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Meredith Gaunce, President of the Savannah Chapter of GAWL, Publishes 'Traveling Savannah: A Girl's Guide'

The Georgia Association for Women Lawyers (GAWL, www.gawl.org) is proud to announce the **publication of a new travel guide book by author Meredith Gaunce**, GAWL's Savannah Chapter president. **'Traveling Savannah: A Girl's Guide: Off the Map Favorites of a Local Girl'** is illustrated by Erin Salzer Hanna, also from Savannah.

"For a tourist it is refreshing to learn where locals go and what they love about their own city," notes Gaunce, a native of Savannah, who geared the book towards the female tourist. A notable fact, as Savannah was ranked among the top ten most popular cities for girls' getaways in the United States by the Travel Industry Association of America and www.Hotelscombined.com. "Rather than just wandering around with the hopes of stumbling across a unique lunch spot or favorite local boutique, women coming to Savannah now have a guide specifically written and designed for them."

In the book, Gaunce, a practicing lawyer in Savannah and president of the Savannah Chapter of the Georgia Association for Women Lawyers (GAWL), writes about her best-loved venues, which include restaurants, shops, spas and more. The book even includes sample itineraries, recommendations of hot menu items, and engaging anecdotes, making the guide as entertaining as it is useful.

A downtown map and nearly 80 color sketches by local artist Erin Salzer Hanna are also featured.

Salzer Hanna, a landscape architect by profession, incorporated Savannah's landscapes into many of her drawings, using "color and shadows that are evocative of Savannah." Whimsical and fluid, Hanna's sketches are meant to represent "the inviting and relaxed atmosphere of Savannah," according to the artist.

Ideal in size for a purse (5 x 7; 136 pages), this guide is guaranteed to help plan the perfect girl's weekend in Savannah.

A launch party will be held on March 30 at The Gryphon Tea Room from 5:30-7:30 p.m. and will be open to the public.

'Traveling Savannah: A Girl's Guide: Off the Map Favorites of a Local Girl' will be sold in various Savannah locations and will be available online by the end of March. For more information or to place orders for the book, contact Meredith Gaunce at (404) 925-8337 or meredithgaunce@gmail.com.

About GAWL

The Georgia Association for Women Lawyers (GAWL) was founded in 1928 as the voice for women lawyers in Georgia and as the springboard for women lawyers to become leaders in their communities and the legal profession. Currently, GAWL includes almost 1,100 active members throughout the State. GAWL is Georgia's premier networking organization for women lawyers and provides members with opportunities to develop leadership skills, build a personal referral source for business, establish an individual niche in Georgia's legal community and enjoy social events.

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