

WOMEN'S FALL RENEWAL WEEKEND

5 p.m. Friday, Oct. 30 to 2 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 1, 1992

Holiday Hills Conference Center

2 Lakeside Drive, Pawling, NY 12564

(914) 855-1550

WRITING YOUR OWN SPIRITUAL AUTOBIOGRAPHY

Based on the acclaimed book *The Story of Your Life: Writing a Spiritual Autobiography*, by Unitarian Universalist author Dan Wakefield, this retreat offers you the opportunity to explore your past and understand your present. Through a series of writing and other creative exercises, we will experience the magic of sharing with and hearing one another. You need no previous writing experience to participate. The *magic* is in the *doing*, the *listening* and the *being heard*. Please join us for a time of connection, growing and celebration. Participants are invited to bring a blank book for writing.

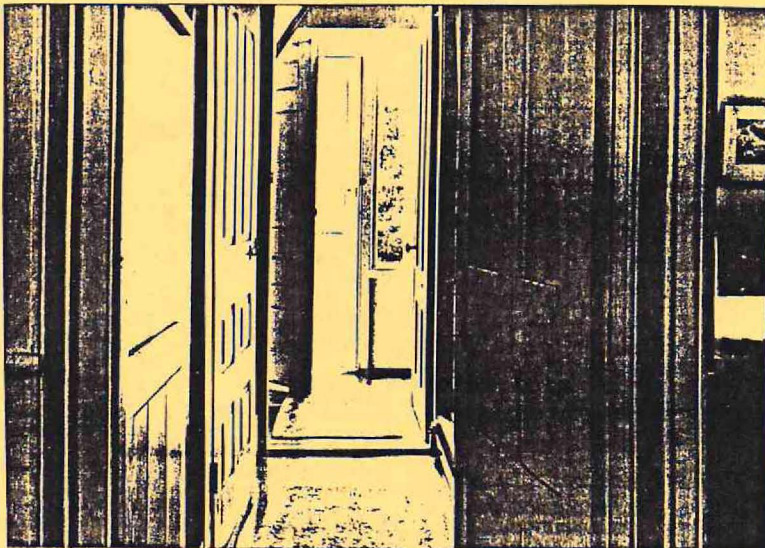
Co-leaders of this retreat:

CHRIS REED is a published novelist who has written UU curricula and has been part of professional women's writing groups, women's spiritual autobiography workshops and women's spirituality groups. She is currently Director of Religious Education at the Unitarian Church of Princeton, New Jersey.

LINDA GOONEWARDENE, a lay leader of First Unitarian Church of Plainfield, New Jersey, has been active in the Women's Alliance and adult religious education, including spiritual autobiography workshops and the Cakes for the Queen of Heaven program. She is on the Board of the UUWA.

Motherroot

Creation often
needs two hearts
one to root
and one to flower.
One to sustain
in time of drouth
and hold fast
against winds of pain
the fragile bloom that in the glory
of its hour
affirms a heart unsung, unseen.
MariLou Awiakta



The retreat is co-sponsored by

UU Women's Association Metro NY and Metro NY Women & Religion Committee

Child care is not available at the Conference Center for this event.

Registration fee:	\$ 30
Conference Center fees (2 nights, 6 meals):	<u>\$140</u>
Total:	\$170

To register, please detach the form below and mail with your check to
Yvonne Lynn, 20 Secor Place, #5G, Yonkers, NY 10704
or, after Oct. 25, call (212) 734-0307.

Yes, please register me for **Writing Your Own Spiritual Autobiography**.

My check for \$170 is enclosed (please make check payable to UUWA).

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

Special dietary needs: _____

Date _____ Signature of registrant _____

Limited scholarships are available.

For more information, and/or to inquire about scholarships, call (212) 734-0307 and leave a message.

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LOCATION: 70 miles north of New York City in the foothills of the Berkshires,
13 miles north of I-684 in the village of Pawling.

HOW TO GET THERE:

By public transport from Manhattan:

Rail service is available to Pawling and arrangements can be made to be picked up at the train station by calling (914) 855-1550. Metro-North trains to Pawling leave from New York City's Grand Central Station. As this flyer goes to press, there are trains at 12:45, 3:45, 5:45 and 7:45, arriving about 1-1/2 hours later. This schedule is expected to change in late October so please call to check departure times. The Metro-North phone number in New York City is (212) 532-4900; outside the city the number is (800) 638-7646. The one-way ticket price is \$8.00, or \$5.25 for senior citizens.

By car:

From West Side Manhattan:

Take West Side Highway north to Henry Hudson Parkway to Saw Mill River Parkway. Continue north onto I-684. (See last note below.)

From East Side Manhattan, Brooklyn:

Take F.D.R. Drive to Harlem River Drive to Major Deegan Expressway (I-87). Continue north on I-87 to I-287 East, continue east on I-287 to I-684, continue north on I-684. (See last note below.)

From Queens, Long Island:

Take Whitestone Bridge, travel north to Hutchinson River Parkway, continue north on I-684. (See last note below.)

From Northern New Jersey:

Take Garden State Parkway north to I-87. Continue east on I-87, cross Tappan Zee Bridge, East on I-287 to I-684. Continue north on I-684. (See last note below.)

From Hartford, Connecticut:

Take I-84 west to Route 22. Travel north on Route 22 to Pawling Village Traffic Light. (See last note below.)

From Pennsylvania:

Take I-84 east to Route 22. Travel north on Route 22 to Pawling Village Traffic Light. (See last note below.)

From Albany, New York:

Take Taconic Parkway south to Route 55. Travel east on Route 55 to Route 22, continue north on Route 22 to Pawling Village Traffic Light. (See last note below.)

From Poughkeepsie, New York:

Take Route 55 to Route 22, continue north on Route 22 to Pawling Village Traffic Light. (See last note below.)

Note: To Holiday Hills, Pawling, New York:

Continue north on I-684 directly onto Route 22 (see map) to Pawling Village Traffic Light. Turn left at light and continue to stop sign. Turn left, cross railroad tracks, immediately turn right onto Charles Colman Boulevard and continue one-half mile to the entrance of Holiday Hills on the left.

