



# Saturday Night Alive!

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## At a Glance: Upcoming Events

Friday, Sept. 9th @ 5:30 pm. Movie and free food in Memorial Park.

Saturday, Sept. 10th @ 2:00 pm. Hike Bear Butte. Car pooling available.

Saturday, Sept. 17th @ 5:00 pm. Picnic @ Canyon Lake Park.

Saturday, Sept. 24th @ 12:00 noon. Meet to drive through Spearfish Canyon.

Saturday, Oct. 8th, @ 2:00 pm. Hike and hot dogs @ Keith Rudy's.

Saturday, Oct. 15th @ 5:30 pm. Pizza and a movie in Hermosa.

Saturday, Oct. 22nd @ 7:00 pm @ CLM, Section 3 of "When the Pieces Don't Fit"

More information and the remaining calendar is on page 3.

# Singles' Get-Away Weekend



**When: Friday, Sept. 30—Sunday, Oct. 2, 2011**

**Where: Camp Judson, Keystone, SD**

**Cost: \$55.00 if paid by Sept. 17th;  
\$65.00 if paid after Sept. 17th**

**What: Fun, Fellowship, Food**

**For more information and registration,  
see page 5.**

**IMPORTANT!!! IMPORTANT!! We are working hard to make our organization eco-friendly. If you have both an email address and a mailing address where you are receiving the SNA Newsletter, please let us know so we can just send the email. We will save time, money, and paper if you will notify us of the change. Call Laurel @ (605)545-4852 and let her know. Thank you so much for helping out in this manner.**



## Compassion Opportunity By Lila Scandrett

Have you ever thought about sponsoring a child through Mission of Mercy or another organization that provides education, Christian training, and financial services to children throughout the world? Compassion International is one such organization with the goal of helping children who are in poverty.

**WE WOULD LIKE TO GIVE EVERYONE IN SNA THE CHANCE TO HAVE A PART IN HELPING A BOY FROM AFRICA LEARN ABOUT JESUS, GROW IN A HEALTHY ENVIRONMENT AND RECEIVE AN EDUCATION. PLEASE HELP SUPPORT THIS BOY BY GIVING TO COMPASSION INTERNATIONAL THROUGH SNA. CHECKS NEED TO BE MADE OUT TO COMPASSION INTERNATIONAL FOR YOU TO GET THE TAX BENEFITS FROM GIVING. THE NEXT TIME WE PASS THE BUCKET FOR HIM, PLEASE GIVE GENEROUSLY. THANK YOU!!!**

To give you more information about Compassion International, it was begun in 1952 by Rev. Everett Swanson who was on a successful preaching tour in South Korea. He saw unwanted children in dire poverty and felt something should be done. He started Compassion International with the purpose of providing food, education, medical care, shelter and Christian training for children who are unwanted and in poverty through the use of one-on-one sponsors. Today, Compassion is in 26 countries in Africa, Central America, South America and Asia.

What makes Compassion International stand out from other organizations is its four distinct values. These values are: Christ-centered ministries where children are given the opportunity to make life-changing decisions for Christ; Child-Focused where children are engaged as a whole person; Church Based where churches are partnered with to train, equip, and mentor the children in the organization; committed to integrity where honesty and excellence are important in all areas of ministry.

In November of 2010, Kaye Lehman chose a boy from Africa for SNA to sponsor. His name is JUMA YUSUPH JUMA. He is nine years old and has a birthday September 29, 2011. She has been carrying the full weight of this sponsorship since. The idea was for SNA, as a group, to sponsor this child, but that hasn't happened. This boy lives in poverty in a country that has a high AIDS population. Along with his education, food, shelter, and Christian training, the money for him goes to help in the fight against AIDS. Remember, please give when you have the chance. (If you have any questions, please talk to Kaye.)

**SNA SPONSORS A CHILD**

May be placed on your refrigerator for easy access. (Or in your pocketbook or glove box!)  
Go to [www.saturdaynightalivesingles.com](http://www.saturdaynightalivesingles.com) for more information, or call Darcie @ (605) 209-6677)

## September 2011

Friday, Sept. 9th @ 5:30 pm. Free hot dogs and a movie presented @ Memorial Park, Rapid City. This is a family friendly event sponsored by JD Productions. The movie is "Letters to God". (This is a friends of SNA event.) Come and enjoy the food and fellowship.

Saturday, Sept. 10th @ 2:00 pm. Hike Bear Butte located north of Sturgis. Car pooling is be available: Meet at South Canyon Baptist Church, 3333 West Chicago St., Rapid City, no later than 1:00 pm. This hike is up hill but not real long. Bring money to help pay for gas. After the hike, we have been invited to a cook-out and campfire sing-a-long in Spearfish. Shish kabobs are on the menu. Please bring something for the kabobs, too. For more information, call Vicki @ (605)569-0355.

Saturday, Sept. 17th @ 5:00 pm. Picnic @ Canyon Lake Park, Rapid City. Bring meat to grill and a dish to share. Food, fellowship and outdoor games. Look for the yellow banner. For more information call Robyn @ (605)342-0613.

Saturday, Sept. 24th, @ 2:00 pm. Drive through Spearfish Canyon. Hike and Supper. Car pooling available no later than noon from South Canyon Baptist Church, 3333 West Chicago St., Rapid City. After the drive through the canyon, a couple of different hikes are available from Savoy, and Cheyenne Crossing is the destination for supper. Call Vicki @ (605)569-0355 or Robyn @ (605)342-0613, for more information. Bring money for gas and supper.

