

Northern California/Nevada Emmaus/Chrysalis Community News February 2004



"When He was at the table with them, He took bread, blessed and broke it, and gave it to them. Then their eyes were opened and they recognized Him." Luke 24:30-31a Volume 16, No. 1



Chrysalis in Action

Twenty-five young women had a fantastic experience on Girl's Flight #17 at Modesto UMC in February (see page 7 for a report and a list of the new Community members).

As of this writing, eighteen young men are expected on Boy's Flight #17 later in the

month. In addition, the Community is working hard to offer another set of Flights later this year. The Chrysalis board of directors has quite a few open slots and if you have an interest in serving, contact Martha Moore, Chrysalis Community Lay Director at:

ancientvoicez@hotmail.com.

209-524-8361

805 Stonington Circle, Modesto CA 95356

Don't miss an opportunity to work on a Flight (see page 4 for contact information). Typically, folks who come back from working on a Chrysalis Flight are spiritually on fire!



Important!!! No Childcare

Please note that childcare will **NOT** be provided at the forthcoming Grass Valley and Woodland Walks by the Community or the churches. We are not always able to guarantee proper personnel and facilities therefore must ask people to make other arrangements for childcare. It is especially important for Sponsors to be accountable and take control of any concerns of their Pilgrims in this regard. As much as we love children, we would note that The Upper Room, the sponsors of The Walk to Emmaus, recommends children not be a part of the Walk weekend (includes Candlelight, Closing and Background). The Community Board of Directors will review Community policy at the next board meeting.

Emmaus Walks - 2004

Grass Valley, California

Grass Valley UMC 236 South Church Street

Team Meetings Feb 6 - 8

Men's Walk #33 Mar 4 - 7 (full)

Lay Director: Ray Leonard

Women's Walk #37 Mar 18 - 21 (full)

Lay Director: Sheri Woods

Woodland, California

Woodland UMC 212 Second Street

Team Meeting Apr 30 - May 2

Women's Walk #38 May 20 - 23 (full)

Lay Director: Christine Joeseeph

Gardnerville, Nevada

Carson Valley UMC 1375 Centerville Lane

Team Meetings Jun 25 - 27

Men's Walk #34 Jul 29 - Aug 1

Lay Director: Marv Stern

Women's Walk #39 Aug 12 - 15

Lay Director: Lynda Jamieson

Modesto, California

Modesto First UMC 850 16th Street

Men's Walk #35 Oct 28 - 31

Lay Director: TBA

Women's Walk #40 Nov 11 - 14

Lay Director: TBA

(Chrysalis information on page 8)

Remember Your Annual Donation!

The Community requests an annual donation of \$20 per year per member (tax deductible). If you haven't yet responded, please make your check out to Emmaus, being sure to note the purpose, and send it to the Treasurer: Rick Porter, 1668 Iroquois Road., Rocklin, CA 95765. See enclosed mailing envelope. Many Thanks!

Men's Walk #33
Grass Valley, California

Team Members

Lay Director	Ray Leonard
Spiritual Director	Ray Dowdy
Clergy	Gary Grundman, Pat Leamy
Board Representative	Dave Shumway
Assist. Lay Directors	Jerry Olson, Art Fabsits, Rob Dunning
Table Leaders	Tom Fossum, Irv Joseph, Marty Murphy, Bob Thomas, Ken Bley, Dave Cole
Assist. Table Leaders	Dave Kreps, Colin Patrick, John Paur, Cliff Williams, Charlie Galatro, Rick Porter
Team Chiefs:	
Kitchen	Chuck Nielsen
Decorations	Pat Fabsits, Romelia Soto
Snacks	Carol Leamy
Agape	Christine Iwahashi
Music	John Culbert
Love	Don & Elaine King



Pilgrim Application Process

Applications for the next Men's and Women's Walks, July/August 2004 in Gardnerville, can be postmarked no sooner than March 22, 2004. A \$75 Pilgrim fee must accompany the application.

