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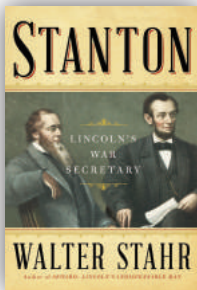
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invites you to attend the lecture and book signing

***Stanton: Lincoln's War Secretary***  
featuring Author Walter Stahr

*"A lively, lucid, and opinionated history . . . The book should be Stanton's definitive biography for some time to come."  
(Kirkus Reviews, starred review)*



*"...a welcome and significant addition to the ample literature on the Civil War and Reconstruction."  
(Ron Chernow, author of The New York Times Bestseller Alexander Hamilton)*

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Thursday, September 7, 2017

5 - 6 p.m. Program and Reception  
6 - 7 p.m. Book Signing

Center for American War Letters Archives  
Leatherby Libraries, Lower Level

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Free and open to the public. Limited seating.



**About the Author:** Walter Stahr is the author of biographies of John Jay, William Henry Seward, and Edwin Stanton. A former lawyer, he lives with his wife in Newport Beach, California.

**About the Book:** *Stanton: Lincoln's War Secretary* tells the story of Abraham Lincoln's indispensable Secretary of War, Edwin Stanton, the man the president entrusted with raising the army that preserved the Union. Walter Stahr's essential book is the first major biography of Stanton in fifty years, restoring this underexplored figure to his proper place in American history.



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