

Walk for Values USA Southwest Region Phoenix, AZ

Dear Friends,

We are pleased to invite you to participate in the inaugural southwest *Walk for Values*. This event is scheduled to take place on **Saturday**, **February 27**, **2010** at the **Wesley Bolin Plaza**, **Phoenix**, **AZ**.

Why a Walk for Values? One lesson the recent financial crisis has taught is that we are all dependant on each other for our well-being and we need to take responsibility for how we live. It's now about making choices that benefit not just ourselves but everyone.

How? By committing ourselves to practice values that for many generations have united communities and made nations strong. There are five values universal to all lands, people, religions, civil societies, etc. – Truth, Right Conduct, Peace, Love and Non-Violence.

We actually see these values at work in our everyday lives in the form of Honesty as an aspect of Truth; Courage as an example of Right Conduct; Contentment as a component of Peace; Compassion as an expression of Love; and Appreciation of other cultures as a demonstration of Nonviolence.

We're not raising a penny. This walk is not a fundraiser, it is a **Life Raiser!** We're inviting people to walk with a pledge in their hearts: to practice at least one value each and every day. This is not about clichés or quick-fixes; it's about rebuilding character and restoring goodness in our lives. It can be done; *it is just up to you.*

This walk is organized by the Sathya Sai Organization, which promotes the practice of human values and provides opportunities to participate in community based service activities.

To Register yourself or your group for this walk, please visit our website at <u>www.walkforvaluesusa.org</u>
This event will take place on Saturday, February 27, 2010 from 10am to 1pm, with check-in beginning at 9am. **Wesley Bolin Plaza is located at 1700 W. Washington St, Phoenix, AZ 85007**

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Sincerely,

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Walk for Values USA, Southwest Region

WALK THE WALK!









