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MARY L. TRUMP TO PUBLISH BOOK WITH ST. MARTIN'S PRESS

(New York, NY – December 1, 2020) – It was announced today that Mary L. Trump will publish a new book with St. Martin's Press entitled *THE RECKONING*. Publication for the book is planned for July 20, 2021. St. Martin's Press SVP/Editor-in-Chief George Witte acquired World rights from literary agent Pilar Queen at UTA.

Mary L. Trump is the author of the international #1 bestseller, *Too Much and Never Enough: How My Family Created the World's Most Dangerous Man*. Mary Trump holds a PhD from the Derner Institute of Advanced Psychological Studies at Adelphi University, and has taught graduate courses in trauma, psychopathology, and developmental psychology.

THE RECKONING will examine America's national trauma, rooted in our history but dramatically exacerbated by the impact of current events and the Trump administration's corrupt and immoral policies. Our failure to acknowledge this, let alone root it out, has allowed it to metastasize. Whether it manifests itself in rising levels of rage and hatred, or hopelessness and apathy, the stress of living in a country we no longer recognize has affected all of us. America is suffering from PTSD—a new leader alone cannot fix us.

Jennifer Enderlin, President and Publisher of the St. Martin's Publishing Group, says, “Mary Trump is uniquely positioned, by virtue of her expertise as a clinical psychologist, personal experience, and as an American who just happens to be the niece of Donald J. Trump, to make sense of the consequences of our living through what could be the greatest mental health crisis we have ever experienced as a nation.”

Mary Trump comments, “For four years, Donald Trump has inflicted a series of traumas upon the American people, targeting anyone he perceived as the ‘other’ as an enemy. Women were discounted and derided, the sick were dismissed as weak and unworthy of help, immigrants and minorities were demonized and discriminated against, and money was elevated above all else. Finally, he demonstrated his stunning lack of concern for the American people with his willful mishandling of the pandemic and the ensuing economic collapse. In short, he transformed our country into a macro version of my malignantly dysfunctional family.”

An enormous amount of healing must be done to rebuild our faith in leadership, and our hope for this nation. It starts with *THE RECKONING*.

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