



SpeakingOut News

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SpeakingOut

against Child Sexual Abuse, Inc.

(A Non-Profit Organization)

"Speak up for those
who cannot speak
for themselves...
(Proverbs 31:8)

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"Coming together
as Leaders in
our Homes, our
Churches and
the Community
to address the
Issue of Child
Sexual Abuse in
America."

**America...
A Safe Place
for Children!**

UPCOMING EVENT

[Knoxville, TN]

Resolve Ministries Concert Extravaganza and Fundraiser

Saturday, August 22, 2009

11:00 am—5:45 pm

Belmont Heights Baptist Church

2510 Belmont Heights Avenue

Knoxville, TN 37921

Resolve Ministries (www.resolveministries.com) is hosting an all day concert event with local Christian artists performing throughout the day.
(Heart to Heart, Kathy Cross, Rick Liles, etc.)

Some of Resolve Ministries' own will also be performing!
(Kathy Bailey & Leslie and Audrey Wall)

96.3's own Shane King will be Master of Ceremonies for this incredible event!

Food, Fun, Door Prizes & Fabulous Christian Music

SpeakingOut will be there Saturday!

Guest Speaker for SpeakingOut

Laura West

(Author of "Blind, Burned and Living Against All Odds")

Be sure to stop by & visit us at our Information Table
anytime throughout the day!

We Hope to See You There!

Make Your Pledge Today...

Did You Know?

It is
**“Estimated
 that a Child is
 Sexually
 Abused every
 2 Minutes”
 in this country.**

According to MASA
 (Mothers Against Sexual Abuse)
www.againstsexualabuse.org

SpeakingOut’s Primary Purpose... to Raise Awareness on Child Sexual Abuse in America in an effort to Aid in the Prevention of this horrific crime committed against innocent children of all ages.

Our Approach... to take a more Proactive Approach; Prevent & Stop Child Sexual Abuse before it happens.

There are so many great causes out there. You may be thinking “SpeakingOut... just another non-profit organization asking for money”. I urge you to think about this... Child Sexual Abuse is still one of those issues in society that continues to be put on the back burner. It is an unpleasant topic, there’s no doubt— a very sensitive topic. Most people would rather contribute to a “happy” cause. I urge you to take a look at this issue from our point of view...

Each & Every Child is Worth It!
(Our Time, Our Efforts, Even Our Money)

Every time an Adult (Parent, Grandparent, Teacher, Caregiver, etc...) gets educated on this topic, that in turn gives them the tools needed to raise awareness with children. Children of all ages need to know the dangers out there. Unfortunately, we do not live in a society where we can just ignore this violation against children anymore. It’s too rampant! And we can never do too much when it comes to Raising Awareness. We’re talking about Children... Children of all ages... Children all across America.

These Children Need Your Help!

As a non-profit organization, we rely on caring people like you to work toward our mission. We have accomplished so much over the past year and a half, but there is so much more to be done. We have only begun to scratch the surface of this horrific crime in America... and it is a Crime! But we cannot do this alone. In order for us to continue fighting against the sexual abuse of innocent children, we need your help.

There is no \$\$\$ amount too large or too small... every dollar YOU contribute helps us continue working toward our Mission. Together, we can make a difference in the lives of children.

Children Deserve our Immediate Attention on this Matter!

Will You Join Us in the Fight Against Child Sexual Abuse?

Make your Pledge Today to STOP Child Sexual Abuse!

