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## **Artist in Residence Selected for Idaho State Parks**

BOISE—Coeur d'Alene photographer Linda Lantzy has been selected as the 2015 Artist in Residence for Idaho's state parks, sponsored by Friends of Idaho State Parks.

Lantzy, well-known for her dramatic composition and lighting, spends much of her time in Idaho's great outdoors. This summer she will be spending more of it in state parks capturing the natural beauty of the "Jewels of the Gem State." Her work will be featured at events sponsored by the Friends of Idaho State Parks, and will be available to the public. This fall she will teach a photography workshop in at least one of the parks.

Rick Just, president of Friends of Idaho State Parks, said, "We will be selecting an Artist in Residence each year as a way to promote the parks and the work of Idaho artists. We're especially pleased to be working with Linda as our first artist. We know her work well from her calendars and Idaho scenic prints."

Friends of Idaho State Parks is a nonprofit dedicated to supporting and promoting Idaho's state parks. More information about the group is available at <a href="https://www.idahofriends.org">www.idahofriends.org</a>.