

Greetings!

Join us the weekend of September 29-30th for NADA/F's 7th Annual Meeting! Our forerunner, the International Air Disaster Groups (IADG) met for the first time Oct. 17, 1992, so this will be the 10th meeting for our organizations.

Many of us have said that the best part of the Annual Meeting is renewing old friendships, connecting with new members, and the great conversations and fun that we have from morning 'til night. I always enjoy our introductions on Saturday morning, when we learn more about each other. We are a very interesting group with an amazing amount of energy. As survivors, family members, aviation professionals (active and retired), government officials, members of the press and media, young and old, we learn that we have common goals and want to make a difference for the future.

There is so much to share! This year some of our Guest Speakers will talk about how air crash investigations have changed, what we have learned during the 1990's, and the tools and momentum that we have today to make a difference in the future.

The Internet has had a tremendous impact on air crash reporting, record keeping, communicating with each other, and more. Presentations and materials will help us maximize our effectiveness with the Internet for the future.

The weekend includes optional FAA and government meetings on Friday, including the "behind the scenes security tour" of Washington National Airport (primarily Friday afternoon).

On Monday our *Family Support Team* program will be an opportunity to talk about how family support was managed in the past, and improvements for the future. Throughout the weekend we look forward to sharing with you exciting updates about our *Family Support Team*, and the work NADA/F and others are doing toward better support for victims' families.

Bill Kauffman (Aerospace Professor from the Univ. of Michigan), and Jim Hurd (TWA 800) have been representing NADA/F on the FAA Fuel Tank Inerting group. As I write to you, the group is completing its work, and will soon present recommendations about preventing another center wing tank explosion, such as the one that caused the crash of TWA 800. Bill and Jim will be able to share with us how our participation has made a difference, from "inside the FAA!" We have ten people representing NADA/F on FAA Aviation Rulemaking Advisory Committees (ARAC), including a position and vote on the Executive Committee, the Issue Groups, and participation in the important working groups that are closed to the public. We look forward to expanding our role!

Saturday and Sunday includes our Guest Speakers, and Special Surprise Guests, recognition for those who have made a difference, our business meeting when we adopt NADA/F's Goals for 2002, elect NADA/F Board Members, and more. To learn more turn the page, and watch for updates on our website. Everyone is welcome!

Gail Dunham, President

*MISSION: To raise the standard of safety, security, and survivability
for aviation passengers and to support victims' families.*

Meeting Schedule

For early arrivals there are optional Friday meetings at the FAA and a Security Tour of Washington National Airport. Meetings are expected to be scheduled after 1PM in the afternoon. We have requested additional government meetings and will keep the website updated as we receive confirmations.

NEW! Friday night optional dinner for those who arrive early. \$18 per person, 7:00 PM, a casual full buffet in a private dining room at the hotel.

8:30 to 9:30 AM – Saturday and Sunday, Continental Breakfast and socializing, included with registration fee.

9:30 AM to 5:00 PM Annual Meeting - Saturday and Sunday with break for lunch 12:30 PM to 1:30 PM.

Optional lunch. Pentagon Room with a wide variety of choices served via Buffet.

Alternatives include the hotel coffee shop, or Starbucks in the hotel.

Saturday Evening 6:00 PM Social Hour – 7:00 PM Dinner at the Rooftop Dining Room with a terrific view of Washington DC. Guest Speaker(s) to be announced.

Monday – 9:30 AM to 4:30 PM – Optional Family Support Team Crisis Response Workshop –

Learn more about what you have experienced, and using our knowledge toward helping others in the future.

Annual Meeting events are offered at cost, or less. Please reserve as soon as possible to confirm the special \$99 hotel rate, and early registration helps us to plan the events.

NEW! FREE REGISTRATION to those who have a Letter to the Editor published regarding aviation safety, and please mention NADA/F or www.PlaneSafe.org

Registration fee will be refunded if you bring your published letter!

Questions? Suggestions? Contact the Annual Meeting Co-Chairs:

Joan Pontante, Email: Japontante@juno.com (315) 593-3279, or

Audrey Ulozas, Email: juaud@mediaone.net (954) 783-4598



NATIONAL AIR DISASTER FOUNDATION

2020 Pennsylvania Ave., NW * # 315 * Washington DC 20006-1846

✓ Yes. I will attend the 7th Annual Meeting, Saturday-Sunday, September 29-30, 2001!

(Optional activities Friday and Monday).

Registration fee is \$40 per person, includes Continental Breakfast Saturday and Sunday and Annual Meeting Packet.

I have enclosed \$ _____ registration fee for _____ people to attend.

I have enclosed \$ _____ for _____ people to attend Friday dinner, \$18 per person.

I have enclosed \$ _____ for _____ people to attend Saturday lunch, \$18 per person.

I have enclosed \$ _____ for _____ people to attend Saturday dinner, \$40 per person.

