

# **IARRT Annual International Conference**

## ***2004 Annual International Conference entitled***

### ***“Spiritual Revolutionaries: Evidence of Reincarnation”***

***July 1– 4, 2004 in Colorado Springs, Colorado at the Antlers Adam’s Mark Hotel***

## **Overview**

The Antlers Adam’s Mark hotel was rebuilt in 1901 in elegant Italian Renaissance style with state-of-the-art health club, indoor pool, whirlpool and a magnificent view of Pikes Peak. The quality of the cuisine and service rival the finest European hotels.

Colorado Springs is an exciting booming city only 60 miles south of Denver. A great new airport makes Colorado Springs easy to reach. The climate, scenery recreational opportunities, Pikes Peak, the Garden of the Gods, Pioneer Museum, Native American and Hispanic Fine Arts Center, The U.S. Olympic Training Center, Cave of the Winds, Cripple Creek and other unique sites make Colorado Springs an exceptional setting for the annual Conference. Plan to bring the whole family and make the conference part of your summer vacation.

The Four-Day Program includes: Keynote Speakers, "Meet the Author" panel, more than 20 2½ -hour workshops, banquet, and vendors with arts and crafts, jewelry, pottery, etc. and service providers such as: Massage Therapists, Reiki, Shamans, Psychics, and much more.

Pre Conference Training Institutes and Post Conference Continuing Education Classes by Hans tenDam CPTL, Joseph Costa, PhD, Morris Netherton, PhD, and Robert Tarzan, PhD.

## **Keynote Speakers**

Thursday Opening Ceremony - Speaker: Walter Semkiw, MD  
IARRT Board Member, Return of the Revolutionaries

Drawing on the cases of dozens of prominent and influential American cultural and literary figures today, Dr. Semkiw establishes their Revolutionary times identity. Continuities in facial appearance, personal interests, and even writing style are giveaways to linking a present-day figure with someone from the Revolutionary era, he says. Dr. Semkiw is a Board Certified Occupational Medicine physician and serves as the Assistant Chief of Occupational Medicine at a major medical center in San Francisco.  
<http://www.johnadams.net/>

Friday Keynote Speaker: Raymond Moody, Ph.D, M.D.

Raymond A. Moody, Ph.D, M.D., author, researcher and teacher: Life After Loss, is bound to become a classic like his 10 million best seller Life After Life. Dr. Moody’s new book details both the distressing signs and symptoms of the grieving process and the inspiring, transformational experiences that grief can bring about. <http://www.lifeafterlife.com/>

Saturday Banquet - Speaker: Peter Novak

Peter Novak, author, *The Lost Secret of Death: Our Divided Souls and the Afterlife*. *The Lost Secret of Death* is a must read by every soul searching person and metaphysician. For far too long people have been misled in believing that soul and spirit were synonymous. Peter has done an excellent example of research on the subject. The Binary Soul Doctrine Theory is an outstanding synthesis!  
<http://www.divisiontheory.com>

## Workshops

WORKSHOPS - Friday, July 2, 2004, Series I – 9:30 a.m. - noon

**MAPPING the SOUL'S JOURNEY: LIFE BETWEEN LIVES REGRESSION** – Linda R. Backman, Ed.D  
This experiential workshop explores Life Between Lives Regression via a “map” of the Afterlife. Continuity of soul consciousness lifetime to lifetime and between lifetimes related to who we are, why we are here, and where we come from will be presented. Differences and commonalities between Past Life Regression and LBL Regression will be highlighted. The healing and enlightening utility of LBL Regression will be discussed. Dr. Backman will describe her personal and professional experience recognizing soul continuity. Linda R. Backman, Ed.D <http://www.ravenheartcenter.com/biography.html>

