



Rooster Tale

K-107 Seek His Face

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Fellow Koinonians,

When Julie Zuniga invited me to a Koinonia weekend several years ago, I had no idea the blessings that would come out of it. Let’s be honest, I had no idea what Koinonia was! I’m sure you felt the same way.

Counting the blessings I’ve received because of Koinonia would almost be like counting the pebbles on a beach; impossible. On my first weekend I met people that became friends that only make my life richer. Matter of fact, the Layleader (Ron Trask) is the uncle to my best childhood friend! I didn’t know Ron before the weekend and didn’t find out that he was related to Ginger until several months later. I’m sure God enjoyed setting up that encounter. Each weekend that I’ve participated in, I’ve met people that have become friends or have caused me to think of my faith in a new way. The Lord used Koinonia as the vehicle for me to have a family of my own.

Jeff and I met on K-95 (Thank you Steve Nixon for asking me to be a Facilitator!). Jeff and I didn’t start dating until a year later. It didn’t take long for us to know we had finally met the person God had for us. We eloped 29 weeks and five days after our first date. Talk about a great “Fourth Day”! October will mark our fourth anniversary. Our family also includes our dog Calvin.

Not long after I accepted Tye’s invitation to be the Assistant Layleader for K-106, God gave me the theme for K-107, “**Seek His Face**”. When we “**Seek His Face**”, we build a stronger relationship with Him. There are so many stories in the Bible of people seeking His face. Remember Moses? Or the three wise men? What about the time when Jesus was a child teaching in the synagogue? Who could forget the Jewish tax collector Zacchaeus running ahead of Jesus in order to climb a tree just to get a glimpse of Him? From the beginning of time people have wanted to see Him. Some knew why and others only knew that every fiber of their being ached to lay their eyes on Him. “Ask, and God will give to you. Search, and you will find. Knock, and the door will open for you. Yes, everyone who asks will receive. Everyone who searches will find. And everyone who knocks will have the door opened.” Matthew 7:7-8 Rejoice! When we seek Him, He is there!

Any time we are doing something for the Kingdom, the enemy wants to destroy it. I ask that you start praying for the weekend now. Please pray for the participants as well as the team members. Let’s not forget the staff at the camp as they need protection and blessings as well. I believe that the Lord will use this weekend to impact someone in a very powerful way.

It would be great to see you at the Palanka Party, Friday, March 12th: 6:30 PM; Broomfield Community Church, 255 Miramonte Blvd (Just west of Main Street and north of 120th) and also at Mananitas, Sunday, March 21: 6AM; Salvation Army Camp High Peak Camp, Estes Park. I hope you can make it.

O Theos Na Se Evlogi (God Bless You),

Brenda Prose



WARDEN'S NEEDS LIST

3	Bread Round Loaves
2 Lbs	Bread Cubes
3 Lbs	Cheese Cubes—Swiss
3 Lbs	Cheese Cubes—Cheddar
4 Gals	Grape Juice—Red
3 Gals	Grape Juice—White
3 Gals	Apple Cider
1 Box	Fish Crackers—Big
4 Lbs	Grapes—Red
4 Lbs	Grapes—Green
2 Lbs	Gorp
12	Cupcakes for Birthdays
100	Lemonade Cookies
1—1 Lbs	Ground Coffee—Decaf
2—1 Lbs	Ground Coffee—Regular
3 Lbs	Hot Cocoa Mix
15 Boxes	Boxes of Kleenex
3 Rolls	Blue Painters Tape
60	Large Envelopes for pictures
50	Advil Tablets
1 Pack	Cold Tablets
300	Tealights
10	Long nozzle Lighters
12	Small round candles
4 Packs	Paper towels
300 Packages	Equal Sweetner
30	Tea Bags—Regular
200	Plastic Forks
50	Plastic Knives
200	Plastic spoons
100	Paper Bowls
500	Small Paper Plates
200	Large Paper Plates
1 Box	Sandwich Bags—Zip Lock
1 Box	Gallon size Bags—Zip Lock
50	Styrofoam Cups
100	Cold Drink Cups
40 Each Color	Dark Green/Bright Yellow/Bright Orange/Dark Purple Dinner Napkins
100	9 oz Plastic cups for Agape

1. Please sign up for items you would like to donate.
2. Please bring the items to the Palanka Party or make arrangements with the Wardens.
3. If you would like to donate money for an item please give the money to the Wardens early so that the supplies can be purchased.

Do You Want to be Part of a New Share Group?

One of the most important aspects of a Koinonia weekend is the small groups. Most of us had a very pleasant experience in our group. Many of us couldn't wait to get contact information so that we could continue these relationships in our 4th day. Others of us did not relate to our small groups on the weekend, but still understand the value of developing this important aspect of our Christian walk.

One of God's definitions of this type of relationship appears in Philippians 2:1-4

"If you've gotten anything at all out of following Christ, if his love has made any difference in your life, if being in a community of the Spirit means anything to you, if you have a heart, if you care— then do me a favor: Agree with each other, love each other, be deep-spirited friends. Don't push your way to the front; don't sweet-talk your way to the top. Put yourself aside, and help others get ahead. Don't be obsessed with getting your own advantage. Forget yourselves long enough to lend a helping hand."

