



Saturday Night Alive!

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At a Glance: Upcoming Events

Saturday, June 12, Goofy Golf @ 7:00 pm @ Pirate's Cove on Lacrosse St., Armadillo's Ice Cream Shop after golfing.

Saturday, June 19, Bike Trip. Biking the Mickelson Trail. Leaving from South Canyon Baptist Church parking lot no later than 8:30 am.

Saturday, July 3, Fireworks at Memorial Park in Rapid City.

Friday—Sunday, July 16-18, Hills Alive, Memorial Park, Rapid City

Friday—Sunday, July 30—August 1, Camping @ Spokane Resort south of Keystone on Iron Mountain Rd.

Saturday, August 14, 6:30 pm. Meal at Darcie's. Fish and Chicken Fry.

Saturday, August 28, 6:00 pm. Potluck at Old Story Book Island Park Shelter with games after eating.

More Than Enough



Fall Retreat

October 8-10, 2010

Kamp Kinship, nestled in the beautiful Black Hills, south of Deadwood off of Highway 385

Theme: Jesus is more than enough.

Verse: Phil. 4:19 "And my God will meet all your needs according to His glorious riches in Christ Jesus."

Come join us as we learn how Christ can supply all our needs: Physically, Spiritually, Mentally, Relationally and Emotionally. Our speaker, Nic Ewing will share teaching on the subject of Jesus being more than enough. Nic is currently ministering at Christian Life Ministries in Rapid City, SD. Nic's heart's desire is to support & encourage people's walk in the Biblical Truth of God's Word. More information to follow. Reserve the dates.

Cost: \$85 Early Bird Rate by Sept 15.
\$100 after Sept 15

What's Love Got to Do With It?

I was hoping I would get your attention with the title of this article. “And these three remain: Faith, Hope and Love, but the greatest of these is love.” For some strange reason, singles seem to have a need for love. Actually, everyone has a need for love. We were created by a loving God to need to be loved and to love in return. But what exactly does love look like? I am not an authority on the subject, by any means. And I still struggle with living love out on a daily basis, but while studying and discussing the book “The Love Dare” with other singles, here are some of my conclusions:

1. Love is kind. This means love responds in a kind manner to others no matter how they respond to us. Instead of ignoring, or criticizing or even teasing in a cutting manner, love is encouraging, supportive and always positive.
2. Love is courteous. Where have all the courteous phrases like “Please” and “Thank you” and “Excuse me” and “I’m sorry” gone? We used to be taught manners at home, but now, we even struggle with teaching manners at school. Love says those polite things. It says, “Hello, glad to see you.” And, “It was good to meet you.” Love does say “I’m sorry” when needed, too.
3. Love is not lust. Lust is something you feel for an object you only want to use. When you use someone, you do not desire a healthy relationship with them. Love is something you choose to have and do for a person and you do want a healthy relationship with them. Love goes beyond the surface and gets to the heart. Lust stays at the surface and never even sees the heart.
4. Love is from God. In “The Love Dare”, several days (or chapters) are committed to the truth that without a relationship with Jesus Christ, none of us can really love in a lasting way and in a way that is unconditional. Commit yourself to the Lord Jesus Christ and you will know love better.
5. Love is responsible. Love seeks to be the person Jesus wants for us to be through taking responsibility for our own actions. Apologies are sometimes needed. Changing the way we act, talk and even think is sometimes needed as well. Many times the changing needs to be from the inside out and is only accomplished through Jesus’ love and grace. But, it is our responsibility to ask Jesus to change us and to be obedient when He tells us how.

Jesus said the two greatest commandments are to love God with our whole heart, mind, soul and strength and our neighbor as ourselves. This is how love looks. As singles, we need love. These are a just a few ideas of how to meet the love needs of each other and in so doing, meet the need for love ourselves.

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May be placed on your refrigerator for easy access. (Or in your pocketbook or glove box!)

June 2010

(Note: the abbreviation CLM stands for Christian Life Ministries which is located at 1948 North Plaza Dr., Rapid City, SD. Details on the Life Studies and other activities will be posted on our website: www.saturdaynightalivesingles.com as they become available or call Darcie @ (605) 209-6677)

SATURDAY, June 12th—7:00 pm, Goofy Golf. Meet at Pirate's Cove, 1500 N. Lacrosse St. to play golf. Cost is \$8.00 per person (10 or more get \$1.00 off). Armadillo's Ice Cream Shoppe, 202 Main St., Rapid City after golfing. Call 605-721-7898 for more information.

SATURDAY, June 19th—8:00 am, Bike the Mickelson Trail. Bikers will be leaving from the South Canyon Baptist Church parking lot **NO LATER THAN 8:30 am**. Transportation will be provided for bikes and bikers to Dumont trail head. From there, bikers will travel south to the Mystic trail head. Don't forget to bring your own lunch, sunscreen, much water, a jacket if needed and money for gas. Check tires, etc.. Before coming. Please call 605-545-4852 for more information. A continental breakfast with devotions will be provided on the trail.

July 2010

SATURDAY, July 3rd, 9:00 pm. Meet at the fountain at Memorial Park to watch the Rapid City fireworks display. Call 605-545-4852 for more information.

FRIDAY—SUNDAY, July 16th-18th, Hills Alive at Memorial Park. 25th Anniversary Celebration of Hills Alive. Meet at the yellow SNA flag to enjoy the music and fellowship.

FRIDAY—SUNDAY, July 30th-August 1st, Camping at Spokane Creek Resort, 24631 Iron Mountain Rd., Keystone. (Not in Custer State Park so no state park fee required!) Tenting and RV sites available and/or cabins without restrooms. Go to <http://www.spokanecreekresort.com/> for pictures and more information. RSVP to Darcie before June 15th, 605-209-6677. Darcie will reserve! Must be paid for by June 15th as well. Cost: Cabins (Sleeps 5-6) \$60.00/ night. Tents (up to six people per site) \$22.50 for two plus \$3.00 for each additional adult.

August 2010

SATURDAY, August 14th, 6:30 pm. Fish and Chicken Fry at Darcie's. Great food. Great fellowship. Come to eat and stay to watch a movie on the garage wall. For directions call 605-209-6677

SATURDAY, August 28th, 6:00 pm. Potluck and Games at OLD STORYBOOK ISLAND PARK SHELTER. Located between Sioux Sanitarium and Sheridan Lake Rd. off Canyon Lake Drive. Bring food to share and games to play. Cowboy Golf, Frisbee, and other games will be available to play after eating. An offering will be taken to cover the cost of reserving the Shelter!

Mission Statement



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Vision Statement: Providing a safe place for single adults to grow in their relationship with Jesus Christ; to be encouraged and challenged; meeting together in an atmosphere of fun and acceptance.

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