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armenian Genocide  
resolution

## Armenian National Committee of America

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS

To: Foreign Affairs Legislative Assistants  
From: Aram Hamparian, Executive Director  
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Re: **April 17th PBS broadcast of Armenian Genocide documentary**

Please mark April 17th on your calendar to watch “The Armenian Genocide,” a documentary on Turkey’s systematic murder of over 1.5 million Armenians from 1915-1923. The documentary is narrated by **Julianna Margulies** and includes historical narrations by **Ed Harris**, **Natalie Portman**, **Laura Linney** and **Orlando Bloom**, among others.



“What the word ‘Genocide’ connotes is a systematic campaign of destruction. If you simply call the horrors of 1915 ‘crimes against humanity’ or ‘atrocities,’ it doesn’t fully convey just how methodical this campaign of slaughter and deportation really was, and I think that’s why historians look at the record and they really can come to no other conclusion but that this word, Genocide, applies to this methodical campaign of destruction.”

-- Pulitzer Prize-winning author,  
Samantha Power

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