**LOOKING BACK IN ORDER TO UNDERSTAND THE PRESENT AND FUTURE**--Judy Goodman Come prepared for your life to change as you begin...”Looking Back In Order to Understand the Present and Future.” This may well be the adventure of a lifetime as you gently move into ‘discovery’ about yourself. What is the answer to the age-old question of ‘who am I?’ Are your behavioral issues current life situations or past life carryover? Within each of us is the answer to every question we will ever ask. Learn how to tap your unknown consciousness and memories. Bravely, you will develop an ‘acceptance’ as you begin to understand the challenge. You will learn that you can change where you are and release any blockage. Perhaps the most life altering thing you will learn today will be how to reformat your life; learn how to rewrite your future. The challenge for your future consideration will be...”Now that I have worked through my own process, what can I do with the knowledge?” “Information becomes knowledge when acted on and shared with others.” Judy Goodman author of “Journey: The Quest of the Soul”, may be one of the most unique and gifted individuals of the ages. She is fully clairvoyant but without the limits associated with even the most gifted. Her access to information from the physical and non-physical realms is unparalleled. She does not channel or go into trance to retrieve information; she is fully and continually aware of the physical and non-physical environments while in her normal waking state.  
[www.judygoodman.com](http://www.judygoodman.com)

**FIND YOUR SOULMATE(S)** – Sydney Heflin, Ed.D An experiential workshop to discover your soul mate(s). A pre- and post-questionnaire will be offered to evaluate the nature of your experience. You will discover: -If your soul mate(s) is/are presently incarnated, and if not, when will you incarnate together? - What unresolved karma may still exist between you and your soul mate(s). Participants have reported such benefits as: -Improved relationship with the soul mate(s); -Personal revelations leading to mind, body, spirit healing and/or any combination; -Similar healing of the soul mate(s) has also been reported. Sydney Heflin, Ed.D received her Doctor of Education degree in Counseling and Psychology from Texas A & M University, her Doctoral Dissertation “The Effect of Selected Subliminal Suggestion Upon the Self-Confidence of Undergraduate Students” is a unique study. Dr. Heflin is a Licensed Professional Counselor in Colorado and Texas. <http://www.iarrt.org/members/CO/heflin.html>

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**UNCOVERING YOUR OWN 'STUFF' to AVOID COUNTER- TRANSFERENCE** – Laura Giles, MSW  
Identifying your own stuff can help avoid the embarrassment of it finding you in inappropriate settings. The workshop is a blend of intuition and intellect, but relies heavily on non-verbal communication, music, movement, and the flow of feeling. The workshop will end with an opportunity to process the experience, thus giving participants time to share and integrate the experience. The meditation process may also be used as an alternative for clients who can benefit from past life work, but are not open to the idea of exploring current or past emotions. Laura Giles, MSW B.S. in Human Services Counseling from Old Dominion University, Masters in Social Work from Norfolk State University Author of "The Other Child: Children of Affairs" and soon to be released "Growing up Crazy" (Professional Only) <http://healthy-living-solutions.com>

**WORKSHOPS** – Friday, July 2, 2004, Series II 2:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

**DISCOVERING YOUR LIFE PATH AS A SPIRITUAL REVOLUTIONARY** - Christine Bartlett, BS, PLT.  
Most of us are connected to our life purpose and life goals until age three. As we grow into the human experience our memory fades and we flounder in our day-to-day experience – albeit we receive clues and messages from our spirit. We frequently wonder: - What is my purpose in life? -Why do certain things keep happening to me? -How can I make my life a success? The clues are all around us! You will learn: - What a spiritual mission is; - What signs and messages in your life are showing you the way; - What beliefs, traits or habits are blocking your success; - Past Life connections - then and now. Participants will experience a group regression. Christine Bartlett, BS, PLT, BS Physical Therapy, Advanced Certified Hypnotherapist, Certified Past Life Therapist, Advanced Professional 15th Step Teacher & Practitioner combining physical healing skills and experience with mental and emotional techniques of Hypnotherapy and Past Life Therapy. Ms. Bartlett serves on the IARRT Board. <http://www.Betterlifetr.com>

**STEPPING INTO OUR FULL POWER—ATTAINING the ABUNDANCE WE DESERVE** - Sandra C. Blum, MS. To feel fully empowered, we need to let go of old tapes or energy blocks, which prevent us from being who we truly are. Participants will be taken to the point in the past, which prevented them from stepping into their full power. Participants will identify these blocks, release them and fill the space with love and light, empowering the spirit of who we truly are. Participants will learn to talk with spiritual guides or masters to claim abundance. Positive suggestions on claiming abundance will be given. Sandra C. Blum, MS is a Past Life therapist, certified Eriksonian Hypnotherapist, healer, lecturer, workshop leader. Ms. Blum has a private practice in Katona, NY.

