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News from John

To all those who pray for Paula and want to know how she is doing; since we moved her into a new facility trained specifically to care for those with Alzheimer's, her physical and emotional health is much improved. She is no longer angry and cross and is her own sweet self again. Her mind continues to slip, so that sometimes she doesn't recognize me at first, then brightens and says, "You're John, aren't you." A resident has a doll, and let Paula hold it. She loves to hold it, and thinks the doll is a real baby. A friend, who ministers to troubled children, also happened to know that people suffering from Alzheimer's are helped by having dolls to hold. This morning two special dolls arrived as a gift from her to Paula, and I will take them to her today. I am grateful for all those who continue to pray for Paula, and for those who have sent financial help. Both lift my heart tremendously, and so, through this newsletter report, my thanks to you and praises to God for friends like you.

Reminder! There's still time to register for the ...

MINISTRY GROUP MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP

Healthy
Leaders



Healthy
Groups

Day 1: Knowing & understanding myself
Day 2: Healthy group dynamics

Venue: Servants of Jesus Community
15 Park Road, Seven Hills NSW

Date: Friday 28th and
Saturday 29th August

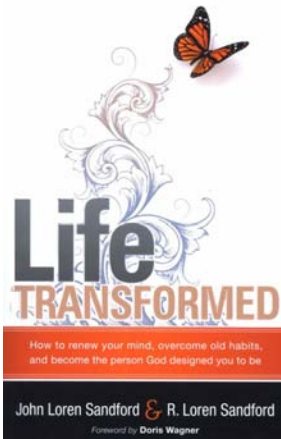
Cost: \$100 (\$50 for current EHMA volunteers)

Registration: Resource Centre 07 5492 8588
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Those who attended this Workshop in Queensland say it was fun and very worthwhile. Greg and Meryem Brown (Psychologist) present the workshop and have good insight into group management issues.

The workshop is open to all and is ideal for people involved in any type of small group, including church home groups or twelve-step programs.

For enquiries, contact the Resource Centre on 07 5492 8588.



Revised book - Life Transformed (formerly Renewal of the Mind)

"I found myself wishing that this book were required reading for new believers as well as Bible study groups. It would save a lot of grief and anguish if folks would understand the practice and principles of a *Life Transformed*."

From the foreword by Doris M Wagner,
co-founder with Peter Wagner of *Global Harvest Ministries*
and *International Society of Deliverance Ministers*:

Life Transformed is available from the Resource Centre, \$20 + P&H

Timetables

The Timetables on our website are updated regularly with details of all Elijah House Ministries events. You can access the Timetables by clicking on Timetable under Courses, Seminars or Training.

There have been some date changes recently to courses at Bribie Island QLD and Albany WA. To see the 2009 Courses Timetable, [click here](#).

To get details of a Seminar at Caloundra on Sunday, 30th August, [click here](#)

Food for the Soul

It's good to register some of the feedback from students in recent months. Here are a few comments:

"Wonderful course. It has helped me to deal with issues that I have buried. It has given me the faith and strength to move forward to serve God. I cannot think of anything [that would improve it]."

"Great leading; made me, as part of the group, feel secure and cared for. I always felt I knew what was coming up next. Well planned and managed."

"We have been blessed by these teachings and the modelling by the course leaders ... they did so much over and above the call of duty. We are so thankful to them and to God!"



**SEEK FIRST TO UNDERSTAND,
THEN TO BE UNDERSTOOD.²**

Gain valuable listening skills at...

ROZELLE MICRO-SKILLS WORKSHOP

Thursday 8th & Friday 9th October 2009

Cost: \$100 (\$50 to volunteers)

Register with Resource Centre

² Stephen Covey