



**You are invited to a Pre-Conference Dialogue on
October 16, 2012 on:**

The Journey of Forgiveness, Restorative Justice and Reconciliation

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Conflict, rage, intolerance and violence fill our consciousness in our local communities, schools, workplaces, places of worship and media.

The journey of forgiveness, restorative justice and reconciliation is one that we all make together. At the heart of this journey are the critical questions of our age.

- *How can we transform our conflicts into something constructive, into an opportunity for learning, growth and revelation?*
- *How can we live together in a way that we all will flourish?*
- *How can we find healing in our broken relationships?*
- *How can we find justice in this world, a justice that heals?*
- *How can we break out of the cycles of injury, retribution and violence?*
- *How can we all become a source of peace not a source of destructive conflict?*

During this Interactive pre-conference dialogue you will experience the "Circle Process," and learn how to facilitate the process yourself.

Time: 90 minutes

6:00 AM Pacific USA; 7:00 AM Mountain USA; 8:00 AM Central USA; 9:00 AM Eastern USA
2:00 PM London; 6:45 PM Kathmandu; 10:00 PM Tokyo

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