



*"It is the Spirit
that unites us."*

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Spirit Is Our River™

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The Healing Power of Changing Energy

Wayshowers "lead by example." WCF & PCCI leader **Doug Howard** recently attended the 2016 International Regrouping and shares his practical experiences as a wayshower.

At the recent 2016 International Regrouping in Hollywood, FL, I was anointed as an Elder in PCCI. It reminded me of my inner desire to improve the world and the importance of recognizing all the many healing experiences I have each day.

I live in a housing development of adults only, and have missed the cheerful energy of having youth around me. I used to grumble to myself that since many were older adults, they were set in their ways, faced with health issues, and I was stuck with less vitality all around.

Eventually I recognized the obvious fact that grumbling about something is not doing anything about it. So I turned my grumble into a goal: "I wish I could improve the lot of everyone around me so we would all be happier."

First, I had to realize that the outer pace of life here is slow, but relaxed. Cars must drive at only 10 mph on the streets inside the gates, and we all drive by many people going out for exercise, walking their dogs, walking to the mailboxes, etc. I'm usually in a hurry and hate to slow down.

One day I just decided to wave and give a big smile to everyone I passed while driving at 10

mph. They all smiled and waved back! Wow! I thought I might be on to something. So I did this every day for a week.

In the next few days I began to notice that others I didn't even know were quick to smile and wave at me. Then I noticed that other people in cars were all smiling and waving at everyone walking or driving. Even people walking with canes were quick to stop and wave at every car, bicycle and golf cart passing by. I could feel the cheerfulness and sense of community that these happy greetings were building. Today everyone

waves and smiles at cars and each other as if they had been doing it forever.

I thank the heavens above for giving me inspiration to create a joy that others have made their own. The property managers like

the new improved sense of community that seems to

be flowing each day, and I know that visitors and prospective residents will see a place that they would want to be a part of.

I remember that I first learned about "changing the energy" in weekly IPM group meetings where we practiced a technique

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Florida Sky at the 2016 IR

Photo credit—Ginger Garvey

"be a positive influence in the world"

This edition of Spirit Is Our River features articles, sharings and photos from leaders and participants of WCF, IPMI and PCCI. These three spiritual, non-profit organizations were founded for the purpose of helping back people with our message of spiritual freedom. It is the Spirit that unites us!

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WAYSHOWERS COMMUNITY FELLOWSHIP

WCF President's Message



Dr. Susan Kellogg

The year 2016 is unfolding more "Joyful Manifestation" in many ways. One truly enjoyable and healing event you can offer in your community is a WCF Healing Fellowship.

WCF Fellowships are meant to be creative and inspiring. One way to expand the "building bridges between all spiritual traditions of planet earth" is to share inspiration and a healing technique related to the Spiritual Tradition of the month (or one selected by the local team).

People love to sing songs from around the world. We often include, "Vive La Compagnie," "It's A Small World," "It's Love...That Makes the World Go Round," for example. When those "old souls in younger bodies attend," we will do some active songs, like "Hokey Pokey" or Operation Action Youth Program favorites like "The Rainbow Song."

Bringing people together in a loving, unified, fun, community circle has many benefits. It offers opportunity for people to relax and be in their feelings, to share the spirit of love and healing with their family members, to "break bread" together if the fellowship includes a Pot Luck meal.

A WCF Fellowship is a way to introduce new searchers to your spiritual programs and services. You can let people know of your upcoming lectures, workshops, courses, Trance Healing Tables, etc.

WCF members have sponsored many creative avenues for bringing people together. Estelle Small organized an English "High Tea" as part of a WCF Fellowship. New Yorkers have enjoyed monthly "New Moon Healing Fellowships." A New Jersey team of leaders celebrate key holidays like Halloween and Christmas with family-friendly WCF Fellowships.

Energizing our outreach & outflow is key this year.

WCF has an expanded Mission and Vision to support you the leader, the wayshower, and to back you to let your true voice be heard by your apprentices and the world around you.

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There are teams gathering to help with the website, to launch quarterly teleconference calls, to spearhead our annual Operation Action Youth Program Fundraising. We welcome your creative ideas and action.

"It's us, it's us, it's us that makes the world go round." ♫

Dr. Susan Kellogg, Lyndhurst, NJ



(L to R) Melissa Kitto, Angela Miaoulis, Patrick Kilhenny, Sophia Miaoulis, Estelle Small, Susan Kellogg and Rasa Shook enjoy pre-dinner snacks at the WCF Mardi Gras Fellowship.

