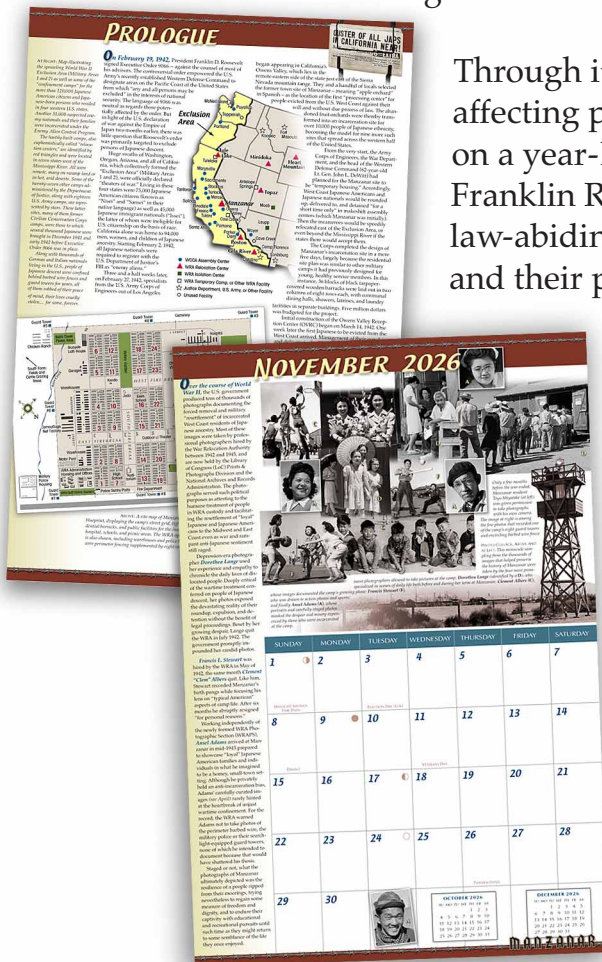


# Innovative 2026 Wall Calendar Tells the Story of Manzanar's WWII-era Incarceration Camp in Dramatic Words & Images

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MODESTO, CALIFORNIA, NOVEMBER 15, 2025 — First in a fascinating new series of *Historic Record Wall Calendars*,™ this thirteen-month Manzanar 2026 wall calendar, together with its Prologue and Epilogue, succinctly and dramatically recounts the collective experience of over 10,000 U.S. residents of Japanese ancestry who were exiled from their homes on the West Coast and parts of Arizona, then unjustly incarcerated at California's remote, high desert camp known as Manzanar.



Through its engaging narratives, fact-filled captions, and deeply affecting period photographs, buyers of the calendar will be taken on a year-long journey examining the tragedy of then-President Franklin Roosevelt's executive order that ripped over 126,000 law-abiding Japanese and Japanese Americans from their homes and their previous lives, simultaneously stripping them of their freedom, property, livelihoods, and human dignity... all without the due process of law that was their constitutional right.

Each calendar month focuses on a different aspect of camp life at Manzanar, as well as some of the coping mechanisms detainees employed to recover a sense of normalcy while living within its barbed wire confines. Calendar narratives and stunningly arrayed photographs (*see examples on these two pages*) portray Manzanar's men, women, and children at work and leisure, during their studies and at worship, attending choral rehearsals and dances, engaging in basketball practice and base-

ball tournaments, taking care of their health, relaxing with family or neighbors both outdoors and inside their cramped, tarpaper-clad barracks — in short, aspiring to the kind of lives enjoyed by people outside Manzanar.

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***Ideal for history buffs,  
teachers and students,  
or anyone else who  
wants to honor the past  
as it really happened.***

## Manzanar Historic Record Wall Calendar

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The calendar's Epilogue goes on to document the December 1944 Supreme Court decision declaring Roosevelt's executive order unconstitutional, while providing brief but welcome examples of former incarcerated picking up the pieces of their devastated lives as best they could, eventually leading to the Manzanar war relocation center being declared a National Historic Site.

*For more information about the Manzanar 2026 Historic Record Wall Calendar with Prologue and Epilogue — or to request a sample copy and wholesale price list for calendars to offer for sale at your location — please contact the publishers at either of the email addresses or telephone numbers, or by visiting the website, listed at the top of the previous page.*



## ABOUT THE CREATORS:

**AUTHOR** Norman Dean Haskett holds a PhD in History from UCLA. Since 2012 his website [The Daily Chronicles of World War II at WW2DAYS.COM](http://TheDailyChroniclesofWorldWarIIatWW2DAYS.COM) has covered myriad subjects related to the Second World War, among them the tragic and illegal confinement of U.S. residents of Japanese ancestry who lived on our West Coast at that time. Two visits to Manzanar National Historic Site in California inspired him to partner with his talented brother and create the first-of-its-kind Manzanar calendar.

**CALENDAR DESIGNER & EDITOR** Mark Haskett, similarly moved by his visits to Manzanar, is an accomplished graphic artist and musician, and an author of several non-fiction books and novels (see [IFMEDIA.ORG/IFBOOKS](http://IFMEDIA.ORG/IFBOOKS)). His skills as a layout artist are evident in his inventive arrangements of period photographs taken by such distinguished photographers as Dorothea Lange, Clement Albers, Francis Stewart, Ansel Adams, and Manzanar resident Toyo Miyatake.