I have enclosed \$ _____ for _____ people to attend Sunday lunch, \$18 per person.

I will attend the Friday Washington National Airport Security Tour. _____ Yes _____ No

I will attend the Friday Meeting at the FAA . _____ Yes _____ No

I will attend the Monday *Family Support Team (FST)* Workshop _____ Yes _____ No

I have enclosed \$ _____ as a contribution to help with NADA/F's work. (Thank you!)

Total \$ _____

Meeting is scheduled from 9:30 AM Saturday through 5:00 PM on Sunday,

plus 8:30-9:30 AM both days for Continental Breakfast and Socializing, and Saturday dinner.

Make checks payable to the *NATIONAL AIR DISASTER FOUNDATION* and mail to the address above.

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 **For hotel reservations please call the DoubleTree directly, (703) 416-4100 or (800) 222-TREE. Request the special \$99 rate for NADA/F. Space is limited.**



Bill Reid thanked others and said they were “the guiding light” to help achieve the dedication.

“It has been almost two years since this project began and now it is reality. It has been over 43 years since the tragic crash of the Capital Airlines Viscount and that is time enough to go without some kind of remembrance of the victims. Today, the accent is on remembering those who passed away. This is truly a time of healing and rejoicing, knowing the memorial to Flight 67 is permanent and will be a lasting commemoration to the 47 names inscribed on it.”

Bill Reid and others did a number of important things to personalize the memorial service, such as giving people the opportunity to make comments in memory of their loved one(s). Reid also collected photos of the passengers and copied them to display together on a memory board. The dinner that followed was a special time for fellowship of the group.

**Bill Reid - Email: Highflight@aol.com
(989) 893-2765**

Left to right: Bill Reid, Jim and Rosemary Shellberg

Jim and Rosemary Shellberg, founding members, represented our NADA/F family members at the memorial. Their comments have meaning to all of us.

Good Afternoon. My name is Rosemary Shellberg, and this is my husband Jim. We would like to thank Bill Reid for inviting us to speak on this momentous occasion. You are probably wondering why I was asked to speak. There are two reasons. The first one is that we are one of you. We lost our son David, aged 25, on October 31, 1994 with the American Eagle flight 4184 that crashed in a cornfield in Roselawn Indiana. There were 68 souls lost on that flight. The families of 4184 experienced difficulties in terms of where we could place a memorial as you did. The tenant farmer would not agree to terms for the purchase of the crash site. We also were helped by having compassionate people, like Bill Reid. Our angels were a widow, her son, and daughter. They petitioned the Indiana county to get permission to erect a memorial at the side of the road. We have found that many other people like them have come forward to honor our loved ones and help us adjust.

So that leads me to into our second reason for being here. We are representing NADA, the National Air Disaster Alliance. Our mission is to raise the standard of safety, security and survivability for aviation passengers and to support victims' families. We are based on the following principals:

- To ensure the flying public that the highest standards of aviation safety are established and in effect.
- To promote and establish mandatory post crash planning in all realms of the airline industry.
- To implement and maintain a dedicated team of NADA members to provide family and survivor advocacy and support for all victims of air tragedies.

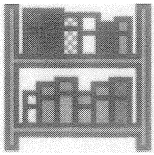
We are here to give the support of the Alliance and hope you will help us to carry the work forward so that we can help the industry achieve the level of safety that we all deserve.

About a month ago, Jim and I went to Oklahoma to visit our son's memorial that his colleagues had erected at the University of Oklahoma. On the way home, we stopped in Carthage, Missouri to see the Precious Moments Chapel. During this visit we learned that Sam Butcher, (the creator of Precious Moments figurines), had lost his son in an auto accident. He dedicated a room in his chapel to his son's memory. On the wall, above a book of remembrance, was a plaque that really struck me. I think it might be nice to share with you on this occasion because I think the sentiments are appropriate.

“We find comfort in realizing that no one, whom we have truly loved, is ever lost to us. We carry them with us in our hearts, and in our thoughts. We dream their dreams, and uphold their ideals. They remain a part of all we dare and all we do. And they live on in the ideas and values, preferences and pleasures, which they imparted to us. The placing of their names in this Book, is not our way of remembering them. It is merely our way of reminding the world that we have not forgotten them.”

I believe that this is what you are doing here today. Rather than writing your loved ones names in a book you have written them on marble. You are showing the world that they are not forgotten—43 years later and they are not forgotten.

Jim and Rosemary Shellberg



BEREAVEMENT Library

Our members know first hand of the tragic loss experienced after a sudden death. We hope the books suggested here will be helpful to those dealing with the pain of grief.

We also encourage you to seek out other available resources such as CD's, books on tape, relaxation therapy tapes, videos, etc. These resources can bring you comfort, peace, insight and information. It is important that you take care of yourself by reaching out for the resources available locally or via the Internet. A wide variety of grief resources can also be ordered from www.centering.org or by calling 402-553-1200 for a Centering catalog. *NADA/F* members should ask for free shipping on their first order from the Centering Corporation.

