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89TH ANNUAL CONGRESS
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Dear Friend,

We joyously look forward to having the energy of your presence with us for our 89th Annual Congress in the Washington, D.C. area July 18-23.

As always, we are extremely proud of our ballroom and workshop programming in which we have brought together dynamic and inspirational speakers, writers, musicians and volunteers to reach right into your heart and soul impelling you to further spiritual flight. A fantastic inventory of books, cds, tapes, and other materials will be available for purchase in the book sales area. Additional features of the Congress include the Youth Congress, Gala Banquet honoring our Humanitarian Award Recipient, presentation of the Lifetime Achievement Award, District Presidents' Tea, Life Members' Reception and the Life Archives Stewards' Luncheon.

Since 1914 the INTA Annual Congresses have brought together the great leaders of New Thought in the world, including representatives from Unity School, United Religious Science, Religious Science International, Divine Science, Association of Unity Churches, Universal Foundation for Better Living, Center for Spiritual Awareness, Unity Progressive Council, Association of Global New Thought, New Thought Network, University of Healing, as well as noted individuals who are making major contributions to the betterment of the family of humanity in the spirit of New Thought.

The Executive Board of the International New Thought Alliance and our Congress Co-Chairpersons join me in not only inviting you to be with us for this tremendous Congress, but thanking you in advance for the power of your presence lending to the future upliftment of each one present.

Also, we are grateful to our Sponsors for their financial support in assuring that this Congress will be the best ever!

Blaine C. Mays
President

AN EXPRESSION OF GRATITUDE

We couldn't do it without the support and help of those who donate their time, talent, physical and spiritual efforts to help insure the success of the Congress. We extend a special thanks to the 100 or so program participants who pay all their own expenses to attend the Congress and more than 150 volunteers working behind the scenes who donate hours, days, weeks and, in some cases, months in contributing to the strength of this Congress.

INTA EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBERS & STAFF:

Dr. Blaine C. Mays, Pres.; Dr. Deb Whitehouse, 1st Vice Pres.; Rev. Larry Swartz, 2nd Vice Pres.; Roy Eugene Davis, Treasurer; Dr. C. Alan Anderson, Russell Brumfield, Rev. Leddy Hammock, Rev. Anne Kunath, Rev. Cynthia Lippert, Rev. Wm. M. Spence, Dr. Mary Tumpkin, Board Members; Dr. Mimi C. Ronnie, Ch. Oper. Officer; Rev. Nancy Lee Bell, Congress Prog. Coord.

CONGRESS ACTIVITIES

Opening Session - Sunday, 7:00 p.m. (Presented on a Love Offering Basis) - Featured speakers will establish the exciting ambiance for the Congress.

Morning Programs - Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Two or three dynamic speakers are featured daily.

Afternoon Workshops - Two major 3-hour workshops are presented each afternoon from 1:00-4:00 p.m. with 3 presenters in each workshop.

Evening Programs - Sunday through Wednesday, 7:00 to 9:30 p.m. are presented on a love offering basis, with two featured speakers each evening.

Gala Celebration/Banquet & Program - Thursday, 6:00 to 10:00 p.m. - No-host cocktail hour (6:00 to 7:00 p.m.), dinner, awards, recognitions and presentation of the 28th INTA Humanitarian Award.

Youth Congress - Presented during the same hours as the regular Congress Programs.

Congress Bookroom - Opens Sunday, July 18, at 2:00 p.m. and is open during Congress hours. The bookroom will include books, cassettes, video tapes and more from over 300 authors, teachers and performers.

Ministerial Networking - Monday through Thursday, 7:00-8:30 a.m.

T'ai Chi Chih - Monday through Thursday, 7:30-8:30 a.m.

District Presidents' Meeting - Wednesday, 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

INTA Business Meetings - For Members Only held Monday, 4:30 to 6:00 p.m.; Tuesday, 11:45 a.m. to 12:00 Noon; Wednesday, 4:30 to 6:00 p.m.

YOUTH PROGRAM - NO FEE

Monday through Friday Morning - 9:00 a.m. - 12 Noon
Monday through Thursday Afternoon - 1:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.
Sunday through Wednesday Evening - 7:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m.
Thursday Evening - No program scheduled account Banquet

Please Note

Parents or guardians are responsible for their children at times when the Youth Program is NOT in session. Children are to be picked up immediately after each session. Youth trips taken during the Congress will require parent/guardian signature on release forms.

COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS

Congress Co-Chairpersons - Douglas Kinney and Robert J. V. McMillan

Congress Volunteer Coordinator - Christine Coates

Banquet - Carol Fitzpatrick

Bookroom - Lisa Marks

Hospitality - Tim Phares and Suzanne Delchail

Membership - John Humpal

Music - Sue Kroupa

Prayer Team - Chris Pusateri

Publicity - Lydia Evans

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Youth Congress - Anne Marie Evers

Audio/Visual-Sound Production - Russ Hammock

2004 CONGRESS SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Registration/Membership/Hospitality/Free Literature Prayer Table

Area in front of Ballrooms

Sunday - 2:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday - 9:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m.

Thursday - 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Friday - 9:00 a.m.-12 Noon

Books & Cassettes - Lord Fairfax Ballroom A

Sunday - 2:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m.

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday - 9:00 a.m.-10:00 p.m.

Thursday - 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Friday - 9:00 a.m.-12 Noon

SUNDAY, JULY 18, 2004

7:00-9:30 p.m. OPENING PROGRAM (Love Offering) Lord Fairfax Ballrm.B
Theme: Partnering Into the World With New Thought

Meditation - William Clark

Presiders - Blaine C. Mays, Douglas Kinney, Robert J. V. McMillan

Welcome - Blaine C. Mays, Douglas Kinney, Robert J. V. McMillan

Introduction of International New Thought Alliance Board Members

Walter Starcke - "*The Third Appearance*" Being the presence of God.

Leddy Hammock - "*The Dream of Peace*" In Oneness of Prayer this dream is coming true.

Benediction

Musical Presentations by: Valerie Kay, Sue Kroupa

9:30-10:30 p.m. - Jam and Java (No Fee) First Floor of Hotel

MONDAY, July 19, 2004

7:00-8:30 a.m. - Ministerial Networking - Larry A. Swartz & Mary Ellen Swartz - Facilitators

7:30-8:30 a.m. - T'ai Chi Chih Carmen Brocklehurst - Facilitator

MONDAY, July 19, 2004 (Cont' d)

9:00-11:30 a.m. MORNING PROGRAM (Fee) Lord Fairfax Ballroom B
Theme: Roots

Meditation - **Chris Pusateri**

Presider - **Etura Lyon**

Anne Kunath - "*Malinda Cramer - Founder of Divine Science*" Before women could vote, Malinda was traveling the U. S. teaching the New Thought Message - her legacy empowers us today.

Larry A. Swartz - "*The Pure Logic of New Thought - Unity*" To build consciousness upon rock.

Noel Frederick McInnis - "*Thinking With NewER Thought*" Reframing our perception of what New Thought is about.

Benediction

Musical Presentations by: **Laura Watts, Dwain Briggs**

11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m. - Luncheon Honoring Life Archives Stewards

AFTERNOON PROGRAMS

1:00-4:00 p.m. - PAST AND PRESENT (Fee) Lord Fairfax Ballroom B
Facilitator - **Deb Whitehouse**

Blaine C. Mays - "*The Addington/INTA Archives*" History and present status of the Archives.

Ann Jefferson - "*Faith It Works*" Have Faith in God.

Harry Morgan Moses - "*The Embodiment Principle*" The new frontier is to pursue relentlessly the absolute embodiment of our principle at the highest level of our understanding through a shift in perception and attitude.

1:00-4:00 p.m. NEW THOUGHT CHRISTIANITY (Fee) Jr. Ballroom C/D
Facilitator - **Mimi Ronnie**

Miriam Comer Johnson - "*Thoughts of the Heart*" Realizing the One Mind moves awareness to the heart.

Mary A. Tumpkin - "*The Truth About the Gospels*"

E. J. Niles - "*The Bible and the Evolution of Consciousness*" By structuring the Bible writings chronologically one can discern the evolution of spiritual consciousness.