Applications are placed in postmark order with applicants and their sponsors receiving postcards notifying them if the applicant has been accepted or has been placed on the waiting list. If there is not sufficient room for an applicant, the \$75 fee is returned and they are encouraged to apply again - the waiting list is not held over for a subsequent Walk so it is necessary to reapply. Please note Women's Walks fill up quickly. Mail applications to the Community Registrar. Applications are available at Community functions or from Sheri.

Registrar: Sheri Woods

2325 Thistle Down Drive 916-786-6588
 Roseville, CA 95661 sheriwoods@surewest.net

Men's Walk #33
March 4 - 7 Grass Valley, California

Pilgrims

Gary Blair	Wayne Myrick
Andy Burke	Max Patterson
Bob Bussey	Dareld Phillips Sr.
Marcus Clark	Steve Plocher
Les Coombs	Mark Racicot
John Darlington	Roy Robison
Rob Dirkse	Will Salyards
Jody Gaines	Timothy Schooss
Glen Gorman	Jerry Scott
Rex Hockett	Chad Silverstein
Jim Kwon	Emmet Smith
David Lambin	Steve Sousa
Ed Lubiano	Phil Thompson
Ron Maxwell	Dave Wayda
Jeff Mithchell	Joe Wiram
Mark Moorehead	

Attention All Prayer Warriors



If you haven't already done so, please sign up to assist in the 72-Hour Prayer Vigil for both the Men's and Women's Walks. Just send me your "current" email address and I'll be happy to include you in emails about upcoming Walks. EACH time we have a Walk it requires 72 prayer volunteers to fill the 72 slots on the prayer wheel. This is a wonderful gift of agape that you can do in your own home, your car, or just about any place that you talk to God! You pick a one-hour time during the 72 hours to pray for the Pilgrims, Sponsors, and Team. Remember how important the power of prayer was on your Walk? Please consider giving this agape gift back to others.

Email me at dlwaage@quiknet.com with your current email address if you'd like to join and ONLY if you haven't already been involved in the Prayer Vigil for Walks. Thank you so much and blessings to all.

Prayer Vigil Coordinator: Linda Waage
dlwaage@quiknet.com
 916-774-6180

Women's Walk #37
Grass Valley, California

Team Members

Lay Director	Sheri Woods
Spiritual Director	Craig Dale
Clergy	Debbi Grundman,
Board Representative	Chris McAnally
Assist. Lay Directors	Christine Joseph, Linda Waage, Chris Sperbeck
Table Leaders	Debri Flory, Linda Fitzgerald, Debbie Cunningham, Sharon Blomquist, Sharyl Kooyer, Monika Neilsen
Assist. Table Leaders	Darla Eisenhardt, Carolyn Brodt, Julie Bley, Jackie Beck, Sue Massey, Cathy Weiss
Team Chiefs:	
Kitchen	Karen Porter, Terri Freymeyer
Decorations	Barbi Brinkman, Mitzi Stone
Snacks	Charlotte & Jerry James
Agape	Deni Dax
Music	Jeannie Long
Love	Nancy Thompson

*Share Your Favorite
 Book Titles*



If you have a favorite book you want to suggest be added to the book list in the Pilgrim's 4th Day Packet, please e-mail Joyce Richards. joycecraig@syix.com

Community Web Site Shut Down

After being hacked and spammed, the Community web site has been shut down. Even with security measures in place, inappropriate pictures were added to the home page. If you have an interest and the expertise to help create a new site, please contact:

Gary McAnally 916-663-1802;
garymcanally@msn.com

9925 Quail Hill Rd., Newcastle, CA 95658).

Women's Walk #37
March 18 - 21, Grass Valley, California

Pilgrims

Breiana Belleau	Doni Jones
Shirley Blair	Karen Kwon
Debbie Bramlett	Debbie Lambin
Darcy Briel	Lois Moore
Marge Brooks	Kay Morton
Glenda Cato	Angi Mowdy
Marilyn Darlington	Mazie Myrick
Karyn Dirkse	Simone Patton
Judy Emerson	Chris Pedersen
Betty Evans	Lois Scott
Deidre Gaines	Becky Smith
Diana Gigliotti	Cecilia Sousa
Kristy Gorman	Jill Souza
Valerie Haack	Linda Thompson
Cindy Hamilton	Colleen Wilcox
Judy Jensen	Kathy Wiram



New Russian Emmaus Community?

