

Warrior Resilience Conference IV presents

## **Brothers At War**

Renaissance Hotel Washington, D.C. March 29, 2012 7:00 p.m.

**Event Description:** The conference will feature a showing of the documentary *Brothers at War.* 

Those featured in the film will be available for a meet and greet session. Refreshments will be available for purchase.

"Having walked a mile in my brothers' shoes, I understand them better now. I know that we all miss our brothers, but maybe if we get to know them better, they can never be gone from us" – Jake Rademacher, filmmaker

## **About Brothers at War**

Brothers at War is an intimate portrait of an American family during a turbulent time. Jake Rademacher sets out to understand the experience, sacrifice, and motivation of his two brothers serving in Iraq. The film follows Jake's exploits as he risks everything – including his life – to tell his brother's story. Often humorous but sometimes downright lethal, Brothers at War is a remarkable journey in which Jake embeds with four combat units in Iraq. Unprecedented access to U.S. and Iraqi combat units take him behind the camouflage curtain with secret reconnaissance troops on the Syrian border, into sniper "hide sites" in the Sunni Triangle, through raging machine gun battles with the Iraqi Army.

Ultimately, the film follows his brothers home where separations and life-threatening work ripple through their parents, siblings, wives and children. *Brothers at War* is a rare look at the bonds and service of our soldiers on the frontlines and the profound effect their service has on the ones they leave behind.

"It's kind of a motivating thing that one brother thinks enough of his other brothers to try and make a film about what they're doing and to try to understand sacrifice, commitment, something greater than themselves" – Dr. Dennis Rademacher, the brothers' father

