



Dear Filmmaker,

The **Center for Spiritual Living Morristown** invites you to participate in its second annual **AWAKEN! International Spiritual Film Festival** in Morristown, NJ, USA.

Two nights and two days of films, discussions, and live events will make for a full and uplifting weekend, which is heavily advertised. Less than 40 miles from New York City, we draw hundreds of viewers from northern and central New Jersey, as this is the only international spiritual film festival in the region.

The festival will run **March 5-7, 2010**. We are seeking features, documentaries, and short films. An Audience Choice award will be given in each category.

Our Center's vision is "awakening and honoring the splendor of our divine nature." The Film Festival mission is to present spiritual films, which we have defined as:

"Films that inspire, that awaken joy, love and compassion within us, that enlighten and challenge us. They have the potential to transform our lives. Spiritual films make us more connected to ourselves, to each other, and to the universe. They remind us that simple choices can change the world, and that each of us has the power to make a difference."

With this in mind, we eagerly invite you to submit a film for our consideration.

The process for submission will be as follows:

1. Films in DVD format should be sent to **Merav Segal, c/o Center for Spiritual Living, 331 Mount Kemble Ave., Morristown NJ 07960 USA** as soon as possible. They ***must be received no later than November 15, 2009***. There is no entry fee. Please include:
 - a) Name/s of filmmakers and contact information;
 - b) Title and running time of film;
 - c) Category (short, animated short, documentary, feature); and
 - d) A brief (30-60 word) description of the film.
2. Each film will be reviewed by the **AWAKEN!** viewing committee and if your film fits with our mission and can be worked into the festival schedule this year, we will contact you with all the details. Decisions will be made by January 12, 2010.
3. Films not selected will be returned if *you provide return postage for the original mailer*.

We look forward to hearing from you at your earliest convenience and know that this will be a fantastic event to showcase spiritual films!

With warmest regards,

Merav Segal and the AWAKEN! International Spiritual Film Festival Committee

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