



The Compassionate Friends

El Paso, Texas Chapter

Supporting Family After a Child Dies

presents

the 3rd Grieving Conference

“Embracing Grief with Our Hope”

February 25, 2017 ~ 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

Registration 7:30 – 8:30 am

Region XIX Education Service Center
6611 Boeing Dr. ~ El Paso, TX 79925

Presentations by:

Dr. Gloria Horsley MFC CNS Ph.D. is the Founder and President of the Open to Hope Foundation a multi-media, web-based resource for the bereaved. Gloria is an internationally known grief expert, psychotherapist, and bereaved parent. She is a licensed Marriage and Family Therapist and Clinical Nurse Specialist, and has worked in the field of family therapy for over 25 years. Gloria co-hosts the Internet radio show, “Open to Hope,” and has authored a number of books and articles. She is the co-author along with her daughter Heidi of *Open to Hope: Inspirational Stories of Healing after loss* and *Open to Hope: Inspirational Stories of Handling The Holidays*. She has been on a number of radio and television shows including “The Today Show”.

Dr. Heidi Horsley is a licensed psychologist and social worker, and is the Executive Director and Co-Founder of the Open to Hope Foundation. Dr. Heidi is in private practice in Manhattan. In addition, she is an Adjunct Professor at Columbia University. An internationally known grief expert, author, and bereaved sibling, Heidi co-hosts the syndicated internet radio show, Open to Hope. She serves on the National Board of The Compassionate Friends and on the Advisory Board for the Tragedy Assistance Program for Survivors (TAPS). She has written numerous articles for professional journals, and is co-author of the books, *Open to Hope, Inspirational Stories for Healing After Loss; Real Men Do Cry: A Quarterback’s Inspiring Story of Tackling Depression and Surviving Suicide Loss;* and *Teen Grief Relief: Parenting with Understanding Support and Guidance*. Dr. Heidi earned a doctorate in psychology (Psy.D.) from the University of San Francisco; a master’s degree in social work (L.M.S.W.) from Columbia University, and in mental health counseling (M.S.) from Loyola University in New Orleans.

Registration fees:

(cash or check only, checks payable to *The Compassionate Friends, El Paso Chapter*)

\$25.00 per person includes refreshments and lunch

(Register before February 18, 2017 in order to guarantee lunch ticket)

Register today! For details on registration visit The Compassionate Friends El Paso Chapter website at elpasotcf.org or compassionatefriends.org or call **Terri Gallardo** at 915-637-0586 or **Robert Gallardo** at 915-204-0658

Bring a photo of your child (8x10 or smaller)



Please mail registration form to: Terri Gallardo, PO Box 971905, El Paso, TX 79997

Registration form for February 25, 2017 Regional Conference

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Child’s first name _____ Birth MONTH / DAY Death MONTH / DAY

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You need not walk alone!