WCF Bridges Create a Feeling of Belonging

Wayshowers Community Fellowship sponsored a fun, informative and enlightening Mardi Gras Dinner and Fellowship held on the evening of Fat Tuesday during the 2016 International Regrouping in Hollywood, FL. One part of the fellowship was to find someone in the circle and share briefly. I shared with 13 year-old James Miaoulis from NJ, one of number of Operation Action (OA) "old souls" at the IR (ranging from 2 -13 years old).

I was amazed at the desire our youth to be part of the energy. Honestly, how many 13 year olds feel comfortable being part of a primarily "adult" group and sharing freely? Just goes to show that oneness, openness and self-respect fit everywhere.

Later, we divided into smaller groups and experienced the technique "Energy Elevator". One of the participants in my group was 8 yr. old Sophia Miaoulis. Everyone was lifted off the chair. Directed energy and teamwork is powerful; age and size is not a factor.

After everyone in the group had been lifted off the chair, 4-year old Gabriel Shook from Canada decided to join our group. After watching, he approached the group, sat on the chair and asked to be lifted. Creativity, fun and fellowship are all part of a delightful energy exchange.

It's easy to put together a Wayshowers Community Fellowship in your area. Be creative, experience a technique or two, include families, sing songs, make your own music, have a pot luck afterwards. Feel and express your Wayshower energy.

It is the Spirit that unites us.

Carolyn Clarke, Virginia Beach, VA

For Guidelines for WCF Fellowship, go to www.wcfworld.org

What is a Wayshower to Me?



Alma Phillips

Being a Wayshower is a huge stage upon which we can take so many roles. I feel it is personal to our energy and life thrust. While someone is the expression of love, another may be dressed as purpose. We are all representatives of the multi-faceted thing grouped under God, the All, the Light.

I feel the key factor in being a wayshower is allowing others to be their own reflection of the life force. Finding where they fit and knowing that their path is not my path. We all have an eternal past of lessons and experiences that combine to bring a unique expression of life and affinities. I don't seek to copy another, or create my duplicate, but to give direction, backing and encouragement to those finding their own way.

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Discovering myself and becoming the real me is essential to being a wayshower. When my essence is in need, others come to me seeking my vibration, just as I in turn seek out those who have unfolded the core vibration of which I have a need to experience or observe. The clearer our vibration, the more easily we can be tools of personal growth as others recognize our strengths and talents in the appropriate space and time. I am reminded as I write this that there is no right or wrong in being a wayshower. Even Cain, in the biblical story of Cain and Abel, was a good example. Being real, the perfect spirits we are, and living our lives with all of its implied ups and downs, is being a Wayshower.

Alma Phillips, Las Vegas NV

More Mardi Gras Fun!



Bob Katzin, Kathleen Ellis and Dawn Overstreet join chef at the WCF Mardi Gras Fellowship.

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Wayshowers of all ages unite at the 2016 International Regrouping (L to R) Tiger Coll, Angela Miaoulis, Avery Allaire, Melissa Kitto, Dorinda Fox and April Azzolino.

AS Course 760 Sharing

It is so refreshing and rewarding to work with loved and trusted friends as colleagues and comrades in the fulfilling mission of the ALC Department of Astro-Soul. I feel so much clearer after the **760 Searching Within and Beyond Astro Soul Groups** training I experienced in Lyndhurst, NJ.

Through Course 760, I have experienced the positive and balanced effect of Astro-Soul concepts and techniques upon my capacity for service and success as the leader of myself! Personally, this group work experience is helping me to unfold my Gift of Prophecy with deepening understanding and discernment, providing me with foundational building blocks upon which to grow in skill and facility.

In contrast to other approaches to practice and training I've tried, Astro-Soul groups are more purposeful and effective. I am looking forward to our monthly sessions where we have an opportunity to practice and also be of spiritual service to our community.

Joe Shane, Sparta, NJ



760 course participants in NJ: (L to R) Joe Shane, Susan Kellogg, Gina Lugo, James Miaoulis, Teri Grayner, Angela Miaoulis and Julia Maria Britez. (Also: Paul Kellogg)

Wayshower of the Year

Meet Richard Lassiter, one of three leaders honored by the WCF Board of Directors as a 2015 Wayshower of the Year. Serving as President of IPMI for the past three years, Richard has been providing leadership and support for journeymen around the world, helping with technology and inspiration to share our message of spiritual freedom.

