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**THE McCORMICK TRIBUNE FREEDOM MUSEUM OPENS NEW EXHIBIT EXPLORING RELIGIOUS FREEDOM**

*Your Faith, My Freedom Exhibit and Events Examines God's Place in the Public Square*

**WHEN:** Saturday, Nov. 18: *Your Faith, My Freedom* exhibit opens to public.

**Thursday, Nov. 30, 6pm – 7:30pm:** Guest lecture and book signing by Kathryn Page Camp author of *In God We Trust: How the Supreme Court's First Amendment Decisions Affect Organized Religion*.

**WHAT:** The Freedom Museum opens a new temporary exhibit, *Your Faith, My Freedom*, that explores the intersections and tensions between church and state such as removing "Under God" from the Pledge of Allegiance and a public high school coach's attempt to lead pre-game prayer. A chronological exhibit of 24 cases, spanning from Sept. 2005 and ending in Aug. 2006, outline First Amendment controversies through emotional charged stories and poignant pictures. The exhibit will be on display for a limited time, Nov. 18-Jan. 30, 2007.

In conjunction with the *Your Faith, My Freedom* exhibit opening, the Freedom Museum hosts a guest lecture by Kathryn Page Camp the author of *In God We Trust: How Supreme Court's First Amendment Decisions Affect Organized Religion*. Page clarifies how a religious display on public property in Pittsburgh can violate the First Amendment, while a similar display in Pawtucket, Rhode Island doesn't raise an eyebrow. Understand how the Supreme Court poses two practical questions to decide a First Amendment violation. First, how are the religious elements incorporated into the display? Second, what is the government's motive? Learn about actual Supreme Court cases that put these questions to the test and how they merge seamlessly with the legal principles used by the courts.

**WHERE:** Freedom Museum  
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