Are you missing the type of community in your life that would be provided by a share group? We are seeking to form some new groups so that everyone who needs quality time with good friends, accountability, Bible study, fun, and endless other positive things, can be a part of a Koinonia Share Group.

If you are interested in being a part of a Koinonia Share Group, in hosting a group, or in leading a group, please contact me soon.

Dayna Nixon
Koinonia Share Group Coordinator
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COLORADO KOINONIA BOARD

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TREASURER'S REPORT

MAIN ACCOUNT

Statement Balance as of 1/31/10

\$2,079.44

Ending Balance

\$2,079.44

SCHOLARSHIP ACCOUNT

Statement Balance as of 1/31/10

\$1,483.24

Ending Balance

\$1,483.24

K-107 Team List

Layleader-4th Day	Brenda Prose
Asst. Layleader—Ideals	James DeValois
Spiritual Director	Joel Trenkle
Spiritual Director	Brad Beall
Musician	Kris Pancoast
Musician	Bob Clark
Musician	Jim Atkins
Speaker-Laity	Linda Feather
Speaker-Piety	Debbie Sinclair
Speaker-Study	Steve Lee
Speaker-Action	Cindy Goral
Speaker-Community	Mark Fick
Facilitator	Lori Haubert
Facilitator	DJ Wheeler
Facilitator	Wendy Hollister
Facilitator	Wayne Fox
Facilitator	Karen Hofstetter
Warden	Ron Lowrie-Smentek
Warden	Chrisla Lowrie-Smentek
Warden	Richard Jones
Warden	Robert McGhee
Kitchen Angel	Wendy DeValois
Kitchen Angel	Janice Greene
Kitchen Angel	Clara Jones
Kitchen Angel	Scott Nixon
Kitchen Angel	Julie Zuniga
Kitchen Angel	Ann Hawthorne
Kitchen Angel	Julien Swain
Prayer Disciple	Jeff Prose
Prayer Disciple	Teresa George
Prayer Disciple	Dennis Haubert
Prayer Disciple	Susie Fox
Prayer Disciple	Linda Atkins
Prayer Disciple	Debbie Johnson
Home Team	Jackie Nelson
Home Team	Debbie Vaughn
Home Team	Lynette Lee
Home Team	Tye George

This list is subject to change before the weekend.

K-107 New Koinonian's

Who will be added to our wonderful Family?



The Best Is Yet To Come!



Scripture Corner

Don't Just Believe....Belong!

God's Family is the church of the living God, the pillar and foundation of the truth.

1 Timothy 3:15b (GW)

Even in the perfect, sinless environment of Eden, God said, "It is not good for man to be alone".

Genesis 2:18 (NIV)

Koinonia Etiquette

One of the focus areas for the Koinonia Continuance Board over the past year has been what we are calling Koinonia etiquette. This is intended to address several concerns that have been raised about certain inappropriate behaviors on previous Koinonia retreats. Starting with K-106, the Board has directed that expectations about Koinonia etiquette be presented to the team during the second and fourth team meetings and reinforced at the Friday afternoon team meeting. These behavior expectations include:

- Act as a Christian role model. Keep horseplay to a minimum.
- Keep the language appropriate.
- Do not leave the camp.
- Do not try to "fix" someone. We are here to love them.
- Do not judge others – especially regarding their lifestyle, their church, or where you think their heart is at.
- Be forgiving and tolerant. Demonstrate Koinonia's unconditional love.
- Have fun when it is appropriate.
- Keep the holy times holy. Remain silent during communion, riddance of sin, anointing, and "discovering" you are forgiven. Respect that God is doing some very important work. Do not be a distraction.
- Lovingly remind team members who forget and misbehave. Take responsibility for monitoring the behavior of each other and don't be afraid to remind them that God is at work.

We realize that any of us may forget or neglect to follow the appropriate etiquette standards, and a gentle reminder may be all that is needed to keep the weekend as a holy experience where God's love can be truly experienced. As a Board, we hope that this emphasis on Koinonia etiquette will help us to not get in the way of God's special work.

Steve Nixon

Chair, Colorado Koinonia Continuance Board

Colorado Koinonia Calendar of Events

Description	Date	Location
K-107 Palanka Party Church & Team Dedication	Friday, March 12, 2010 6:30 P.M.	Broomfield Community 255 Miramonte Blvd.
K-107	March 19-21, 2010	Salvation Army High Peaks
K-107 Post Weekend Potluck *Bring a dish to share & your kup	Saturday, April 3, 2010 11:15 A.M.	Broomfield Community Church 255 Miramonte Blvd.
K-108	October 22-24, 2010	Salvation Army High Peaks

We hope to see you there!

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LOOK AT THE WEBSITE....
WWW.COLORADOKOINONIA.ORG

Don't Forget to go to the Website. The pages include current information on bylaws, outreach visitation groups, Salvation Army High Peak Camp, contact information for each Board member, as well as links to other Koinonias and Christian movements. This website is a valuable tool for all Koinonians; it is an excellent way to stay informed about the organization, contact Board members, and notify the community about any prayer requests you may have. Additionally, a Team list and Wardens' Needs list will be posted on the website prior to upcoming retreats to ensure that everyone serving on Team is notified and geared up for the Weekend. Visit us any time at Coloradokoinonia.org

God bless,

Janelle Gamble

May the Peace of the Lord Be with You!