A compact definition of a Wayshower might be – “Someone who knows the way, goes the way, and shows the way.” What does this mean to you in terms of how you are living your life?

RL: *To me being a Wayshower means doing what I say I will do and what I suggest that others do. I do not suggest that people do anything that I am not doing myself. I am an administrator type and I enjoy creating systems. I do stay active and involved. I only pass things along that I am enthusiastic about and get excited about. I find it hypocritical to suggest that people do something that I am not doing.*

What is your spiritual thrust this lifetime? “I am the freedom lover.”

What have you learned about spiritual freedom and how can you be a messenger of that in your everyday life?

RL: *Spiritual freedom is being willing to see my self-imposed limitations and then taking steps to heal them. It is freeing myself from concepts and attitudes that limit the flow of love through me and to the world. Spiritual freedom means having the self-respect to look at things that are not working for me and being willing to change them. One of the greatest things I learned recently was about Minding My Own Business. That means to me, how am I feeling inside and what am I learning. My business is not to become defensive but to see what I am learning from the experience. This means watching that I am growing spiritually. It does not have to do with how I earn my abundance or how I work with others. It is a personal growth process. I constantly take steps to improve and not take things personally. This has given me a new level of freedom.*

When you are really fulfilling your purpose and LIVING it – what does it mean to you, what does it feel like, what does it look like, what do you know and trust about yourself and your opportunity?

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A family on the move — Richard, Liam and Melissa love to be in action.



RL: *When I am really on my pivot point, I have no feeling of identity, it is just a soul being feeling. I have no past and I have no future and I am just feeling. I can guarantee that I feel that way when I am giving any Introductory Program. Any time I am sharing with people, I feel this way.*

I feel that this new Spiritual Development College website, www.spiritualdevelopmentcollege.com, can really help people living their purpose. I also feel my purpose when I share about this teamwork site and when I work on the site as an administrator. It is me in the action of being myself and sharing from my heart in the now. I feel this way when I am doing design work for Alley, when I am doing a lecture, when I am playing with children. I feel fulfilled a lot these days. I find that when I ask myself, “How can I be of service,” fulfillment and solutions come naturally.

How does being involved in teamwork with other spiritual leaders /journeymen/ group members, etc. help you with your spiritual growth, accomplishment and fulfillment?

RL: *I have learned patience, valuing other people's experiences, and I have learned that there is no greater or lesser. We all have strengths and talents and with working with a team, my strengths and talents become clear and I learn to recognize other people's strengths. With teamwork, it is easier to do more with less effort. My fulfillment is working with a system that brings out the best in everyone. I lead a group the other night and I recognized that I really do not have to do anything but be obedient to the system. When I do that, the results are so amazing as spirit does the work. When I train someone, I train them to follow the system and they can relax because spirit will do the rest.*

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As a Wayshower, what are a few highlights from 2015:

RL: *I made a conscious decision a couple years ago to share as many of my skills and as much of my knowledge as I can with others. I am enjoying the results and the teamwork this attitude of service has added to my life.*

My family gives me my greatest backing and my greatest opportunity to grow. I have four children spanning 4 generations and two teen-age granddaughters. Everyone in my family knows their gifts and thrust and we see each other as growing souls.

I have learned to respect the freedom and wisdom of the people who have given me the high honor of being their father and husband. But my greatest teacher is Melissa. She is smarter than I am and she has gently pushed me to outgrow many of my not-so-good habits and to get out of my comfort zone and to experience life in ways I would not have otherwise have done.

Interview by Kathleen Ellis

Cycle One Soars!

A growing team of Cycle One leaders! We had a full-on OA schedule at the 2016 IR, with adults taking turns backing these "old soul" wayshowers. Fingerpainting, swimming, music, games, books and running the OA store were among the many opportunities inspiring fun and lots of personal healing for all.



Above: Tiger and Aliyah Coll prepare dinner.

Below: Liam Lassiter, Gabriel and Arial Shook



Above: Avery Allaire channels her inner art .



Right: Avery and Liam are truly at home in the water.



Living Life With Spirit and Adventure

Robert Conrad trained with Dr. Francisco Coll, and provided his unique knowledge and backing to many of our spiritual programs, including being a D-Healer with the Astro Soul Program. A creative, fun-loving Prophetic, he now lives in Osceola, IA and continues his adventures with Spirit.