**INTEGRATING PAST LIFETIMES** - Carolyn Clark, M.Ed, M.Sc. Today, in Past Life Therapy we concur with our modern-day physicists that communication takes place at the sub-atomic level. Our cells and DNA communicate through "frequencies" and the brain perceives and makes its own record of the world in pulsating wave—"Everything is one." Participants will learn how to reach this highest level of awareness and balance the ups and downs of anger, sadness and the many issues or feelings, which clutter our soul vis-à-vis the lives we have led. Lecture and demonstration. Carolyn Clark, M.Ed., and M.Sc., Masters in Counseling and Education. She developed a training program in Transpersonal and Psychological Hypnotherapy for Therapists. Ms. Clark serves on the IARRT Board. <http://www.karmafix.com>

**TRANSFORM YOUR LIFE WITH A SACRED OR WELLNESS TRAVEL EXPERIENCE** - How sacred travel is a benefit to personal growth and spiritual transformation - Andrea Mikana-Pinkham Multi-media presentation, slides, music and commentary. Using sacred ceremony and guided meditation at sacred sites, participants will be supported to access past life memories. Participants will learn: How sacred and wellness travel can transform their lives, give them a boost on their spiritual path, invoke past life

memories, make new friends and possibly meet soul mates. We've had 4 marriages with people who met on our tours. Andrea Mikana-Pinkham, National Director of Body Mind Spirit Journeys, Wellness Tours, Women's Sacred Travel, Vacations with a Reward, and Spiritual Singles Tours has over 10 years of experience in the sacred travel field. She is familiar with tour operations on all levels. As Tour Conductor and Featured Speaker on travel programs to Egypt, England and Scotland, Peru, and Sedona AZ, Andrea brings to her role a background in the holistic healing & personal growth field.  
<http://www.bodymindspiritjourneys.com>

WORKSHOPS – Saturday, July 3, Series I - 9:30 a.m. – noon

FAMILY 'GENETICS'—HEALING FROM AILMENTS THAT 'RUN IN THE FAMILY' AND AVOID PASSING IT ON TO YOUR CHILD(REN) - Marion Boon, CPLT. What did you carry from your parent(s)? Once you are aware, you can take responsibility and free yourself and your children from family genetics—i.e. "It doesn't have to run in the family." It started with an ancestor, and it can end with you! In selected exercises you are given the opportunity to experience what it will be like to remove that burden. You will experience the difference and become aware of the reason why you carried a family trait forward. Marion Boon, CPLT worked as a pranatherapist for 15 years, and founded IPARRT- a holistic center. She is a certified regression therapist and has trained with Dr Hans ten Dam, Trisha Caetano, Morris Netherton, and Pieter Wierenga. Membership—NVRT in The Netherlands and IARRT in the USA and a member of the organizing committee of the World Congress in Regression Therapy in The Netherlands in 2003 and India in 2006. <http://www.iparrt.nl>

PRACTICAL USE OF PAST LIFE MEMORY TO MAKE YOUR LIFE WORK BETTER – Joseph Costa, PhD This experiential workshop systematically explores the use of past life memory to change your life or the life of your clients. It expands the use of past life memory out of the esoteric and spiritual experience and brings it into practical everyday application. Past life memory is real - and holds answers and tools to improve our current circumstances. You will learn how the use of past life memory can immediately change: - Your health; - Your personality & behaviors; - Business and money issues; - Your relationships; - Consciousness & conditions on the planet. Joseph Costa, PhD is a teacher of ancient wisdom, an authority on psychic phenomena, altered states and mysticism. His degree is in transpersonal psychology; author of: Yeshu Hannosri - For God So Loved The World, a channeled work on the mystic life of Jesus, The Second Coming of Yeshu, soon to become a major motion picture about the life and lives of Jesus with his ascended masters and healers, and Primal Legacy - Thinking For The 21st Century. Dr. Costa serves on the IARRT Board. <http://www.15thstep.com>

