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PASSION

growth intimacy fire
touch heart

01 Waukaway Springs-Laurel, MS

02 January 7, 2007 ---- March 17, 2007

03 \$1,800.00 (airfare not included)

Passion! Want It? Got It? What Is It?

The first phase of Joel's Army is called Passion because its sole purpose is to instill Holy passion and desire for the Lord into the Intern's heart. When we see God clearly with open hearts and hands the spark of passion ignites. It's this passion that takes us beyond what our culture, our friends, our family, even our own bodies tell us is possible. Love [passion] will drive a man to do what no treasure could ever inspire. This phase is held at Waukaway Springs Christian Retreat Center near Laurel, Mississippi. The mission statement for Phase One is fulfilling what Jesus called the First Commandment. Scripture states that when He was asked in Mark 12:28, "Which is the first commandment of all?" Jesus replied in verse 30, "And you shall love the Lord your God with all you heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength: this is the first commandment."

The 10 week course will be taught by five nationally known speakers and five regionally recognized speakers. Interns will receive instruction on how to develop intimacy with God, the bridal paradigm, how to enjoy time with God and how to have a powerful prayer life. When not in the actual classroom, interns are encouraged to participate in the House of Prayer at Waukaway Springs. The HOP offers a continuous "live" and "video streaming" environment of praise, worship, and prayer. Interns will have an opportunity to sing, pray, and play musical instruments under the guidance of skilled worship leaders. This hands-on experience is the best way to train young adults how to combine intercessory prayer with praise and worship.

As their passion builds interns will find themselves applying what they've learned, seeking God's face, and touching His heart on their own. Waukaway's natural environment provides many avenues to get away. Nature walks, hiking trails, and the lake shore, along with excellent facilities allow each intern to find the right environment to connect with God. Small group interactions with speakers help interns walk out the things they've learned and apply them in their lives. Integrating these truths into their daily lives will become critical as Joel's Army Interns

move into the subsequent Compassion and Invasion phases.

Passion comes first because Jesus called it first. Everyone needs it, but not all pursue it. Passion lays the foundation for a life of service to God and impact in the coming phases of JAI. Passion is what you need and this is where we build it. It's our time. ... Let's start!

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Without passion a man is untapped potential, a fuse without a spark. If he follows that path his whole life he will never reach beyond himself and will leave a legacy of missed opportunities and a trail of could-have-been's