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**MINNESOTA CENTER FOR BOOK ARTS WELCOMES COLLABORATIVE  
EXHIBITION ON ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE PATIENTS AND CAREGIVERS**

(MINNEAPOLIS, MN) Minnesota Center for Book Arts welcomes *I'm Still Here: The Alzheimer's Journey*, a collaborative exhibition by photographer Laura Crosby and poet Alice Simpson. *I'm Still Here* represents a visual and verbal narrative relating to the lives of Alzheimer's patients and those who care for them. The exhibition will be on display in the Open Book lobby gallery (1<sup>st</sup> floor) and Cowles Literary Commons (2<sup>nd</sup> floor) through November 9, 2009.

Associated programming:

**Opening reception: Thursday, September 17; 6-9pm**

**Book Arts Roundtable: Tuesday, October 27; 7pm**

*I'm Still Here: A Collaboration*

Photographer Laura Crosby and poet Alice Simpson discuss the collaborative process used to create their suite of works on view in *I'm Still Here: The Alzheimer's Journey*.

**All exhibitions and associated events are free and open to the public.**

**MINNESOTA CENTER FOR BOOK ARTS BACKGROUND:** As the largest and most comprehensive center of its kind in the nation, Minnesota Center for Book Arts celebrates the book as a vibrant contemporary art form that takes many shapes. From the traditional crafts of papermaking, letterpress printing and hand bookbinding to experimental artmaking and self-publishing techniques, MCBA supports the limitless creative evolution of book arts through book arts workshops and programming adults, teens, youth, families and teachers. MCBA is located in the Open Book building in downtown Minneapolis alongside The Loft Literary Center and Milkweed Editions. For more, visit [www.mnbookarts.org](http://www.mnbookarts.org).

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