Robert Conrad (back L) joins other WCF Members & guests at the 2015 WCF Board of Directors Meeting in Osceola, IA.

My life has been filled with spiritual adventure. In the 1950's and early 1960's, my family was self-reliant and adventure-some on a practical budget. We had built our own house in the 1940's, also a mountain lake cabin, and a mountain road to bring in tools and materials. We then built the first of two boats in our living room, in order to get to the cabin quicker and safer by water. Later we built apartments my father designed, without any mortgage.

The motive for the cabin included backing my part Native American step brother, who was a master fisherman and trapper. In 4 years, he was in medical school and we did not need the cabin or the boats, but my step brother kept fishing for fish and pretty women.

"My family was self-reliant and adventuresome."

My step-mother had a (Lincoln-like) dream that someone had died and there was great sadness everywhere. Two weeks later, my step brother was seriously injured driving back from one of his favorite fishing trips. He stayed in a coma for several weeks, and then passed on. He was intensely competitive, and I was just getting close to him.

It took me many years after high school and college (and several indepth Astro Soul 2001 profiles) to regroup and heal my relationship with both my step-brother and my step-mother, who knew me in multiple lifetimes. I filled my extra time with an after school job, physics, rocketry, metaphysics, psychology, and aviation to discern or forget the past.

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The Inner Peace Movement inspires the “Leaders of Leaders” to share their spiritual wisdom and help others to do the same. IPM Programs were built around the world through thousands of leaders who have shared the message of spiritual freedom in 40+ countries.

Ambition — a Dream with a V-8 Engine



Dawn Overstreet

How much ambition do you have when it comes to your personal evolution? Is it powered with the best fuel to insure there is actual accomplishment and fulfillment? Webster's dictionary defines ambition as “*a strong desire to do or to achieve something, typically requiring determination and hard work*”.

Considering going to Summer Camp this year? Congratulations! Now, why are you going? Are there goals associated with your decision and will the decision you made take care of accomplishing the goal (s) you have? I have found it essential to have an intention behind the decision.

It may simply be that you feel good going to camp or perhaps you are doing program in your home town or city and you feel the need to refresh your tools. Maybe you have been wondering about this Astro Soul and New Spiritual Horizons energy that is going on and how it can add to your skills and reach people with a deeper message. Again, you may need a personal regrouping just to make sure that your spiritual insurance policy is still in effect.

Clearly define what you want to accomplish. That is what ambition is all about, knowing what you want, insuring you have gone through the process of defining the steps that will make it happen. This is when you sense the true balance of direction and motivation working together. This is the V-8 engine in action.

When I get any type of personality involved in the decisions I make or get caught up in likes or dislikes, I usually miss out on a legacy of courses and programs that will and continue to help me be a V-8 engine naturally, and keep me focused on what I am here to do.

Investing in your spiritual growth is about you. It is about seriously thinking about what will help you now in your own learning curve, your own evolution. It has nothing to do with others. That is just the icing on the cake to come to camp (or a course, retreat, etc.) and learn from and fellowship with amazing folks. If you have never come to camp, I guarantee you will find it an environment where you will want to experience again.

Dawn Overstreet, Atlanta, GA

What Summer Camp 2015 Did for Me

Going to summer camp in Iowa gave me the opportunity to leave my busy world behind in Colorado to work on my spiritual growth and development with other like-minded people. I got to practice Mastering my Energy, being truly authentic and working on living a balanced spiritual life, here on Earth.

Camp is a safe haven where I can relax, focus and learn more about inner authority, inner security, and practical ways and techniques to expand my 4 gifts for better communication with my Guidance, as well as with other people. I can use my tools at home or anywhere at any time. Plus getting Spiritual Guidance from my own guides is the best source, best counsel I could get.

I have learned to communicate more effectively with people of different gift orders or opposite gift orders. My last gift is Prophecy and my teenage daughter is a Prophetic. So I have to remember at times that she really does “know” everything – and in advance. My son is a Feeler and I have learned how to be more sensitive when talking to him, about anything.



Debbie Guilbeau

This year I practiced sharing and speaking up front. I did forget what I was saying at times, I misspoke at times without making my true point, and I spoke without thinking things all the way through. But when I sat down, I thought, I have to make mistakes to learn and here really is the best place. I made peace with my internal critics at camp - and now, I can laugh it off much easier.

