Conference 2009—Registration Form

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What do we make of statements such as *...religion is the property of the human race...* [p1119:6]?

At this year's conference we are going to explore the many facets of the term "Religion" as portrayed in the Urantia Papers with an aim to develop a clear understanding of the real nature of religion. We will contemplate how individuals who wholeheartedly embrace true religion become peacemakers and find long lasting happiness.

Jesus said: *"God is your Father, and religion – my gospel – is nothing more nor less than the believing recognition of the truth that you are his son".* [p.1590:5]

Jesus' peace is not of the pacific and negative kind. In the face of trials and persecutions he said, "My peace I leave with you." "Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid." This is the peace that prevents ruinous conflicts. Personal peace integrates personality. Social peace prevents fear, greed, and anger. Political peace prevents race antagonisms, national suspicions, and war. Peacemaking is the cure of distrust and suspicion. [p.1575:3]

Jesus also said: *"Happy are the peacemakers, for they shall be called the sons of God."...* [p.1575:3]

All this and more will take us on an exploration of the pivotal role religion plays when fully embraced in an individual's life; how such transformed and enlightened individuals can actually change the world. With an enhanced understanding of religion in action, we will ponder the plausibility that the world's problem is in fact the individual's problem and that true religion has the awesome power of being the forerunner to the actuality of the Brotherhood of Man under the Father of God and thus, eventually world peace.

Religious desire is the hunger quest for divine reality. Religious experience is the realization of the consciousness of having found God. And when a human being does find God, there is experienced within the soul of that being such an indescribable restlessness of triumph in discovery that he is impelled to seek loving service-contact with his less illuminated fellows, not to disclose that he has found God, but rather to allow the overflow of the welling-up of eternal goodness within his own soul to refresh and ennoble his fellows. Real religion leads to increased social service. (p.1121:6)

Welcome

Arrive at the Lakeside Holiday Park Friday afternoon and gather in the conference room at the Coastal Environment Centre building for check-in and registration. Once comfortably settled into the allotted villas we will order a casual take-away dinner and enjoy an evening of socialising and orientation.

Venue

The wonderful Sydney Lakeside Holiday Park is in North Narrabeen located along Sydney's famous Northern Beaches. The park is situated right on the Narrabeen Lake and just minutes away from Narrabeen beach. It is a Big-4 holiday park and the accommodation will be in the lovely modern 2-bedroom villas. The conference room is right on the lakefront with uninterrupted views and wide verandas all around. Break out groups will be held around the wide veranda or on the lawn overlooking the lake. You can view the venue at http://www.sydneylakeside.com.au/ and the conference centre at http://www.pittwater.nsw.gov.au/environment/cec/venue



Fees

Full conference $350 – includes 3 night's accommodation plus all meals from breakfast Saturday to breakfast Monday. (The take-away dinner on Friday is not included in the full conference fee.) Alcoholic beverages will be available but you will be asked to contribute to the cost if you wish to partake.

Daily Rate $80 – includes both lunch and dinner.
Daily Rate $56 – includes only lunch.



