

A very special thanks to Dena Divito of Fieldstone Farms for providing the information for this story. Please visit www. heroportraits.org for more information and to watch their sponsor video or any of their individual Hero Videos. We can all do something to honor those who have given dearly of

themselves. Please take the time to get involved in Hero Portraits. You can help in many ways. Whether you make a donation. volunteer your time, or your company becomes a national sponsor,



please remember that your involvement will assist in honoring all the men and women of this country – our friends, neighbors and even our children. By taking action, you are taking part in healing the soul of America.

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