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# University of Saint Mary De Paul Library Attains Unique Video Lecture Series

*De Paul Library one of just 50 Nationwide to Receive "World War I Years" Series*

(Leavenworth, Kan.)— The University of Saint Mary De Paul Library has announced that it is one of only 50 libraries nationwide to receive a unique video/lecture series, "*The World War I Years: America Becomes a World Power.*" The six part series was awarded to De Paul Library by National Video Resources (NVR) in association with the American Library Association (ALA), and is supported by a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH). De Paul Library is the only library in Kansas to receive the series. Call 913-758-6306 for more information.

"*The World War I Years,*" is a six-part film and lecture series that explores the political and social history of the United States in the early 20<sup>th</sup> Century. De Paul Library will begin airing the series in the fall 2005 semester.

Based in New York City, NVR is a not-for-profit organization established in 1990 by the Rockefeller Foundation. NVR's goal is to assist in increasing public's awareness of the access to independently produced media, film and video through new digital technology. ALA is the oldest and largest library association in the world. Its mission is to foster cultural programming as an integral part of library service in all types of libraries.

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