

The Center for Peace, Justice and Reconciliation and
the Tekeyan Association of Greater New York present:

The hundred year walk

A presentation
by Author
**Dawn Anahid
MacKeen**

In the Footsteps of an Armenian Genocide Survivor

Wednesday, Oct. 19 | 7-8:30 p.m.
Room A-104, Pitkin Education Center
Bergen Community College

Growing up, **Dawn MacKeen** heard fragments of her grandfather Stepan's story, of how he was swept up in the deadly mass deportation of Armenians during World War I and of how he miraculously managed to escape. Longing for a fuller picture of Stepan's life—and the lost home her family fled—Dawn travels alone to Turkey and Syria, across a landscape still rife with tension. Using his long-lost journals as a guide, she reconstructs her grandfather's odyssey to the far reaches of the Ottoman Empire, where he found himself in the midst of unspeakable atrocities.

Dawn MacKeen is an award-winning investigative journalist who devoted eight years to her grandfather's story. Previously she was a staff writer at *Salon*, *Newsday* and *Smart Money*. Her work has appeared in the *New York Times Magazine*, *Elle*, the *Los Angeles Times* and elsewhere.

Refreshments will be served. Seating is limited.
Please RSVP Tom La Pointe at cpjr@bergen.edu
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