WHEN A CLIENT SEES 'NOTHING' – Julia Ingram, PhD It's rare, probably impossible, that a client is actually experiencing "nothing" while in a trance state even when that is what, they report. Participants will learn a variety of techniques for getting past "nothing" while maintaining the necessary open ended questioning essential to the therapeutic relationship. Participants will acquire techniques to move past the initial confusion (yours or theirs) when clients report: black, space, shapes, floating, colors, etc. Julia Ingram, PhD - a Licensed Professional Counselor and Marriage and Family Therapist specializes in Regression Therapy. She is the co-author of the NY Times Best Selling book, The Messengers, She conducts workshops throughout the U.S. and Canada and fervently believes that this is the new age of miracles and the return of revolutionaries. <http://www.juliaingram.com> (Professional Only )

JOURNEY INTO PAST & FUTURE – Shelley Kaehr, PhD Take a guided journey into your past and future! You will learn: -Who you were in a past life; -Your Soul's purpose; -How past lessons can aid you in your life; -How to find your soul mate; -Look into the future to make better choices. We will also discuss future memories as a form of spiritual goal setting and how to tap into your inner knowing to make the best choices for the future. Shelley Kaehr, PhD. Author of: Origins of Huna: Secret Behind the Secret Science, Gemstone Journeys, Lifestream, and Galactic Healing Dr. Kaehr specializes in grief recovery, past-life regression, and energy work using gemstones and crystals. She is a certified Spiritual Human Yoga instructor, Reiki Master Teacher, Master Practitioner of Neuro-Linguistic Programming, and received her Ph.D. in Parapsychic Science from the American Institute of Holistic Theology in 2001. <http://www.galactichealing.org>

CHOOSING YOUR NEXT INCARNATION: FAMILY DYSFUNCTION and PRE-BIRTH CHOICES – Mary Lee LaBay, Based on case studies this workshop examines the dynamics of birth choices and presents techniques to help your clients discover and understand their choices and resolve conflicts surrounding pre-birth choices about family, environment, and life purpose. Combinations of therapy techniques to demonstrate client centered healing will be presented; including non-leading client-centered regression, reverse metaphor, ego states, role model, anchoring and inner child. Mary Lee LaBay, Licensed Minister, Registered Counselor, Certified Clinical Hypnotherapist, Certified Spiritual Counselor, Certified Instructor of Hypnotherapy. Ms. LaBay has decades of experience as an intuitive healer, regressionist, teacher of metaphysics, facilitator, events planner and public speaker. Founding President of the Lake Washington Chapter of the National Guild of Hypnotists. Touch for Health Practitioner (Applied Kinesiology). <http://www.maryleelabay.com>

WORKSHOPS – Saturday, July 3, Series II – 2:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

KARMA & REINCARNATION: THE ROAD TO FOREGIVENESS AND HEALING - SPIRITUAL TOOLS & SELF-HEALING - Michael J. Tamura Michael will share his life-long experience and three decades of teaching and healing to shed light on often misunderstood spiritual concepts. In this profound "hands-on" workshop on karma, reincarnation and soul fulfillment, he will teach simple, but powerful psychic tools designed to facilitate your ability to validate your spiritual self while staying firmly grounded in this world. Learn to "see" your karmic cycles and forgive yourself of those limiting you from your ultimate fulfillment. Michael J. Tamura is an extraordinary spiritual teacher, healer, clairvoyant and author: You are the Answer: An Extraordinary Guide to Entering the Sacred Dance with Life and Fulfilling Your Soul Purpose, Michael has helped transform the lives of thousands of men, women and children through his spiritual work over the past thirty years.

NEW CONCEPTS IN THE FIELD OF REGRESSION THERAPY WITHIN A SPIRITUAL CONTEXT – Pierre Dubuc, MSW. Exploring the use of bilocalisation for the client into the protagonist of a past or present life drama; triple-emotion and impact of the mirror effect on both, the client and the protagonist, in the present life; spiritual healing exercise; harmonious re-creation of the drama. This view of lifetimes as coexistent Other lifetimes rather than past, present or future lifetimes can resolve karmic issues concerning reframing and re-scripting. Concepts will be demonstrated. Pierre Dubuc, MSW, author OF Happy Past Lives, (French) has over 20 years experience in Regression Therapy and is Director of a school in Regression therapy. <http://www.ibrt.org/Intl.html>