MONDAY, July 19, 2004 (Cont' d)

**4:30-6:00 p.m. - International New Thought Alliance Business Meeting
(Membership) Lord Fairfax Ballroom B**

7:00-9:30 p.m. - EVENING PROGRAM (Love Offering)

Lord Fairfax Ballroom B

Theme: New Thought Future Expanding Into the World

Meditation - **Thelma Smith**

Presider - **LaFayette Seymour**

Kevin K. Ross - *"A New Design for New Thought"* An inspiring message geared toward empowering New Thought Leaders to think outside of the "denominational" box.

Paul James Tenaglia - *"Who Are You People Anyway?"* Globalization (let alone nationalization) of New Thought cannot happen until we are clear about our identity and our goals.

Mary Manin Morrissey - *"Standing Firm When Your Whole World Is Shaking"* Learn the metaphysical science and the mystical art of authentic being in the toughest of times.

Benediction

Musical Presentations by: **Jack Quigley, Spiritus**

9:30-10:30 p.m. - Jam and Java (No Fee) First Floor of Hotel

TUESDAY, July 20, 2004

7:00-8:30 a.m. - Ministerial Networking - **Larry A. Swartz & Mary Ellen Swartz** - Facilitators

7:30-8:30 a.m. - Tai Chi Chih **Carmen Brocklehurst**, Facilitator

9:00-11:30 a.m. MORNING PROGRAM (Fee) Lord Fairfax Ballroom B

Theme: Creating A Richer World With New Thought & Science

Meditation - **Curlene Bennett**

Presider - **Cynthia Lippert**

Herbert L. Beierle - *"Unconditional Love Heals"* When we look at the world through the eyes of unconditional love all are one.

Barbara L. King - *"God If This Is Karma, What Next?"* Have you ever faced challenge after challenge and wondered what was going on?

TUESDAY, July 20, 2004 (Cont' d)

MORNING PROGRAM (Cont' d)

Benediction

Musical Presentations By: Richard Mekdeci, Angelina

11:45 a.m.-12:00 Noon - International New Thought Alliance Business Meeting (Membership) Lord Fairfax Ballroom B

AFTERNOON PROGRAMS

1:00-4:00 p.m. - NEW THOUGHT CHURCH GROWTH (Fee)

Lord Fairfax Ballroom B

Facilitator - Anne Kunath

Sue Kroupa and Leddy Hammock - *"Up from the Ashes!"* Although a devastating fire caused a million dollar "loss," and our Church building was condemned for a year, this baptism by "fire" gave the Holy Spirit room to move through music to heal, strengthen and restore our spiritual consciousness and our Church, to bring us from a tent to the Temple And still we rise!

Bernette L. Jones - *"Youth Filled Messages"* The commitment and challenge of crafting New Thought messages that appeal to and impact the lives of young people.

Kevin K. Ross - *"Seven Ideas That Definitely Work in Youth Ministry"*

1:00-4:00 p.m. - SPIRITUAL EXPERIENTIAL/SOUL CONVERSING (Fee)

Jr. Ballroom C/D

Facilitator - Roy Eugene Davis

Connee Chandler - *"Soul Conversing: Expanding Our Vision"* By focusing our awareness on Eternal Love and Infinite Mind, we strengthen our conscious connection to Source.

Pamela Thomas - *"Living a Soul Directed Life"* Learn the methods and techniques to begin a lifelong conversation with your inner guide.

Christopher L. Bazemore - *"The Proper Art of the Spiritual Alchemist"* Great believers in miracles manifest an irresistible radiance of buoyant joy.

TUESDAY, July 20, 2004 (Cont' d)

7:00-9:30 p.m. EVENING PROGRAM (Love Offering)

Lord Fairfax Ballroom B

Theme: Abundance In Action

Meditation - **Betty I. Mays**

Presider - **Mimi Ronnie**

C. Russell Brumfield - *"Unleash the Power of Prosperity, Walking the Talk"*

INTA Lifetime Achievement Award presented to: **Dr. Tom Johnson**

Iyanla Vanzant - *"This Is About You"* God' s word, God' s will, God' s purpose and God' s life is an individualized mission statement.

