



## **GRAVITAS VENTURES ACQUIRES WORLDWIDE RIGHTS TO FORGIVE-DON'T FORGET**

**April 2nd, 2018** – Gravitas Ventures has acquired the worldwide rights to award-winning documentary ***Forgive-Don't Forget*** about an American attempting to return a surrendered Japanese samurai sword from World War II, and will release on VOD, DVD and Blu-ray on **July 31<sup>st</sup>, 2018**.

“...an engrossing story of remembrance and reconciliation.”

- John W. Dower Pulitzer Prize-Winning Author

***Forgive-Don't Forget's*** world premiere was held at the Philadelphia Asian American Film Festival in November 2016, and went on to win the Grand Jury Award for “Best Documentary Feature “ at the Guam International Film Festival in 2017.

***Forgive-Don't Forget*** was produced by Brad Bennett of Shaking Hands Productions

Josh Spector from Gravitas Ventures negotiated the deal with Atit Shah of Create Entertainment on behalf of the filmmakers.

### **About Gravitas Ventures**

Gravitas Ventures, a Red Arrow Studios company, is a leading all rights distributor of independent feature films and documentaries. Founded in 2006, Gravitas connects independent filmmakers and producers with distribution opportunities across the globe. Working with talented directors and producers, Gravitas Ventures has distributed thousands of films into over a hundred million homes in North America - over one billion homes worldwide. Recent releases include *Score: A Film Music Documentary*; *California Typewriter*; Colin Hanks' *All Things Must Pass*; *Being Evel* from Academy Award winning director Daniel Junge and producer Johnny Knoxville; and *For The Love of Spock* from Director Adam Nimoy.

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