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## **“The Woman in the Mirror: Reflections on Dementia”**

**The 2014-15 Margaret Clark Morgan Scholar**

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Join us to reflect on some of the primary issues surrounding dementia that baffle and frustrate caregivers both at home and in the field. We'll talk about why we have to find the mirror to talk to that woman... and discuss the brain damage that causes one's own reflection to become suspect. We'll shine a light on the frequency of misdiagnosis and point out how little is known about the conditions that affect millions of people across the country and around the world. Misunderstanding and jumping to conclusions are natural reactions to the dementia dilemma, but we'll rise above the confusion and take a look at the 10 most common behaviors associated with cognitive loss. For those facing challenging behaviors associated with dementing disorders, these insights will dispel some common myths and help caregivers to create a more positive interpersonal dynamic with the cognitively impaired.



**Monday, February 23, 2015  
Kennedy Center Ballroom  
Hiram College  
6:30 p.m.**

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