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Wichita Falls Public Library Set to Host *Lonesome Dove* Exhibit

Wichita Falls, Texas- The Wichita Falls Public Library is hosting *Lonesome Dove*, an exhibition produced by the Wittliff Collections at the Alkek Library, Texas State University, presented in partnership with Humanities Texas, the state affiliate for the National Endowment for the Humanities.

The exhibition will be available to the public from August 29 to October 10, 2023.

Lonesome Dove, Larry McMurtry's epic novel of two aging Texas Rangers who drive a herd of stolen cattle 2,500 miles from the Rio Grande to Montana to found the first ranch there, captured the public imagination and has never let it go.

The *Lonesome Dove* miniseries, which first aired on CBS in 1989, lassoed an even wider audience.

Capturing the sweeping visual imagery of the original miniseries, the *Lonesome Dove* exhibition presents fifty-five framed classic images taken during filming by Bill Wittliff, renowned photographer, writer, and executive producer (with Suzanne De Passe) of *Lonesome Dove*.

The images, however, are worlds apart from ordinary production stills, depicting an extraordinary union of art, literature, and history.

For more information, contact the library at 940-767-0868.

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