



**THE SEARCH FOR GOD**  
**TREASURE IN THE RUBBLE**  
**Spiritual Renewal Retreat**  
**Friday – Sunday, September 9-11**  
**St. Dorothy’s Rest, Camp Meeker, CA**

Even in the time of catastrophe, people seek treasure in the rubble. The capacity and willingness to search for treasure and meaning in the times of trouble testifies to the nobility of the human spirit. We have the ability to hope and envision even when threatened or defeated. Jesus invited us to “take up” the cross, not fall under it. This Retreat is a time to hope. Not a time for wishful thinking but a moment and a place to commit ourselves anew to working for what is right and just. We do so by coming together, praying together, laughing together, singing together, remembering together as we bless the World around us with the pride and dignity within us.

- I FORGOT TO REMEMBER / THE IMPORTANT INSIGHTS OF PSALM 77 / I WILL REMEMBER THE DEEDS OF LONG AGO
- WHERE IS GOD IN THE TIME OF TROUBLE? / SHIFTING IMAGES OF GOD / WHERE WAS GOD IN MY LIFE?
- MY GOD! MY GOD! WHY HAVE YOU ABANDONED ME? / WHY DID THE CRUCIFIED JESUS PRAY PSALM 22? / ENVISIONING THE HEART OF GOD
- FEAR NOT HOLY COMMUNITY / IT HAS PLEASED OUR GOD TO GIVE US THE HOPE OF A NEW DAY / THE FUTURE IS NOW

Through renewed and new friendships, prayer and song, teachings and sharing, we will once more claim our dignity so we may rejoice in God’s love.

**Reservations required before September 4<sup>th</sup>**  
**\$250\* = 2 nights/6 meals**

Fee includes meals (Friday dinner – Sunday lunch), lodging and program materials. Partial Scholarships are available; additional donations to help cover scholarships and expenses are appreciated.

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Detach and return to the office – Dignity/SF, 1329 Seventh Ave, SF 94122

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone** \_\_\_\_\_

**Need financial aid?** (Partial payments are required)  YES  NO **Be an Angel?** Donate an additional \$25.00 to help a fellow member attend the retreat.  YES  NO **Total Amount of your payment:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Checks/Money Orders are **payable to Dignity/San Francisco**, or pay online at: [www.paypal.me/dignitysf](http://www.paypal.me/dignitysf)

**Lodging:** St. Dorothy’s Rest offers rooms with twin beds and shared bathrooms; private rooms are minimal, and requests will be accommodated according to need. Stairs will be encountered.

**Transportation assistance is appreciated.** Please indicate if you  Need a ride to/ from the retreat event; or  Can provide a ride to/from the weekend for \_\_\_\_\_ (# seats); Friday arrival is permitted at 3:00pm

**Meals:** SDR is considerate of vegetarian, GF or lactose intolerant meals, where noted, but cannot accommodate special diets for individuals. Space can be made available for any food storage and personal meal prep; please indicate your needs below.

Allergies/conditions:

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*I understand that pets, alcohol and non-prescription drugs are not allowed. I will abide by these and all the rules pertaining to this event and facility. I will not hold the sponsors, their members or guests, responsible, liable or accountable for any loss or injury to my person or property, or for any of my actions, intentional or otherwise.*

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_