To Make an Online Donation, go to www.speakingout-csa.com
 (Just Look for the PayPal Donate Button)

or

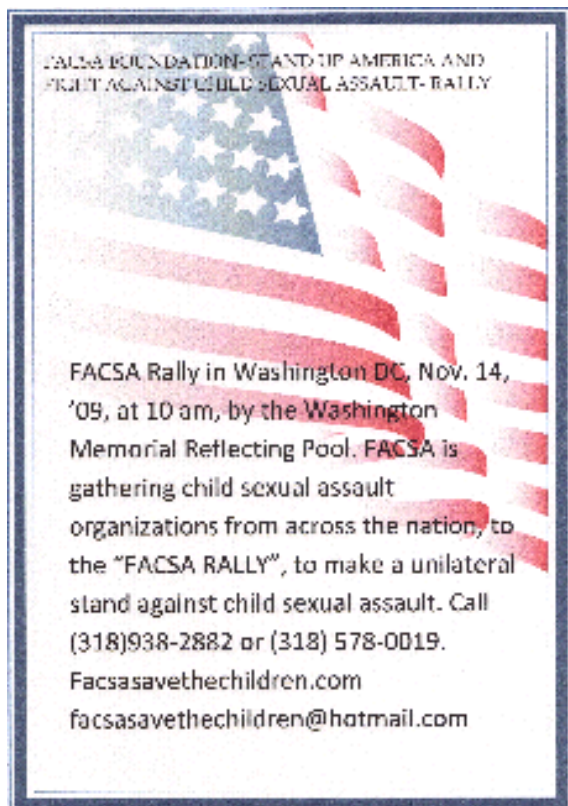
To Mail in your Check or Money Order...

Payable To: SpeakingOut

Mail To: P.O. Box 5826, Oak Ridge, TN 37831

[We Accept One-Time & Monthly Donations]

SpeakingOut going to Washington D.C.



SpeakingOut has been invited to participate in a Rally to be held in Washington D.C. on November 14th. This will be a great opportunity to join forces with other organizations across the nation to **Speak Out** against the **Sexual Abuse of Children**.

There will be Music, Videos, a fantastic Closing Program, as well as Speakers throughout the day. Although not an all-inclusive list, some of the Speakers for this upcoming event are listed below...

Connie Lee (President/Founder)- FACSA Foundation, Springhill, LA

Susan Suafoa Dinino (President/Founder)- Speaking Out Against Child Sexual Abuse, Inc., Oak Ridge, TN

Dr. Pamela Pine (Founder/CEO)- Stop the Silence, Washington D.C.

Sheva Sims (Attorney)- Shreveport, LA

Beth Foster- YWCA, Shreveport, LA

Margaret Mata (Executive Director)- Safe Now Project, Kansas City, MO

Deborah Donavan Price (Executive Director)- Stop It Now.org, Northampton, MA

Molly Schultz (Trainer/Facilitator) ChildHelp USA, Cartersville, GA

If you (or your organization) would like to get involved in this upcoming Rally in Washington D.C. on November 14th, please contact FACSA directly at 318-938-2882 or 318-578-0019.

FACSA's Save The Children Campaign Petition

To Read Up on and/or to Sign this Petition,

Go to <http://www.gopetition.com/petitions/facsasavethechildren-campaign.html>

or

You can access the petition through FACSA's website at facsasavethechildren.com

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Wish List

We are still in need of additional Volunteers for this Saturday, August 22nd. SpeakingOut is participating in an event for Resolve Ministries (See Cover Page for more info). If you are available to help us at our Information Table any-time throughout the day on Saturday, please contact Susan Suafoa-Dinino today!

Laptop (New or Used)... If you or anyone you know has a laptop that you are willing to donate to SpeakingOut, please contact us today. We would greatly appreciate it!

Shop for a Great Cause...

Did you know that you can support our cause just by Shopping?

SpeakingOut has teamed up with Christian Values Network! Becoming a member of Christian Values Network is FREE & only takes a few minutes. Every time you purchase any of your Christian or Everyday items online through www.CVN.org, a percentage of the purchase price will be sent directly to SpeakingOut! All you do is shop online through www.cvn.org. But you have to become a member 1st.

It's that easy! Christian Values Network offers over 150 well known merchants on their site.

Become a Member Today!

Be Sure to Select SpeakingOut (Oak Ridge, TN) as your Chosen Ministry!

Membership is FREE! Sign Up Today!

"To Shop is to Give"