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“Every age has its teachers, who keep the eternal truths alive for all of us.
In the case of Andrew Harvey, the light he sheds is like a meteor burst across the inner sky.”

– Marianne Williamson, author of *The Age of Miracles*

ANDREW HARVEY is a renowned and distinguished mystical scholar, Rumi translator and explicator, poet, novelist, spiritual teacher and writer, and architect of Sacred Activism.

He was born in south India in 1952 where he lived until he was nine years old. It is this early period that he credits with shaping his sense of the inner unity of all religions and providing him with a permanent and inspiring vision of a world infused with the sacred. He left India to attend private school in England and entered Oxford University in 1970. At the age of 21, he became the youngest person ever to be awarded a fellowship to All Soul's College, England's highest academic honor.

By 1977 Andrew Harvey had become disillusioned with life at Oxford and returned to his native India, where a series of mystical experiences initiated his spiritual journey. Over the next thirty years he plunged into different mystical traditions to learn their secrets and practices. In 1992, he met Father Bede Griffiths in his ashram in south India near where Andrew Harvey had been born. It was this meeting that helped him synthesize the whole of his mystical explorations and reconcile eastern with western mysticism.

In 2005, in the historic Santuario de Guadalupe in Santa Fe New Mexico, Andrew Harvey delivered his vision of the contemporary crisis now confronting us in today's world and its potential solution in what he has termed “Sacred Activism,” which he sees as the culmination of his life's work.

Harvey has taught at Oxford University, Cornell University, Hobart and William Smith Colleges, The California Institute of Integral Studies, and the University of Creation Spirituality as well as at various spiritual centers throughout the United States. He was the subject of the 1993 BBC film documentary *The Making of a Modern Mystic* and appears also in *Rumi Turning Ecstatic* and *The Consciousness of the Christ: Reclaiming Jesus for A New Humanity*.

Andrew Harvey is Founder Director of the Institute of Sacred Activism.



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ABOUT THE WEEKEND

COST:

Early Bird Discount: \$165 -
Register by March 15, 2012 and save \$30.

\$195 - includes event tuition, dinner on Fri., continental breakfast, lunch and dinner on Sat. and continental breakfast and lunch on Sun.

Students: \$100 (with valid student ID) includes all of the above

MORE INFO:

Contact Rami Shapiro, Director of Wisdom House at Scarritt-Bennett at wisdomhouse@scarrittbennett.org or visit our website at scarrittbennett.org/programs/wisdom.aspx#ah

TO REGISTER:

Online at <http://conta.cc/whsbcah>,
(615) 340-7557 or aelliott@scarrittbennett.org

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FRIDAY, APRIL 27

- 4-5:30pm Registration
- 5:30-6:30pm Dinner
- 7-9:00pm The Revolution of the Divine Feminine



Andrew Harvey will present his vision of the revolution of love in action that the return of the Mother is making possible, and present 3 great sacred practices that help anyone connect with the divine feminine in the core of their lives to achieve balance and harmony and to empower themselves with the Mother's passionate compassion for all beings.

THE SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, APRIL 28

- 7:30-8:30am Breakfast
- 9:00-Noon Sacred Activism

Drawing on his book, *The Hope*, Andrew will lay out carefully his vision of Sacred Activism. Sacred Activism is a fusion of mystical knowledge, peace and passion with clear wise urgent action in every area of the world. In the workshop, Andrew will discuss the 5 forms of service that are necessary to become a sacred activist, and the 7 laws that he has distilled from the world's mystical traditions that govern the wise use of Sacred Activism. He will also pay special attention to the 4 kinds of sacred practice that he recommends to all sacred activists to help them build a holistic spiritual container that can be strong enough to withstand the inevitable stresses and pressures. Participants will leave with a comprehensive understanding of what Sacred Activism is and with practical tools to help put it into immediate practice.

- Noon-1:30pm Lunch and free time
- 1:30-5:00pm Sacred Activism continues
- 5:30-6:30pm Dinner



7:00-8:30pm Kirtan – led by Nashville's Kirtan Band, Lila

Lila is:
 James Weinberg – harmonium
 Michelle Hall – vocals
 Kenneth Robinson - vocals and guitar
 Mary Beth Cysewski - vocals and guitar
 Matt Kerske - percussion

SUNDAY, APRIL 29

- 7:30-8:30am Breakfast
- 9:00-11:30am Real Jesus – Christ Consciousness and Sacred Activism

Andrew Harvey believes that Jesus is best understood as a pioneer new human being– the Divine Human– a being who is grounded in mystical wisdom and passion, and committed to sacred action on all levels to bring in the truth, beauty and power of what Jesus called “the kingdom.” Drawing on the Gospel of Thomas, Andrew will present his vision of the glory and challenge of authentic Christ Consciousness and share 4 simple and powerful practices from the depths of the Christian tradition that can enable anyone, whatever their faith, to connect with it.

REGISTRATION

4 EASY WAYS TO REGISTER

MAIL REGISTRATION FORM (SEE REVERSE) & PAYMENT TO:

Scarritt-Bennett Center
 Attn: Programs Department
 1008 19th Ave. S., Nashville, TN 37212

FAX REGISTRATION FORM (SEE REVERSE) & PAYMENT TO:

(615) 340-7463
 Reservations are not considered final until payment is received.

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- Early Bird: Must register by March 15, 2012 \$165 (includes tuition, 6 meals and taxes)
\$195 (includes tuition, 6 meals and taxes)
Student: \$100 with valid student ID (includes tuition, 6 meals and taxes)

Please list any dietary restrictions:

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Payment by: Check VISA MasterCard AmEx

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OTHER VOICES ON ANDREW HARVEY

Andrew is a genius and an inspired visionary who has the ability to interpret the meaning and significance of the chaos and patterns of change that are redirecting the compass of our contemporary culture.

- Caroline Myss, Author of Anatomy of Spirit and Sacred Contracts

Andrew Harvey is one of the world's irreplaceable resources.

- Lance Morrow, writer, Time magazine

Harvey is probably the greatest living scholar and practitioner of mysticism. There are others more deeply steeped in individual traditions, but few, if any, have so extensively explored such a variety of mystic paths, not just an academic observer but also as a participant.

- Worcester Magazine

Andrew Harvey is an enlightened spirit—a messenger from the Divine.

- Gloria Vanderbilt

Setting out a course of radical and reasoned action, Andrew Harvey empowers us to become spiritual activists and reclaim our planet from the suicidal trajectory we're traveling.

- Joan Duncan Oliver, journalist and author, Happiness: How to Get It and Keep It

Using humor, passion, and analysis, Andrew Harvey challenges us to wake up and get up off of our couches to become the spiritual activists we all can be.

- Reverend Matthew Fox, author Creation Spirituality and founder of the University of Creation Spirituality, now called, Wisdom University