When I leave camp, I have always felt uplifted and part of something bigger than myself – a “One-With-All” feeling. I am more relaxed, calm, and unfolding more inner authority.

I feel empowered and ready for the next phase of life, living from a deeper level of understanding. I am navigating my life with more self-confidence, thought, discipline, and peace.

Most importantly, camp is Fun! Sign up and prepare to grow. Take one more step on the path on your journey of soul experience, awareness and evolution.

Debbie Guilbeau, Durango CO

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In 1960, I graduated from High School and won a U.S. and Swedish Air Force-sponsored technology, aviation and good will exchange trip to Sweden, Norway, and Germany. The first hours off the plane in Stockholm changed my state of consciousness for life. Just making the decision to go energized my Personal and Spiritual thrust, and there was an explosion of light from my inner team and extra helpers. This was years before I fully understood the spiritual importance of me being whole-hog to win this trip, and become more independent from my family.

In 1962, I organized a 5-6 week trip to go to the World's Fair in Seattle from Alabama. The trip included the western Rocky Mountains, Yellowstone Park, Vancouver Island and British Columbia. I went with my high school friend Donald Gregg, who flew back from Korea and Japan to be available for the adventure. No one thought it was feasible or safe, but it was a great trip. I realize now that this was one of many ways I was "*Giving Opportunity*" which was the thrust of Dr. Francisco Coll, long before my introduction to IPM or ALC.

"The universe and spirit had a bigger picture."

Spiritually, possibly the most important trip was my decision to move to Palo Alto or Monterey Bay in September 1963, after I graduated from college. The South and Birmingham were full of riots and hostility turned to deaths. Few wanted me to go. In a few weeks, a mystical fraternity brother and I arrived in San Diego and Los Angeles. We stayed at USC in a fraternity house, and soon I lived in the hills above Hollywood with a great view.

Both my acceptance and intuitive gift were much keener than when I was in college. The second week I was in Hollywood, my still, small voice suggested I walk downtown, and I found myself sharing on the Steve Allen Show. Steve was one of the pioneers of late night TV. I had the opportunity to speak for only 5-6 minutes,



Skit Night at Summer Camp in Osceola is never the same without Robert, who joins Melissa Kitto and Richard Lassiter.

but this was national television. I had a great job, and was planning to go into intelligence work after several years, but the universe and spirit had a bigger picture. Just before Thanksgiving Day, President Kennedy was assassinated and President Johnson lowered the draft age, which pushed me to change all my plans.

On my last trip through Monterey Bay before entering the service, Spirit told me that in the future I would need to spend a lot of time in the Redwood-covered hills near San Francisco. The date was February 24, 1964, less than five weeks after the founding of the Inner Peace Movement in Washington DC.

In 1977, I first visited the Western Conference Center in Freedom, CA which became a pivot for my spiritual growth for many years. Dr. Coll was amazed when I told him the complete story. He said he was not even thinking of anything as a camp at that time except Mount Shasta hundreds of miles away.

Robert Conrad, Osceola IA

Angels, You and the Universe

I returned from the International Regrouping with a joy-filled heart and a desire to share. Prior to the IR, I had set up a Man & the Universe lecture to be held in Albuquerque the week I got back. I had advertised the program via Meetup. Normally, there have been one or two individuals attracted with such little promotion, but this time I shared two days ahead of time how much I had gained from the IR in a message to Meetup members. Eleven people came to the lecture!

Having 11 participants show up felt like a message from my helpers. Eleven is a number for higher energy and inspiration. I felt totally backed by Spirit and relaxed during the presentation; I loved sharing with a group of souls on a similar wavelength.

The title I used was **Angels, You and the Universe**, which communicates a personal relationship to the universe, a theme that inspires me, and a focus on angels that appears to inspire others.

The fact that everything I do is done for me came home again, because of the high energy and inspiration I received. Each time I step out and share an M&U lecture I gain so much. It is a sacred and joyful honor to have the tools to share with others these facts of spiritual life on planet earth; and to inspire others to go further in their understanding and expression of their own life purpose.



Dorinda Fox, Placitas, NM



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PEACE COMMUNITY CHURCH INTERNATIONAL

PCCI President's Message



Dr. Dorinda Fox-Rentz

Peace Community Church International is blossoming like the new growth of Spring! PCCI Executive Leadership teams have been refining the website, designing a new brochure, planning a week-long retreat for the upcoming Summer Camp in Iowa, and spreading seeds for attracting new members and affiliates.