PANEL DISCUSSION - PAST LIFE RECALL: LITERAL MEMORY OR SYMBOLIC IDENTIFICATION? Janet Cunningham; PhD, Hans TenDam, PLT; Dianne Seaman, PhD; Lyn Saunders, PhD. The ongoing debate tends to polarize past life into two opposing camps. Traditional psychology views so-called past life memories as a subconscious manifestation whereby powerful experiences of the present symbolically display themselves as being from remote times and places. In contrast, the often cliché excesses of reincarnation insists on the literal view of past life recall. Perhaps neither is true and, in a paradoxical way, perhaps both are true simultaneously. Outside either of these two extreme positions is growing evidence that, the way the deep subconscious is organized, both the archetypal symbolic level and the literal experience of past life contents coming forward into the present, may be possible.

EXPLORING the IMAGINAL ENERGY MATRIX (Revolution or Evolution?) – Robert Tarzan, BA. This workshop is an introduction on evolving concepts of consciousness, time, and the nature of our reality. The concepts will be introduced both methodologically and experientially with respect to time as an aspect of consciousness while discovering how time and consciousness are merely locations within the Imaginal Energy Matrix. Robert Tarzan, holds a bachelors degree in Psychology and Anthropology, a state registered Hypnotherapist, Certified Regression Therapist and is a counselor in private practice. Mr. Tarzan is a former IARRT Board member. <http://www.ibrt.org/USm-z.html#OlympiaWA>

REGRESSION THERAPY WITH CHILDREN - Christine Alisa, MS. Through the use of audio and video tapes, handouts, case studies and discussion participants will learn how to resolve such issues as:

ADHD, Dyslexia, PTSD, prenatal birth surgeries and past life influences. Participants will learn: -how to set the stage for regression work; -how to combine Gestalt and Regression therapy to achieve powerful results; -parents or care givers will learn a therapeutic model specifically designed to move children through difficult issues in a timely manner. Christine Alisa, MS is a licensed Marriage & Family Therapist, a Master Therapist and Advanced Teacher in the Nethernton Method of Past Life Discovery and Intergration.

WORKSHOPS – Sunday, July 4, Series I – 9:30 a.m. – noon

PEELING THE MICROCOSMIC ONION - Hans TenDam, CPLT, Demonstrating Core Issue Transformation, the most direct way to address our deepest issues and change the way we way we feel, the way we are aware and the way we inhabit our body. For experienced therapists only. Hans TenDam is founder of the “Dutch School” in past-life therapy, author of Exploring Reincarnation and Deep Healing, life-member and board member of IARRT, and organizer of the First World Congress for Regression and Past-Life Therapists. Hans tenDam is the author of "Exploring Reincarnation: The Classic Guide to the Evidence for Past-Life Experiences," and "Deep Healing: a Practical Outline of Past-Life Therapy," has been translated into several languages. He initiated the "Dutch school" of regression therapy.  
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**DISCOVERING LIFE SCRIPTS AND PATTERNS IN THE BIRTHING PHENOMENON** – Morris Netherton, PhD. This workshop will be both didactic and experiential. Demonstrations will illustrate the presence of both negative and positive survival patterns existing within the birthing experience. The unresolved issues from past lives and deaths will be revealed during sessions and the connections to current life experiences will be shown to form these patterns that control our thinking and behavior until steps are taken to change them. It is the presence of death and re-birth in our lives now. Morris Netherton, PhD has over thirty years of clinical practice in Alternative Treatment Modalities. His book, Past-Lives Therapy was the first in the field of regression therapy. He has written two other books and numerous articles for college textbooks, magazines, and newspapers. Dr. Netherton founded and maintains teaching institutes in the United States, Germany, the Netherlands, Switzerland, Brazil, Canada, and India. His theories are taught in University courses in Sao Paulo, Brazil, and Kohn, Germany. <http://www.aaple.com>

## **Sunday, July 4 - Series I - 9:30 a.m. - noon**

### **“Meet the Author” Panel - Spiritual Revolutionaries: Evidence of Reincarnation**

Panel Moderator: Jeffrey J. Ryan, MA CRT  
Master's Degree in Behavioral Counselling and a Doctoral Candidate in Philosophy and Religion. He is in private practice in Morristown, New Jersey with over twenty years in Regression Therapy and has served on the Board of APRT, now IARRT for the past 10 years, and is the out-going president.

