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2014 Midwest Conference in Review



Warden John Caraway

Delightful fellowship, anointed prayer, delicious food, renewed vision, excellent training, invaluable networking, free resources, new friends, encouraging words, engaging dialog - just a few of phrases that describe COPE's Midwest Conference in Indianapolis last month.

If you were unable to attend, you can still participate in our final 2014 conference - see article below.



Mid-Atlantic Regional Brochures

If you haven't received your 2014 Mid-Atlantic Conference brochure, click [here](#) for an overview of some of the speakers, schedule and optional activities. If you haven't registered and plan to join us, September 24-26 in Greensboro, North Carolina, [online registration](#) is quick and easy. Or you can print and mail the [registration form](#).



Speaker Spotlight: Alex McFarland is a speaker, writer and advocate for Christian apologetics. He serves as director of the Center for Christian Worldview and Apologetics at North Greenville University, a leading Christian college in the US. He is the author of several books including *10 Questions Every Christian Must Answer* (co-authored with Dr. Elmer Towns, Dean of Liberty University), and *10 Answers For Skeptics...Inside the Mind of the Skeptic*.



Plan to stay an extra day and join us in a tour of the [Billy Graham Library](#) on Saturday, September 27. Designed to reflect Billy Graham's journey from a humble farm boy to an international ambassador of God's love, the barn-shaped building is situated on 20 landscaped acres. Visit the home Billy Graham lived in as a boy and browse Ruth's Attic Bookstore. Lunch with us at The Graham Brothers' Dairy Bar and allow time for reflection in the Memorial Prayer Garden, burial site of Ruth Bell Graham and George Beverly Shea.

For more details, go to our [website](#).

In Memory of Jerry Graham June 21, 2014



Jerry Graham, longtime COPE member and friend went to his Heavenly Father on June 21, 2014, at the age of 81. Born in Bronx, NY, he resided in Sacramento for over 65 years.

Jerry's autobiography, *Where Flies Don't Land...the Story of a Junkie, Jailhouses and Jesus* has been instrumental in changing countless lives. He worked with International Prison Ministries, Match 2 Prison Ministries and Bill Glass Prison Ministry.

Remembrances may be made to: Champions For Life: 1101 S. Cedar Ridge Drive, Duncanville TX 75137; Jordan Crossing Ministries, PO BOX 869, Palermo CA 95968 or Fair Oaks Presbyterian Church: 11427 Fair Oaks Blvd, Fair Oaks CA 95628.

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