If you have not visited the website recently, you will enjoy going there. Log in to www.pcciworld.org for colorful and inspiring content as well as useful info and forms for anyone interested in our "church without walls." Your input is welcome also.

Look for quarterly PCCI World Meditations beginning May 1, a day to tune into Spirit's blessings and your Inner Being via a personal 15-minute guided meditation which is in the production stages now.

New brochures will be available during Spring-time regrouping weekends and Summer Camp as well as for purchase on the website.

PCCI co-sponsored the February International Regrouping in Florida with the Biblical message, "**If your eye is single, your whole body will be full of light.**" Manifesting the clear vision of my purpose and service to self and others was the joyful subject of many techniques and sharing with others.

During the retreat, PCCI held an inspiring Anointing Circle including memories and love feasts for two spiritual leaders who recently passed into spirit, **Virginia Hamilton** and **Daniel Self;** and the anointing of **Sondra Kellogg** as a **Licensed Teacher** and **Douglas Howard** as an Elder.

Doctorates of Divinity were bestowed during the Anointing circle in Florida to **Richard Lassiter** (U.S. /New Zealand); and to **Richard Patrick Kilhenny** (Canada, Ireland and the U.S.) These two Ordained Ministers and Masters have made outstanding contributions in the field of spiritual service, giving opportunity to others and spreading the message of Spirit around the world. Look for upcoming articles and interviews featuring Richard and Patrick.

What does your heart want to sing this Spring? The love and angelic backing of PCCI can support your personal journey with opportunities for participation and leadership.

With a song in my heart!

Dorinda Fox

PCCI President, Bishop

"What does your heart want to sing this Spring?"



Dorinda Fox joins Esther Karhu, Judy Katzin and Kathleen Ellis in a delightful sidewalk lunch during the 2016 FL IR.

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called **Positive Punch**. I learned that I could change and improve my energy, my feelings, and my attitude. Now I know I can still make it practical and even change my world as well.

As a child, I searched and never did find a magic wand to wave that would heal everything. I did find a way to get on the path to being a healing Influence in my world.

I chose to become a Licensed Student, then a Licensed Teacher with Peace Community Church. While starting on this path, at first I didn't understand why I seemed to notice car wrecks, ambulances, house fires and the like.

I found it disturbing there were so many unpleasant things in the world. I have began to realize more of what it means to have the attitude and the perspective of a Healer. It is no longer just a concept or idea. Now I am more aware of my everyday experiences. I know I am on that path after all.

As a spiritual leader and wayshower, I came here **not** be influenced by the pressures of the world around me, but **to be an influence in the world** with my positive energy – a Leader. This is one way I live that purpose.

Douglas Howard, Portland OR



The Feeling of the 2016 International Regrouping

I spent my last morning in Florida alone on the beach at sunrise. Over the time I stood there, taking in the changing sky, I took the time to breathe and love. I felt an overwhelming love for the world I'm part of.

The sky - how awesome the sky can be in its transformation - the sky, so permanent, yet so mercurial as it shifts with the sun and weather...

The ocean - the rhythmic pattern of the waves, the constant ebb and flow, and the idea that the ocean is home to so many life forms...

The life forms I could see and hear - the birds, the trees, other living things big and small...



Florida Sunrise

The totality of the world, with all its pieces that come together to form a perfect environment for me - to live in - to grow in - and to love...

2016 IR participants Dawn Overstreet and Ginger Garvey enjoy a D-Zone fellowship on a special "regrouping couch."

I could feel my heart expand, my energy clear and focused.

Alone on the beach, alone, but part of everything and everyone. Love, I am love.

Sometimes - in a perfect sunrise moment - I realize and focus on that perfect truth.

Ginger Garvey, Richmond, VA



A Monthly Service of PCCI: Universal Fellowship

Every month on the **third Sunday at 8 pm ET** we have a wonderful opportunity to unite in a worldwide PCCI Fellowship via teleconference. Meditation, Healing, Regrouping, Sharing are all aspects of this monthly inspiring gathering from our "Church without Walls."

Each month, this 45 minute session is led by a team of PCCI Affiliates; and every Fellowship is unique. Invite your friends and join in!

**The number to call: 712-432-0140
followed by the code: 167201#.**



PCCI World Day of Meditation Join us on May 1!

Mark your calendar for a new event presented by Peace Community Church International.

