



THE TERRACES

AT SAN JOAQUIN GARDENS

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RENOWNED ANTIQUES APPRAISER TO REVEAL VALUE OF TREASURES HIDDEN IN FRESNO

The Terraces at San Joaquin Gardens Sponsors Entertaining, Educational 'Antiques and Heirlooms' Appraisal Events Featuring Gary Piattoni

FRESNO, Calif.: Gary Piattoni knows what it's like to stand in front of a television camera and appraise antiques that people may only know minimal details about. For more than 10 years, he's been an appraiser on a renowned television series. And in his experience, you never know whether a watch passed down from generation to generation or a beautiful watercolor painting bought at a local flea market will turn out to have more than just sentimental value. Now, Piattoni is coming to Fresno and lending his vast expertise to more than 150 area seniors, who are hoping to discover the value of their special treasures and history behind their family heirlooms.

The Terraces at San Joaquin Gardens, a continuing care retirement community in the Central Valley, will be hosting two Antiques and Heirlooms appraisal events for invited guests on Wednesday, September 28.

"This is the perfect event for someone wondering if something they own — a vintage photograph, an old doll, a piece of pottery, or perhaps a first-edition book — is worth more than just sentimental value. We're delighted to bring Gary Piattoni to Fresno to share his wealth of knowledge with us, and we're looking forward to the many surprises he has in store for us throughout the day," said Jessica Lopez, executive director for The Terraces at San Joaquin Gardens.

According to Piattoni, his favorite part of the sessions, more than discovering the value of items, is sharing the history behind family heirlooms and favorite treasures, along with taking questions from the audience.

"This event is just one example of the many fun and educational programs residents at The Terraces at San Joaquin Gardens enjoy on a regular basis," said Lopez.

The Terraces at San Joaquin Gardens is committed to enriching the lives of older adults. For more than 40 years, the community, located at 5555 North Fresno Street, has delivered one of the most engaging lifestyles in the area. For more information about The Terraces at San Joaquin Gardens, call (559) 435-1999 or visit

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