Friday, Sept. 30th—Sunday, Oct. 2 @ 5:30 pm. Singles Get-Away Weekend @ Camp Judson. Fun activities, forums, talent show, great food and fellowship will be provided. See pages 1, 4 & 5 in this newsletter for more information.

## October 2011

Saturday, October 8th @ 2:00 pm. Hike and hot dogs @ Keith Rudy's. Car pooling available @ Story Book Island parking lot off Sheridan Lake Road. Meet no later than 2:00 pm. After the 2 mile hike we will have hot dogs at Keith's. Bring food to share for potluck. For more information, call Keith @ (605)593-6343.

Saturday, Oct. 15th @ 5:30 pm. Pizza and a movie. Meet at Bible Fellowship Church, 1212 E Fairmont Blvd., Rapid City, to car pool to Hermosa for Pizza and a movie at the Pizza Parlor. For more information, contact Robyn @ (605)342-0613. This is the BEST PIZZA in the Hills!!

Saturday, Oct. 22nd @ 7:00 pm. Book/Bible Study. Section III of the book "When the Pieces Don't Fit". Meet @ Christian Life Ministries, 1948 N. Plaza Dr., Rapid City. If you haven't had a chance to attend Sections I and II, summaries will be available so you can catch up. This is a great study covering faith and obedience. Call Lila @ (605)484-1460 for more information.



## **More Information Regarding SNA's Get-Away**

**This weekend is being planned as something different from the ordinary Retreat. We have planned a variety of activities to make this a fun, relaxing, friend growing time.**

**On Friday evening, we will be sharing activities to help us get better acquainted with each other and closer to Jesus.**

**On Saturday, we will be having three "Fun Forums With a Focus". The three forums will be led by some of our SNA leaders. They will include teachings in worship, meditation, sharing Jesus, and birth order. These will be hands-on and positive.**

**On Saturday evening, we would like to have everyone who wishes share any thing from an obscure to a fantastic talent. You will need to sign up at the Get-Away to be able to share at the Talent Show.**

**On Sunday, Robert Rogers, a man who lost his wife and four children in a flood, will be sharing his story at Black Hills Fellowship Church near Black Hawk. We are encouraging everyone to join us for worship there shortly after breakfast at Camp Judson.**

**Leadership wanted to provide something that was cost effective and relaxing for all of you to attend. Please join us and Get-Away!!**

**To register, please fill out the form on page 5, tear it off, and send it in to the address attached to the registration form. Or, you could give it to Laurel at one of our September activities. If you have any questions, please feel free to call Darcie @ (605)209-6677 or Laurel @ (605)545-4852.**

**Your Chance to Register**  
**2011 SNA Get-Away**  
**September 30—October 2**  
**Get Acquainted**  
**Get Focused**  
**Get Relaxed**  
**Located at Camp Judson, Keystone, SD**

**Friday, Sept. 30**

**5:30 pm Registration**  
**7:00 pm Fun and Games**  
**Snacks**

**Saturday, Oct. 1**

**8:00 am Breakfast**  
**9:00 am Worship and Meditation**  
**Forum**  
**10:00-10:15 Break**  
**10:15 am “Going Fishing with**  
**Jesus” Forum**  
**11:00—11:15 Break**  
**11:15 am “Where Do I Fit and**  
**What Does It Mean?” Forum**  
**12:00 Group Picture**

**12:15 pm Lunch**

**1:00 pm Free Time**  
**5:30 pm Supper**  
**7:00 pm Talent Show (Share your**  
**obscure to fantastic talent)**  
**Campfire**

**Sunday, Oct 2**

**7:00 am Clean Up**  
**8:00 am Breakfast**  
**8:45 am Go to Black Hills**  
**Fellowship, Black Hawk, SD**  
**to hear Robert Rogers share**  
**his story.**

**Registration:**

**Cost: \$55.00 before Sept. 17th**  
**\$65.00 after Sept. 17th.**

**Items to bring: sleeping bag, toiletries,**  
**towels, Bible, notebook, pencils,**  
**snacks to share, friends, warm clothes,**  
**money for snacks, activities, etc.**

**Full refund prior to Sept. 20th.**

**No refund after that.**

**For more information contact:**

**Darcie @ ( 605 ) 209-6677**

**Or go to**

**[www.saturdaynightalivesingles.com](http://www.saturdaynightalivesingles.com)**



**Register for the Retreat: Registration includes four meals and two nights lodging.**

**To register for this weekend, please complete this portion, detach and mail along with your check payable to: Saturday Night Alive (SNA), PO Box 5513, Rapid City, SD 57709-5513**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Age: Under 35 \_\_\_\_\_ Over 35 \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact \_\_\_\_\_ Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Special Needs/Accommodations: \_\_\_\_\_

**Cost: \$55.00 before Sept. 17th; \$65.00 after Sept. 17th. Should you need to cancel you will receive a full refund prior to Sept. 20th. No Refunds after Sept. 20th.**

## Peace Out

I 've been thinking lately about the peace we have in Christ Jesus. So many things are happening these days that can cause us to worry. Things like a bad economy, losing jobs, losing homes, droughts, and even floods. Where is Jesus in all of this?

Jesus promised He would be with us through all of our circumstances. If we believe Jesus loves us and died for us, then we also need to believe He will never leave us nor forsake us. ( John 14:27 & Hebrews 13:5-6) Hanging onto His promises and His love will give us peace no matter what!



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