Each author will have 15 minutes to present their perspective on Evidence of Reincarnation. Questions and Answer will follow. Immediately after the authors will sign their books.

- Janet Cunningham, PhD, Past IARRT President, author: A Tribe Returned; Caution: Soul Mate Ahead and Internationally-known Specialist in Regression Therapy – Owner of Breakthroughs to the Unconscious®, a private practice.

- Robert James, PhD: Dr. James has 40 years hypnosis experience. He has written several articles. His first book, Whispers from the Past. The Evidence for our Past Lives, is scheduled for release June, 2004.

- Barbro Karlen, Author, And the Wolves Howled in which she recounts her vivid childhood memories of being Anne Frank. Karlen was three years old, when she told her mother that her name was not Barbro, but Anne Frank. Her Christian parents did not know who Anne Frank was, as the diary had not yet been published. Like Anne, Barbro was a childhood writing prodigy. She has the same facial features as Anne Frank.

- Dr. Ronald P. De Vasto, DCH, author, researcher and hypnotherapist, *Fragmented Souls* explores the theories of entity attachment and fragmentation, suggesting that consciousness, not only among the deceased, but also the living, can split off and connect with others. Using fascinating clinical case studies, Ronald P. DeVasto, D.C.H. and John J. Kelly, Ph.D. bring this valuable discussion to the forefront of the field.

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- Captain Robert Snow, 30 year Indianapolis Police Officer, with a detective's eye and diligence has proven himself to be the reincarnation of Carroll Beckwith, a little known New York Artist, *Looking for Carroll Beckwith*

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- Julia Ingram, PhD, hypnotherapist, spiritual healer and New York Times best-selling co-author: *The Messengers: A True Story of Angelic Presence and the Return to the Age of Miracles*, a book about the transformative power of past-life regression.

- Jeffrey Keene, author--*Someone Else's Yesterday*. Jeffrey Keene is a decorated firefighter and presently an Assistant Fire Chief with the Westport, Connecticut Fire Department. Asst. An accomplished Civil War researcher and speaker (having visited most of the major battle sites in the North and South) he has lectured on Civil War topics to groups ranging from elementary students to peer experts. His story was featured on the Arts and Entertainment Network's documentary "Beyond Death" and Uri Geller's Talk America Radio show *Para Science and Beyond*. Mr. Keene makes a strong case for reincarnation in his book titled *Someone Else's Yesterday*. Through years of research and travel, he has amassed compelling evidence of a former life during the American Civil War; that of Confederate General John B. Gordon.

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work using gemstones and crystals. She is a certified Spiritual Human Yoga instructor, Reiki Master Teacher, Master Practitioner of Neuro-Linguistic Programming, and received her Ph.D. in Parapsychic Science.

- Samantha Doane-Bates, BA, CHT - Author of *The Light of Roses, Past-Life Regression---A Healing Journey*, a past-life regression therapist, transpersonal clinical hypnotherapist, and professional astrologer in private practice in Lexington, Kentucky. Her book is a transformative exploration of past-life regression as a form of healing, witnessed through fascinating case studies and the author's own spiritual journey.

## **Pre-Conference 3-day Training Institutes**

Hypnotherapy Training Ron DeVasto Ph.D.,  
Mon-Fri Apr 12-16, 9am-6pm, ending Friday at 5pm  
Regression Therapy Training: Levels 1, 2, 3, and 4  
Fri-Sun Apr 16-18, 9am-5pm, ending Sunday at 5pm  
Each level of the Training takes 3 days.

Instructors:

Level 1 – Basic Skills– Maggie van Staveren, LCSW, CHT  
Level 2 – Intermediate Practicum– Jeffrey Ryan, Ph.D. (cand.)  
Level 3 – Advanced Practicum– Janet Cunningham, Ph.D.  
Level 4 - Transpersonal Regression Therapy – Joseph Costa, Ph.D.