Steve Johnson, pastor of the Church of the Mountains UMC in Truckee, and wife Carol are headed for Khabarovsk in Far East Russia next year for a long stint as missionaries. There are a lot of spiritual needs there and the Walk to Emmaus might become a part of the solution. For more of this great story, contact them at grandmashome@sbcglobal.net Steve has served as Spiritual Director for both the Emmaus and Chrysalis Communities, and Carol as Emmaus Community Lay Director. We pray them Godspeed and De Colores!



In Memoriam

Lyle Kisling died at home January 4 after a courageous battle with cancer. He and his wife Lynnette took their Walks in Idaho and became active in our Community after moving to Sacramento. They worked on many teams and both served as Walk Lay Directors. Besides Lynnette, Lyle leaves behind three sons, one daughter and several grandchildren. He was buried in Arizona where his sons live. If you would like to send a card to Lynnette her address is 2349 Imran, Sacramento 95825.

It is Time to Work a Walk!

Action Team (Background) Applications are available at Gatherings or from the contact persons listed below

For each Walk: Carol Johnson,
PO Box 3233, Truckee, CA 96160,
E-mail: grandmashome@sbcglobal.net

For each Chrysalis Flight: Phyllis Clement,
6571 Maple Dr., Dublin CA 94568
Phone: 925-803-8048

For each Kairos Event: John Culbert, regarding volunteering, snacks, etc.
E-mail: johncjr@pacbell.net or
Phone: 916-991-6614

Please Note

Volunteers for Walks and Flights must submit an application for each Walk or Flight they wish to work.

Newsletter Publishing Information

The Community currently publishes **three** newsletters per year scheduled for **January/February, June/July and September/October.**

If you wish to receive your newsletter by e-mail, contact Karen Shumway at shumway@starstream.net giving her your email contact information. Newsletter submittals are encouraged and should be sent to Dave or Karen Shumway

shumway@starstream.net,

or

487 Bullion Mine Ct.,
Lincoln, CA 95648
916-408-1990.

Advance notice is greatly appreciated.

Deadline for the next issue is **June 15, 2004**. Newsletter information is current at time of publication. Please bring any errors, omissions, or comments to Dave or Karen's attention. De Colores!



Keep the Fires Burning - Attend Gatherings

When was the last time you attended an Emmaus Gathering? Do you meet regularly for an Emmaus Reunion Group? Have you ever served on a team at an Emmaus Walk or Chrysalis Flight? If you answered never, no and no to any or all of these questions, you are missing some important ways to keep the fire that you felt burning inside of you at the end of your Walk or Flight going.

Gatherings are a time when people from a particular area meet for food, fellowship and worship. We currently have Gatherings being held in the greater Sacramento area, the Truckee/Reno/Sparks area and San Jose/Santa Cruz area (see the Gatherings section of the Newsletter, page 5, for more information). We could use help with coordinating a Gathering in the southern part of our Community (e.g., Modesto, Oakdale, Atwater, Merced). If you would like to be a Gathering Coordinator in that area, please contact me at (916) 991-0151, or, smdavis11@juno.com. I will be happy to help get one organized.

(Ed's note: this is from Sue Davis, who has recently become our Community's 4th Day Coordinator. Sue, welcome aboard!)



Candlelight and Closing

Want a great lift for your spirit?
Want to support your Community?
Want to meet old friends?
Want to make new friends?

Attend Candlelight at 8:00 pm!
Attend Closing at 3:00 pm!



