

# RELIGION



**Y**es! Someone you know could find Jesus Christ this summer at Portland Festival '99!

**And you can help that happen.** Portland Festival '99 is a FREE evangelistic event taking place at Waterfront Park Downtown Portland this August 20 and 21.

**WE WANT YOU TO BE PART OF THIS EVENT!**

Bring you unsaved friends, family members, and co-workers to the park this summer and help us share the message of Jesus Christ with the people of this state.

PORTLAND FESTIVAL '99 is going to be the most dynamic evangelistic event this area has seen in a long, long time...maybe ever.

**First Night**

Family with music from Audio of Grace, 4Him, Bob Carlisle, Nikki Leonti, and The Tribe Called Judah.

**Second Night**

Youth Focus with music from Audio Adrenaline, Third Day, Nikki Leonti, and Dawkins & Dawkins.

We're going to be on TV and the radio telling people about Portland Festival '99...we're training hundreds of workers...we're publishing a ton of printed materials...we're promoting it via the Internet...the list goes on and on!

Churches are pouring in as much manpower as they can. We're already trained 5,300 people in friendship evangelism! And for all of that, I'm grateful.

But the truth is, Portland Festival '99 is going to be SO HUGE, the



**Dawkins & Dawkins**

only way it can succeed is if all of God's people stand up and take the lead.

Which is why I'm writing you. I believe you have a love of God and for lost people in the Portland area...and God has given me a vision for this event to reach those people.

I believe through this event Christians are going to witness the salvation of people they've been praying for for years...children and grandchildren, parents, brothers and sisters, friends, colleagues on the job, neighbors...

It's going to be so easy for thousands of believers to say, "Come down to Waterfront Park with me for a concert!"

It's going to be so easy for thousands of unbelievers to say, "Sure, why not? Sounds like fun!"

And when they get there, it will be fun! They're going to find that there is no admission price.

No gimmicks, nothing that will embarrass you or them.

Just GREAT music-and GOOD NEWS!

But as Portland Festival '99 unfolds...

...I want you also to have the deep-down satisfaction of knowing that YOU HELPED MAKE IT HAPPEN.

This concert will be yours. Because your prayers were invested in it.

And your generosity made it possible!

Here's an opportunity for all of us Portland-area Christians to "come out of hiding" and let our light shine...paint a fresh picture of Christianity...a picture of joy, excitement, and loving concern for people!

You know, even though I have had the privilege of sharing Christ



**Luis Palau**

all around the world, my heart is here in Portland. This is my hometown.

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GET READY, GET READY...

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HOST PASTOR Bishop A.R. Hopkins Sr.

For more info, please call 503-283-1524

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## East-West Spiritual Practices At Interfaith Spiritual Center

Free classes on spiritual practices from the world's religions are offered at the Interfaith Spiritual Center, located at 3910 SE 11<sup>th</sup> in Portland. The classes will be held on first Wednesdays from 6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. September through December. The calendar includes:

"Centering Prayer" led by Sr. Cecilia Ranger and Scott Bengel on September 1<sup>st</sup>.

"Spiritual Practices for Daily Life" led by Ashley McCormack and Dale Rhodes on October 6<sup>th</sup>.

"Walking Meditation" led by Richard Eaton and Dale Rhodes on November 3<sup>rd</sup>.

"Buddhist Meditation Techniques" led by Karin Miles and Richard Eaton on December 1<sup>st</sup>.

For a brochure on these or other programs, call the Interfaith Spiritual Center at (503) 233-2026.

The Interfaith Spiritual Center (ISC) offers a wide variety of resources for spiritual development and growth. Spiritual mentors from various world religious traditions offer

individual direction and mentoring, as well as retreats and workshops on spiritual life and practices of the major world religions. All services and resources are provided on a sliding fee scale that is based on income and ability to pay. The ISC offices are located at 3910 S.E. 11<sup>th</sup> in Portland, Oregon. Free parking is ample and the building is wheel chair accessible. For more information about the center, or to arrange a meeting with a spiritual mentor, please call the ISC at 233-2026.

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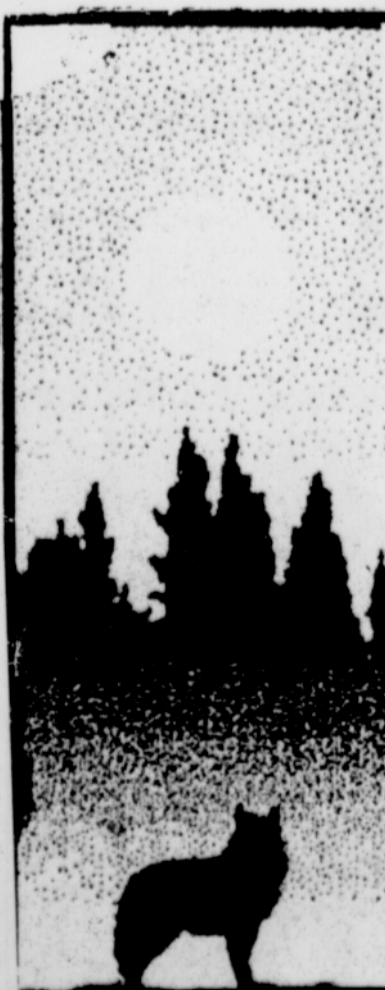
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