Benediction

Musical Presentations by: **Soulpajamas, Armand**

9:30-10:30 p.m. - Jam and Java (No Fee) First Floor of Hotel

WEDNESDAY, July 21, 2004

7:00-8:30 a.m. - Ministerial Networking - **Larry A. Swartz & Mary Ellen Swartz** - Facilitators

7:30-8:30 a.m. - Tai Chi Chih **Carmen Brocklehurst** - Facilitator

9:00-11:30 a.m. MORNING PROGRAM (Fee) Lord Fairfax Ballroom B

Theme: Healing Ourselves and Our Professions

Meditation - **Dwight Smith**

Presider - **Dwight Smith**

Robert J. V. McMillan - *"Spiritualizing the Workplace"* We spend one third of our lives walking into and out of the workplace. Here is how to make that fun, exciting and spiritually rewarding!

Shawn Moninger - *"Overcoming"* What makes interesting ministers interesting.

Sallye Coe Taylor - *"The Law of Love In Action"* Desiring to love is not enough -- it must become an intention and put into action.

11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m. - District President' s Tea- Sponsored by **Charlie Smith, World Federation of Practical Christianity**

WEDNESDAY, July 21, 2004 (Cont' d)

AFTERNOON PROGRAMS

1:00-4:00 p.m. - HEALING/MEDICAL (Fee) Jr. Ballroom C/D
Facilitator - Cynthia Lippert

Christine E. Coates - *"Medical Miracles? or Spiritual Responses?"*
Experiencing medical miracles through the power of one with angels intervening to expedite the healing process in answer to our prayer/treatments.

Greg Baer - *"The Healing Power of Real Love"* It's only when we have the one ingredient we all need most -- Real Love -- or unconditional love -- that we can achieve healing of our souls, our bodies and our relationships.

Samuel Sasu - *"Ayurveda and Stress Management"* A natural way to total health and well-being.

1:00-4:00 p.m. - NEW THOUGHT HEALING PRINCIPLES (Fee)
Lord Fairfax Ballroom B
Facilitator - Carmen Brocklehurst

Thelma Smith - *"Heal Through Relationships"* Our relationships are reflections of ourselves and love and forgiveness are essential to healing them.

Roy Eugene Davis - *"Permanent Healing of Body, Mind and Circumstances"* We can experience complete well-being by living in harmony with the laws of nature and cooperating with impersonal mental and spiritual laws of cause and effect.

Carolyn Boyd - *"Healing...An Inside Job"* An exploration of the spiritual healing principles that govern emotional, physical, mental and spiritual harmony and well being.

4:30-6:00 p.m. - International New Thought Alliance Business Meeting
(Membership) Lord Fairfax Ballroom B

7:00-9:30 p.m. - EVENING PROGRAM (Love Offering)
Lord Fairfax Ballroom B
Theme: Healing Experience

Meditation - Lisa Marks

Presider - George Thomas

WEDNESDAY, July 21, 2004 (Cont' d)

EVENING PROGRAM (Contd)

August Gold - *"All Fired Up"* How the Divine greatness within ourselves (and our churches) can change our world.

Mary A. Tumpkin - *"Rise and Be Healed!"*

Benediction

Musical Presentations by: **Ramon Pratt, Carol Logen**

9:30-10:30 p.m. - **Jam and Java** (No Fee) First Floor of Hotel

THURSDAY, July 22, 2004

7:00-8:30 a.m. - Ministerial Networking - **Larry A. Swartz & Mary Ellen Swartz** - Facilitators

7:30-8:30 a.m. - T'ai Chi Chih **Carmen Brocklehurst** - Facilitator

9:00-11:30 a.m. MORNING PROGRAM (Fee) Lord Fairfax Ballroom B
Theme: World Impact - Interfaith

Meditation - **Christine Coates**

Presider - **Charlie Smith**

Glenn R. Mosley - *"Don't They Know That Will Not Work?"* Berlin Wall didn't work; similar walls never will work.

Richard A. Kellaway - *"Religious Freedom: What? Where? For Whom?"* Many faith communities remain outside of the circle of "respectable" religions. How can we learn to better understand and welcome them.