Gatherings

Contact Area Coordinators for additional dates and times

Bay Area/Santa Cruz

Coordinator Needed

Lodi/Stockton Area

Coordinator Needed

Folsom Lake Area

Lutheran Church of the Resurrection

Coordinator: Franc Woods

916-786-6588

E-mail: francwoods@surewest.net

Sacramento Area

March 26 Foothills UMC

April 16 Newcastle UMC

May 14 Galt UMC

Coordinator: Jerry & Rosa Washington-Olson

530-753-2088

E-mail: golson7373@aol.com

Sierra Foothills Area

Coordinator Needed

Sierra Valley Area

Temp. Coordinator: Christine Iwahashi

209-847-1318

E-mail 73751.14@compuserve.com

Truckee River Area

March 26 St. Paul's UMC, Reno

April 30 Church of the Mountains, Truckee

May 28 Sparks UMC, Reno

June 25 St. Paul's UMC, Reno

August 27 Sparks UMC, Reno

September 24 St. Paul's UMC, Reno

October 22 Church of the Mountains, Truckee

December 10 Sparks UMC, Reno

Coordinator: Nancy Baker

775-425-5066

E-mail: cbaker3458@aol.com

Susanville Area

Coordinator: Jeanne Long

530-827-3407

E-mail: jmlong_96113@yahoo.com

You are welcome to attend any or all Gatherings.

Board of Directors 2003/2004

Northern California/Nevada Emmaus Community

Community Lay Director	Gary McAnally
Asst. Community Lay Director	Ron West
Past Community Lay Director	Carol Johnson
Secretary	Joanne West
Treasurer	Rick Porter
Community Spiritual Director	Art Catterall
Clergy Person	Pat Leamy
Clergy Person	Craig Dale
Communications Coordinator	Kimberly Cole
Newsletter Editor	Dave & Karen Shumway
Community Database*	Karen Shumway
Fourth Day Coordinator	Sue Davis
Literature	Lynette Grandison
Registrar	Sheri Woods
Site Selection/Facilities Coordinator	Oscar Romo
Team Selection Coordinator	Ron West
Action Team Coordinator:*	Carol Johnson
Walk Support Coordinator	Joyce Richards
Agape Coordinator*	Nancy Ropecka
Prayer Vigil	Linda Waage
Prayer Chain	Alisha Wells
Chrysalis Board	Ron West

*Non-board members TBA (to be appointed)

Northern California / Nevada Chrysalis Community

Community Lay Director	Martha Moore
Asst. Comm. Lay Director	TBA
Secretary	TBA
Treasurer	Pierre Clement
Community Spiritual Director	Neal Harris
Clergy Person	TBA
Parliamentarian	TBA
Publicity Chair	TBA
Literature Chair	TBA
Registrar	Phyllis Clement
Team Selection Coordinator	Curtis Mook
Background Coordinator	Curtis Mook
Flight Support Coordinator	Sally Randolph
Next Steps Coordinator	Michelle Pitcher
Emmaus Board Liaison	Ron West
AD Hoc Member	Claudia Speziale
Candlelight Coordinator	Chuck Mook
Trailer Transport	Andy Speziale

New Treasurer

Rick Porter will assume the responsibilities of Community Treasurer on February 21, 2004. The Community wants to give a big De Colores! to outgoing Treasurer, Claire Patterson, for serving the Lord through this Board position.

As of February 21, all payments, requests for reimbursements, receipts from Walk expenses, etc. should be sent to Rick at 1668 Iroquois Rd, Rocklin, CA 95765. He may also be reached at (916) 435-5990, or, porters4@msn.com.

Note: checks submitted should be payable to 'Emmaus' with the purpose noted on the memo line.



Welcome New Community Members

The following pilgrims attended the
Women's Walk to Emmaus # 36 in Yuba City, CA
October 16 -19 2003

*"If anyone is thirsty, let him come to me and drink."
John 7:37*

Marilyn Bejsovec of Manteca, CA
Sonja Belanger of Rio Vista, CA
Caroline Brazil of Citrus Heights, CA
Lori Breuch of Truckee, CA
Hale Carr of Truckee, CA
Margi Coles of Reno, NV
Margaret Currier of Grass Valley, CA
Ruby Goodnight of San Jose, CA
Amy Goodwin-Hoff of Rancho
Cordova, CA
Cathy Gunst of Sacramento, CA
Angel Harris of Yuba City, CA
Karen Hensley of Sparks, NV
Mary Hoepker of Atwater, CA
Rita Holtebeck of Truckee, CA
Charlotte James of Newcastle, CA
Jane Kagehiro of Colusa, CA
Amy Kline of Woodland, CA
Carol Kluvers of Truckee, CA
Doris Knauss of Herald, CA
Aeri Lee of Sunnyvale, CA
El' Marie Long of Yuba City, CA
Sue McKnight of Sparks, NV
Jane Miller of Folsom, CA
Daislyn Pease of Milpitas, CA
Mindy Poukish of Yuba City, CA
Suzie Rodriques-Wickland of Galt, CA
Judy Silar of Truckee, CA
Casey Silverstein of Nevada City, CA
Madlene Stanton of Valley Springs, CA
Trudi Stover of Davis, CA
Ester Taber of Valley Springs, CA
Carolyn Thorp of Valley Springs, CA
Sheree Walker of Sacramento, CA
Connie Williams of Auburn, CA