Tuition (Fees):

Checks payable to IARRT

Certification Course in Professional Hypnosis - \$650 after March 12th \$750

Level 1 – Basic Skills -  
\$325 after March 12th \$425

Level 2 – Intermediate Practicum and Level 3 – Advanced Practicum -  
\$350 after March 12th \$450

Level 4 - Transpersonal Regression Therapy -  
\$375 after March 12th \$475

CEUs (Continuing Education Units)  
\$10

IARRT Members: Reduce tuition by \$50 for Hypnosis and Regression Therapy Training classes

21 Contact hours for each level of Training for Social Workers, Mental Health Counselors, Marriage Family Therapists.  
Florida Provider BAP #114, Exp. 3/2005

Continuing Education Class Tuitions:

"Peeling the Microcosmic Onion" - Member \$295.00 Non-Member \$375.00

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15th Step: A doorway to Your Inner Truth

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Joseph Costa, PhD

Mon. – Tues., July 5-6, 2004 9am-5pm

The 15th Step process is a simple daily answer to balancing your life, physically, materially and spiritually to come into harmony, to live your life with ease. This process takes your physical body to the proper vibration to reach a place called the 15th Step, that is the doorway to the Inner World. Once you access this extraordinary place, the cells of the body are balanced. You receive physical healing and begin communication with your Guides and Master Teachers about how to improve your life. Joseph Costa, PhD is a teacher of ancient wisdom, an authority on psychic phenomena, altered states and mysticism. His degree is in transpersonal psychology; author of: *Yeshu Hannosri - For God So Loved The World*, a channeled work on the mystic life of Jesus, *The Second Coming of Yeshu*, soon to become a major motion picture about the life and lives of Jesus with his ascended masters and healers, and *Primal Legacy - Thinking For The 21st Century*. Dr. Costa serves on the IARRT Board.

Peeling the Microcosmic Onion

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Hans tenDam, CPLT

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Demonstrating Core Issue Transformation, the most direct way to address our deepest issues and change the way we way we feel, the way we are aware and the way we inhabit our body. Hans tenDam is founder of the “Dutch School” in past-life therapy, author of *Exploring Reincarnation and Deep Healing*, IARRT life-member, Board Member, and organizer of the First World Congress for Regression and Past-Life Therapists. He is the author of “Exploring Reincarnation: The Classic Guide to the Evidence for Past-Life Experiences,” and “Deep Healing: a Practical Outline of Past-Life Therapy,” has been translated into several languages. He initiated the “Dutch school” of regression therapy.

Imaginal Group Journeying: Member Principles and Methods for Group Exploration of Non-ordinary States of Consciousness

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Robert Tarzan, BA  
Mon.-Tue., July 5-6, 2004 9am-5pm

Understanding the evolving concepts of consciousness, time, and the nature of our reality. The concepts will be introduced both methodologically and experientially with respect to time as an aspect of consciousness while discovering how time and consciousness are merely locations within the Imaginal Energy Matrix. Robert Tarzan, holds a bachelors degree in Psychology and Anthropology, a state registered Hypnotherapist, Certified Regression Therapist and is a counselor in private practice. Mr. Tarzan is a former IARRT Board member

Discovering Life Scripts and Patterns Member in the Birthing Phenomenon  
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Morris Netherton, PhD  
Mon.-Wed., July 5-7 9am-5pm

This workshop will be both didactic and experiential. Demonstrations will illustrate the presence of both negative and positive survival patterns existing within the birthing experience. The unresolved issues from past lives and deaths will be revealed during sessions and the connections to current life experiences will be shown to form these patterns that control our thinking and behavior until steps are taken to change them. It is the presence of death and re-birth in our lives now. Morris Netherton, PhD has over thirty years of clinical practice in Alternative Treatment Modalities. His book, Past-Lives Therapy was the first in the field of regression therapy. He has written two other books and numerous articles for college textbooks, magazines, and newspapers. Dr. Netherton founded and maintains teaching institutes in the United States, Germany, the Netherlands, Switzerland, Brazil, Canada, and India. His theories are taught in University courses in Sao Paulo, Brazil, and Kohn, Germany

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This FAQ (short for "Frequently Asked Questions") was created to provide answers for the many common questions people have about reincarnation and also to give as wide a background to the subject as possible in terms of scientific, religious and mystical exploration. Suggested corrections and/or additions are very welcome.

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