Benediction

Musical Presentations by: **Spring, Devotion**

AFTERNOON PROGRAMS

1:00-4:00 p.m. - **WISDOM OF THE AGES** (Fee) Jr. Ballroom C
Facilitator - **Larry A. Swartz**

LaFayette Seymour - *"The Ancient Secret of Boundless Supply"* Visualize yourselves enjoying freedom in every area of life.

THURSDAY, July 22, 2004 (Cont' d)

AFTERNOON WORKSHOPS (Cont' d)

1:00-4:00 p.m. - WISDOM OF THE AGES (cont' d)

Cynthia Lippert - *"Jesus: The Myth and the Man"* What if Jesus never lived? What if he were simply a character created through which to deliver a message of Universal Truth.

Eric Donaldson - *"Healing, Health and Well-Being through the Psychology of Truth & Expectation"* Science and Spirit operating as One? Discussion of the mind-body connection that brings health and recovery in the physiology of the body.

1:00-4:00 p.m. SSMR: Parapsychology & Metaphysical Religion (Fee)
Jr. Ballroom D

Facilitator - **C. Alan Anderson**

Elizabeth McAdams - *"Psychic Experience: A Bridge from the Mundane to the Sublime"* A discussion of psychic experiences on a continuum from purely paranormal to purely spiritual events.

Michael H. Greene - *"Parapsychology and P. P. Quimby"* Discussing the Parapsychological aspect of the work of Phineas P. Quimby, Father of the New Thought Movement.

Deb Whitehouse - *"Guidelines for Using Parapsychological Findings"* Which phenomena studied in parapsychology are useful to New Thinkers and which are better avoided.

Robert Winterhalter - *"PSI as Viewed in New Thought"* An Insider's view.

**2004 International New Thought Alliance
BANQUET and AWARDS PRESENTATION**

Banquet Tickets must be purchased by Tuesday Night, July 20, 2004

No Exceptions

6:00-7:00 p.m. No Host/Cocktail/Reception

7:00-10:00 p.m. BANQUET Dinner & Presentation of Award(s)

Lord Fairfax Ballroom B

Invocation - **Chris Pusateri**

Master of Ceremonies - **Larry A. Swartz**

THURSDAY, July 22, 2004 (Cont' d)

BANQUET (Cont' d)

Presentation of 28th International New Thought Alliance Humanitarian Award to: **Bishop William E. Swing**

The Rt. Rev. William Swing has been the Episcopal Bishop of the Diocese of California from 1980 to the present, consecrated in 1979. Received A.B. and D. D. from Kenyon College. Received M.Div. and D.D. from Virginia Theological Seminary. Appointed Curate of St. Matthew' s Church in Wheeling, West Virginia 1961-63; Vicar of St. Thomas, Weirton and St. Matthew' s, Chester, W. Virginia 1963-69. Elected Rector of St. Columba' s Episcopal Church 1969-79. He has extensive leadership in AIDS and social concerns ministry.

Rev. Swing has gained national attention due to his innovative leadership of the drive to establish a United Religions body similar in concept to the United Nations. Bishop Swing has traveled extensively in China, Japan, Korea, India, the Middle East, and Europe, seeking guidance and commitment from leaders of many of the world' s religions, including the Dalai Lama, Mother Teresa, The Shankaracharya of Kanchipuram, Islam' s Grand Mufti in Cairo, and the Archbishop of Canterbury.

These visits have been building support for the concept of a permanent forum where all the world' s religions will be represented, a place in which conflicts and disagreements can be discussed and mediated.

Musical Presentation by: **Sue Kroupa**

Slide Presentation by: **Carol Fitzpatrick**

Banquet Ballroom and table decorations sponsored by:

FRIDAY. July 23, 2004

9:00-11:30 a.m. MORNING PROGRAM (Fee) Lord Fairfax Ballroom B
Theme: Moving Into the Future

Meditation - **William Clark**

Presiders - **Blaine C. Mays, Douglas Kinney, Robert J. V. McMillan**

Marj Britt - *"The Evolving Now"* How has New Thought evolved and how will it evolve in the 21st Century? Are there maps of consciousness to guide us?
Douglas Kinney - *"Expanding the Congress Experience"*

Invitation to 2005 Congress

Closing Ceremony

Musical Presentation by: **Peter Kater**

NEW THOUGHT CHURCHES - CAPITAL DISTRICT

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