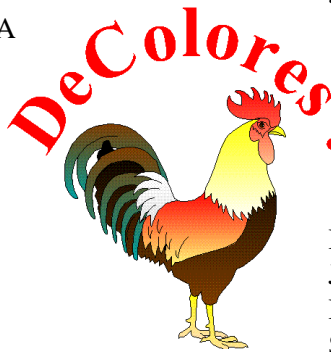
We Have Drapes!

Many thanks for those who contributed to the purchase of the portable drape system we had been renting for Walks (see Sept '03 Newsletter). Not only will the Community save money, those who work the Walks will bless you.

The following pilgrims attended the
Men's Walk to Emmaus # 32 in Yuba City, CA
October 2 - 5 2003

*"Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you
by name, you are mine." Isaiah 43:1*

Joshua Andres of Milpitas, CA
Mike Belanger of Rio Vista, CA
Lamar Bramlett of Valley Springs, CA
Albert Crepeau of Woodland, CA
Justin Flory of Santa Rosa, CA
John Frith of Folsom, CA
Alan Haack of Roseville, CA
Chris Harris of Yuba City, CA
Harry Hooper of Cameron Park, CA
David Moroni of Le Grand, CA
Nathan Pitcairn of Davis, CA
David Poukish of Yuba City, CA
Ben Quinn of Tahoe City, CA
Joe Reekers of Woodland, CA
Bill Taber of Valley Springs, CA
Steven Thorp of Valley Springs, CA
Larry Wasson of Woodland, CA
Bruce Wickland of Galt, CA
Randy Wunker of Atwater, CA
Randy Zachary of Modesto, CA



New Chrysalis Community Lay Director

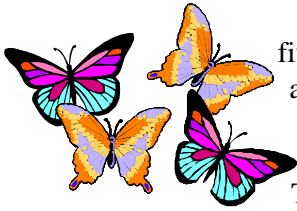
Martha Moore has assumed the responsibilities of Chrysalis Community Lay Director. The Community wants to give a big De Colores! to Brian Barker, the outgoing Lay Director, for serving the Lord through this Board position.

Brian and Barbara Barker's son James was seriously injured in an automobile accident and they are focusing on James' rehabilitation. Though James has a long way to go, he has made remarkable progress (for more on James' status and for his address, contact Martha Moore - see the 'Chrysalis in Action' article on page 1).

One of James' doctors asked Brian if people were praying for James. Brian assured him that many were doing so. The doctor replied, "Tell them it's working."

Welcome New Butterflies

*There is a time for everything and a season for every activity under heaven
(Ecclesiastes 3:1)*



On February 5-8, 2004, twenty-five young ladies were brought into a closer relationship with Christ!

The Northern California and Nevada Girls Chrysalis Flight #17 Team, both Conference Room and

Background, had an amazing weekend watching the girls grow in their faith.

Talks were given, laughter was heard, tears were shed, beautiful singing took place, poster parties rocked the conference room, lasting friendships were made, the Community came together to pray for and welcome twenty-five new Butterflies ...and great food was eaten!

Everyone at the Flight was on fire for God! God was definitely present during the whole weekend, moving in His mysterious ways! The weekend was all about helping the young ladies open the eyes of their hearts to the Spirit and giving them some brain food so that God could work His magic!

Please help these beautiful new Butterflies in their Next Steps by encouraging them to go to Gatherings and Candlelights, work future Walks and Flights, participate in the 72-hour Prayer Vigil, and attend other Community events.