A Quarterly **World Day of Meditation on Love, Unity Consciousness and the Power within You.**

In this 15-minute guided meditation, you will experience inspiration, personal regrouping, healing and much angelic backing.

To access the meditation on May 1, go to www.PCCIworld.org.



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The Feeling of Spiritual Freedom

When have you not had a spiritual experience? To me, spiritual means the essence of my being. The spirit within me reaffirms the life force with every breath I take. My consciousness is expressed in every thought I have.

I am often asked to explain my perspective on our existence on earth. The best words I can find to describe my understanding is in this picture. The All, God, Light, One exploded into unmeasurable parts, each having the essence of the Whole, yet each unique. I am, as you are, one of those specks. I am completely of the One, however never exactly the same as another. In this manner, I can be God expressed and experienced on the earth.

The spiritual life differs from the religious life in that there are no rules; all options exist. Nothing falls inside or outside of spirit. Nothing is allowed or disallowed, as all things have been created by the One.

Being spiritual to me isn't being kind, generous and loving, but a living of each moment in discovery of myself.



I realize the things I would like to nurture and expand within me. I stumble across things I would like to release and leave beside the path I've traveled, their weight becoming cumbersome and having no purpose on the road ahead. I find treasures in new ideas that I design to incorporate into my aura.

Life on earth is a creative exercise, where we receive a skeleton of a body, mind and spirit and we spend our whole lives designing and redesigning it as we desire. Relax, each of us is the creator within, given free will, creative imagination and love to be all we can dream to be. **Namaste.**

Alma Phillips, Las Vegas, NV

Creed of Peace Community Church International

Peace Community Church International is a fellowship of people who believe in the reality of universal love and who strive to walk by inner spiritual guidance

We believe:

We are one with All; there is no separation.

Life is eternal; there is no death.

We are souls in physical bodies – eternal spiritual beings who are on earth to learn specific lessons, evolve to a higher state of consciousness; and become masters of our energy.

We live in two worlds at one time, the spiritual world and the physical world.

Our feeling part is a reflection of the soul, and our intellectual nature is a tool for each of us to use while on Planet Earth.

We are Love. Peace is within.



We believe in:

Angels, messengers of God, experienced through Inner Guidance, a source of insight and wisdom; the power of prayer, healing and the laying on of hands;

The potential of humankind to live in harmony, as a family of unconditional love, based on mutual reverence and the respect to live and let live;

Living the Ten Spiritual Commandments:

Sincerity, Loyalty, Self-respect, Kindness, Reverence, Immortality, Magnanimity, Generosity, Genuineness, and Contentment – for and within ourselves first -- then towards others.

We believe that:

Spiritual gifts, inspiration and creativity are in each of us;

We communicate beyond the physical senses through the Four Spiritual Gifts - Prophecy, Vision, Intuition and Feeling.

Each person has a unique purpose, and inner spiritual communication is the key to unfolding it.

We create our reality through both our conscious and unconscious awareness.

We have the power to transform our lives through such examples as the great prophets and spiritual teachers of the world.

The true self is good, kind, loving, and sharing.

Higher Power (the Source, Holy Spirit) is expressed in personal feelings of oneness, joy, strength and peace, as well as, thoughts and acts of love and acceptance.



WCF & PCCI Spirit Call—A Watering Hole

Every Friday evening (9:30 pm EST) the Spirit Call connects people around the world for 15-20 minutes of inspiration and healing. This worldwide conference carries the energy of Spirit Is Our River. It is a feeling of uniting, uplifting and inspiring people by tuning into spiritual guidance and the healing energy of D-Zone. [Call 712\) 432-0140 Pin 167201#](#)



New life comes to me as I routinely make the Weekly Spirit Is Our River conference Call. It is a watering hole for my spiritual development.

After the rain comes sun again, in a circle of love in the river of spirit. And flowers show up in my garden as I make my experience practical in my everyday life.

Bridget Griffiths, Australia



“Every Day A Friday”

Enjoy some Inspiration and Wisdom from Joel Olsteen, a minister who has gained a worldwide following with his positive approach to spirituality. Here are some of his quotes from one of his best sellers — “Every Day A Friday.”

- “Faith is always in the present.”
- “Guilt is a dead-end street.”
- “Guilt will steal your joy. Don’t be a beggar; be a believer.”
- “Live a no-excuses life.”
- “There is a difference in God’s voice and the accusing voice.”
- “You don’t have to be perfect for God to use you. Take the hand you’ve been dealt with and make the very most of it.”
- “Give God time to turn your liabilities into assets.”

