

God's Peaks Lodge together with
The Voice of the Martyrs Canada presents...

Discipleship Training RETREAT

April 17-19, 2020

A Biblical Understanding of Persecution and Discipleship



God's Peaks Lodge
Parson, BC
(30 min south of Golden
Nestled in the Rocky Mountains)

To register, visit www.godspeakslodge.ca
Early Bird deadline: March 25, 2020

SINGLE RATE

Early Bird \$153 (after March 25, \$168)
Includes Meals, Seminars, and "Hostel
Style Lodging" (bring your own
bedding and towel)

COUPLE RATE

Early Bird \$396 (after March 25, \$436)
Includes Meals, Seminars, and a "Private
Room for Two" with attached bathroom
(bring your own bedding and towels)

LOCALS OR SINGLE RVer's RATE

Early Bird \$103 (after March 25, \$118)
Includes Meals, Seminars, and "RV
Parking" (bring your own RV)



TOPIC: A BIBLICAL UNDERSTANDING OF PERSECUTION AND DISCIPLESHIP

This weekend seminar will help us to better understand why Christians have suffered for their faith over the past two thousand years, and even in these present days.

Over the weekend, we will explore why God's people are persecuted and the different kinds of persecution they face. While examining both the Old and New Testaments, we will cover several relevant topics: What does it mean to take up our cross? How should the followers of Jesus respond to persecution? How does it advance God's Kingdom? How is persecution used in discipleship? Can we stop the persecution of Christians?

Along with the teaching, Greg Musselman will also share many stories of today's persecuted church. You will be inspired and challenged over the weekend, which will further strengthen your faith in Jesus and ignite a great passion to serve Him!

SPEAKER: GREG MUSSLEMAN

Based in Alberta, Greg began his full-time ministry with The Voice of the Martyrs Canada in 2003, after serving for three years as a volunteer. Over the years, he has reported from restricted and hostile nations in Africa, Europe, Asia, South America and the Middle East, interviewing hundreds of persecuted Christians. Along with being interviewed for numerous television and radio broadcasts in Canada and the United States, Greg himself produces video documentaries, as well as radio and television programs.

Greg actively shares the message of the persecuted in churches, college campuses, and at conferences across Canada. Through his extensive travels, he has spoken in many churches and Bible colleges around the world. His inspiring book, *Closer to the Fire: Lessons from the Persecuted Church*, was released in 2012. As co-host of the national daily Christian television program, *100 Huntley Street* (www.100huntley.com), he has the opportunity to present the Gospel to viewers who are spiritually seeking while ministering to the Canadian church at large.

Born and raised in British Columbia, Greg became a Christian at the age of 23 while living in Edmonton. Married for the past 36 years to Arlene, the couple has been blessed with four adult children and two grandchildren. Also an ordained minister, Greg has served as a pastor in Alberta and Manitoba, and for various Christian media ministries. Prior to this, he worked in television as a sports anchor and reporter. In addition to graduating from Northwest Bible College in Edmonton (1990), Greg attended the Columbia School of Broadcasting in Vancouver (1976).

EQUIPPING THE SAINTS FUND

Any donations made at this retreat will go to the *Equipping the Saints* Fund. The *Equipping the Saints* Fund helps meet the educational needs facing today's persecuted church and believers facing potential persecution. We provide intensive training seminars held in-country to empower leaders and teachers to educate and train their own people. By supplying qualified teachers, Bibles and other Christian literature, we partner with Christian leaders in "equipping the saints."

SCHEDULE

FRIDAY

7:00 PM - Arrival and Registration
8:00 PM - Welcome (Introduction with Greg)
9:00 PM - Snacks and Games

SUNDAY

7:30 AM - Coffee
8:00 AM - Breakfast
9:00 AM - Seminar Block 3
10:30 AM - Free Time (Volleyball)
12:00 PM - Lunch
1:30 PM - Departure

SATURDAY

7:30 AM - Coffee
8:00 AM - Breakfast
9:00 AM - Seminar Block 1
10:30 AM - Free time (Volleyball)
12:00 PM - Lunch
1:30 PM - Guided Ridgeline Hike or Trail
Bike Ride (bring your own bike)
5:30 PM - Dinner
7:00 PM - Seminar Block 2
9:00 PM - Worship and Snacks around
the Campfire