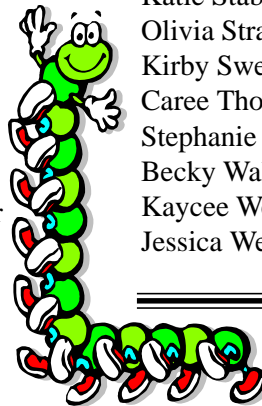
If you know of a teenager or young adult who wishes to seek a stronger relationship with God, please prayerfully consider sponsoring them on a future Flight. Please also show your support to the Chrysalis Community by volunteering to work future Flights. Twenty-five new Butterflies were brought into this Emmaus / Chrysalis Community because of the loving hearts of volunteers to cook, clean, decorate, lead meaningful discussions, and to ring the bell to keep the schedule. Fly With Christ!

(submitted by Sarah Davis)

Applicants, of any Christian denomination, must be at least 15 years old and have completed the 9th grade. Those in their very early twenties may be encouraged to attend a Walk to Emmaus.

The following girls attended the Chrysalis Flight # 17 in Modesto, CA
February 5 - 8

Chelsea Adams of Dixon, CA
Jennifer Bailey of Ripon, CA
Caitlin Barker of Modesto, CA
Raisa Castor of San Jose, CA
Amanda Farley of Oakdale, CA
Melissa Farley of Oakdale, CA
Rebecca Hillman of Hughson, CA
Lexi Hudson of Davis, CA
Natalie Kershner of Visalia, CA
Ashley Kersten of Bakersfield, CA
Claire Lindsay-McGinn of Davis, CA
Emily Matthew of Waterford, CA
Sara Morand of Davis, CA
Holly Nelson of Gardnerville, NV
Alyssa Park of Gardnerville, NV
Samantha Richards of Colusa, CA
Leslie Rodriques of Galt, CA
Katie Stabler of Woodland, CA
Olivia Stransky of Woodland, CA
Kirby Swenson of Turlock, CA
Caree Thomas of Sun Valley, NV
Stephanie Ulmer of Shingle Springs, CA
Becky Wallace of Sparks, NV
Kaycee Wegener of Davis, CA
Jessica Welch of Sparks, NV



Boy's Chrysalis Flight #17
Modesto, CA
February 26 - 29
(As of February 21)

Airam Andres	Walter Lang
Casey Antonio	Nick Leppla
Clay Brinkman	Caleb O'Dell
Nathan Chesser	Dylan Porteous
Tony Contini	Doug Raley
Ross Dickerson	Zach Sanders
Ryan Ferro	Shawn Sehl
Jason Hanson	Adam Walker
Steve Harris	Logan Zane

Northern CA/NV
 Emmaus/Chrysalis Community
 % Karen Shumway
 487 Bullion Mine Court
 Lincoln, CA 95648

US POSTAGE
 PAID
 Non-Profit
 Organization
 Permit No. 143
 Davis, CA

Return Service Requested



February 2004

“Encourage one another and build each other up.” 1 Thessalonians 5:11

2004 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

2004	DATES	LOCATION
Chrysalis Girls Flight # 17	Feb 5 - 8	Modesto
Chrysalis Boys Flight # 17	Feb 26 - 29	Modesto
Men’s Walk #33	Mar 4 - 7	Grass Valley
Women’s Walk #37	Mar 18 - 21	Grass Valley
Emmaus Board Meeting	April 17 (9:30 am)	Galt
WW #38 Team Meeting	Apr 30 - May 2	Woodland
Women’s Walk #38	May 20 - 23	Woodland
MW 34 and WW #39 Team Meeting	Jun 25 - 27	Gardnerville
Men’s Walk #34	Jul 29 - Aug 1	Gardnerville
Women’s Walk #39	Aug 12 - 15	Gardnerville
Emmaus Board Meeting	July 17 (9:30 am)	Galt
MW #35 and WW #40 Team Meeting	Oct 1 - 3	Modesto
Men’s Walk #35	Oct 28 - 31	Modesto
Women’s Walk #40	Nov 11 - 14	Modesto

An Exciting 2004! **Four** Women’s Walks, three Men’s Walks,
 one set of Flights, with a possible second set to follow.