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State and Regional Workshops/Retreats

IPMI is sponsoring State Workshops in April and Regional Retreats in June. State Workshops are designed to pull the leaders and clients from a state area together and Regional are designed to pull the regional participants together. Both events need a two or more team to plan, preferably at least three: an administrator, a promotion person, and a registrar. Booklets are available on these step-by-step process for holding these events in your states and region.

State Retreat Event: ALC 557: Leadership with Pizazz (or The Pizazz of Purpose)

This is a two day course. Prerequisite: 1001 Profile. Fee: \$75 (discount of regular price of \$88). Since this is a IPMI event, slides are rented from ALC and there is no certification, however those who participate in leadership and directing this course will share in proceeds after expenses. This is a major regrouping of your life and purpose course and has a lot of techniques and in depth healing in it.

Regional Retreat Event: ALC 4030 Teamwork, A Total Commitment of Concern

This is a two day course. Pre-requisite: 1001 Profile. Fee: \$75. This is an IPMI sponsored event with slides being rented from ALC and certification not provided but those that participate in leadership and directing this course will also share in proceeds after expenses. This course works with the fulfillment of being of service, consistency of teamwork and follow-through, and a closer look at your attitudes of what you came here to do. Recommended: have a 3-Man team to spearhead this event.

Spirit Is Our River™

Operation Action – Complete Satisfaction!



Mariella Jackson, Sofia Jackson, Austin Green and James Miaoulis
— dynamic leaders in the Summer 2015 OA Program.

Wayshowers Community Fellowship has for years, sponsored our **Operation Action Youth** program, encouraged fundraising in the community, and granted scholarships to deserving youth to attend our camps. We don't want to stop now!

WCF's goal, to the end of June this year, is to **raise \$3,000** towards this year's summer program. You can be part of it. There are several ways to provide "service" and turn that into a **fund-raising event**:

- 1) Put out a jar in your home, and when you go to the grocery store or shopping, drop leftover change into that jar.
- 2) Set a jar out at your WCF Fellowships and invite people to fill it!
- 3) How about sponsoring a brunch, spring picnic or dinner? A team can plan a theme, prepare or have it catered and charge an amount for adults and children over 12. A Mardi Gras Dinner and Fellowship was held with awesome results.

There is always room for your creative ideas. Bet even the OAers in your area could come up with some ideas that would be fun!

On the WCF website at www.wcfworld.org, there is a link to the OA Donation fundraising.

Won't you put up a jar, declare a goal and help WCF continue the building of the OA program? One fundraising event can make the difference in supporting the spiritual growth of our youth. You will be living the OA motto, "**I'm an OAer, a doer of Action!**"



Paul Kellogg coaches Austin Green in driving the camp tractor — a favorite activity of the OAers at Summer Camp.

"It is the spirit that unites us."

Join Wayshowers Community Fellowship!

Corporate Membership \$50

Youth Membership (up to age 21) \$25

Sage (63+) & Disabled Membership \$25

Membership includes opportunity to host Weekly Spirit Call, receive and direct healing for self and others, share spiritual backing and sponsorship, receive special discounts on WCF Creative Retreats and four issues of *Spirit Is Our River*. Email president@wayshowerscommunityfellowship.org

WCF & PCCI Team Up On Spirit Call



WCF and PCCI are teaming up to share the worldwide weekly Spirit Call happening every Friday evening, 9:30pm EST. WCF sponsors the call on 1st and 3rd Fridays. PCCI is the host on the 2nd and 4th Fridays. Enjoy the unique energy of the WCF master souls and the PCCI angels that back each call, plus the unique meditation and healing techniques. PCCI affiliates and WCF members can be a Host and Co-Host on each call.

More info: www.wcfworld.org or www.pcciworld.org

Call: (712) 432-0140 Pin 167201#

WCF Healing Teleconference Calls

Enjoy the special creative energy of WCF in a quarterly teleconference. Share in-depth healing techniques to refresh and uplift yourself and others. Have outflow that keeps you tuned up and tuned in to Spirit and your team of inner guidance. Join the team as part of the leadership.

Earth Day - Friday 4/22 at 8:30 pm EDT

Summer Solstice - Monday 6/20 9 pm EDT

Call (712) 432-0140 Pin 167201#

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