If you are ordering online from Amazon.com, www.PlaneSafe.org benefits when you use any Amazon.com links from *NADA/F*'s web site to Amazon.com prior to making your purchases. When viewing this list of books online, clicking on the book titles will link you to the book's description at Amazon.com. *NADA/F* does have a limited number of books available for purchase as noted below.

Akner, Lois; **How To Survive the Loss of A Parent—A Guide for Adults**; Quill Publishing, 1994; ISBN: 0688137911

Bernstein, Dr. Judith; **When the Bough Breaks Forever: After the Death of a Son or Daughter**; Kansas City, MO; Andrews & McMeel, 1997; ISBN: 0836252829

Bridges, William; **The Way of Transition: Embracing Life's Most Difficult Moments**; Persues Books, 2000; ISBN: 0738204102

Brooks, Jane; **Midlife Orphan: Facing Life's Changes Now that Your Parents Are Gone**; Berkley Books, 1999; ISBN: 0425166937

Brothers, Dr. Joyce; **Widowed**; Ballentine Books, 1992; ISBN: 0345374002

Chetnik, Neil; **Fatherloss**; Hyperion, 2001; ISBN: 0786865326

Colgrove, M. & H. H. Bloomfield; **How to Survive the Loss of a Love**; Los Angeles: Prelude, 1991; ISBN: 0553014811

Edelman, Hope; **Motherless Daughters: The Legacy of Loss**; Delta Publishing, 1995; ISBN: 0385314388

Fitzgerald, Helen; **The Mourning Handbook: A Complete Guide for the Bereaved**; Simon & Schuster, 1994; ISBN: 0671869728 Available for purchase from *NADA/F* \$ 9.00

Fitzgerald, Helen; **The Grieving Teen: A Guide for Teenagers & Their Friends**; Simon & Schuster, 2000; ISBN: 0684868040

Gambill, Andrea (editor); **Food for the Soul: Poetry Collection for the Bereaved**; Colorado Springs, CO: Bereavement Publishing, 1997; ISBN: 0962716510

Ginsburg, Genevieve Davis; **Widow To Widow**; Fisher Books, 1999; ISBN: 1555612261

Grollman, Earl; **Living When a Loved One has Died**; Boston: Beacon Press, 1995; ISBN: 0807027197

Harris, Jill Werman, Editor; **Remembrances and Celebrations: A Book of Eulogies, Elegies, Letters and Epitaphs**; New York: Vintage Books, 2000; ISBN: 0375701257 Available for purchase from *NADA/F* \$14.00

Knapp, Ronald J.; Beyond Endurance: **When a Child Dies**; NY: Schocken Books, 1986; ISBN: 0805208232

Kubler-Ross, Dr. Elizabeth; **On Death and Dying**; NY: Macmillan, 1997; ISBN: 0684839385

Kubler-Ross, Dr. Elizabeth; **The Wheel of Life: A Memoir of Living and Dying**; NY: Touchstone Books, 1998; ISBN: 0684846314 [

Kushner, Harold; **When Bad Things Happen to Good People**; Avon Books, 1994; ISBN: 0380603926 Available for purchase from *NADA/F* \$ 4.00

Levine, Stephen; **Healing Into Life and Death**; Anchor Books, 1989; ISBN: 0829019677 Available from *NADA/F* \$6.00

Levy, Alexander; **The Orphaned Adult: Understanding and Coping with Grief and Change After the Death of Our Parents**; Reading, MA: Persues Press, 1999; ISBN: 0738203610

- Levy, Naomi; **To Begin Again: The Journey Toward Comfort, Strength, and Faith in Difficult Times**; NY; Alfred A. Knopf, 1998; ISBN: 0345413830
- Lewis, C. S.; **A Grief Observed**; Bantam Books, 1983; ISBN: 0553274864
- Lindbergh, Anne Morrow, **Hour of Gold, Hour of Lead: Diaries and Letters of Anne Morrow Lindbergh 1929-1932**, involving the loss of their son, Harvest Books, Reissue March 1993; ISBN: 0156421836
- McCracken, Anne & Mary Semel; **A Broken Heart Still Beats**; Hazeldon Publications, 2000; ISBN: 1568385560
- Mehren, Elizabeth; **After the Darkest Hour. The Sun Will Shine Again: A Parent's Guide to Coping with the Loss of a Child**; NY: Fireside, 1997; ISBN: 0684811707
- Prend, Ashley Davis; **Transcending Loss: Understanding the Lifelong Impact of Grief & How to Make it Meaningful**; Berkley Books, 1997; ISBN: 042515775X
- Rando, Therese A. (editor); **Parental Loss of a Child**; Champaign IL: Research Press, 1986; ISBN: 0878222812
- Rando, Therese A.; **Treatment of Complicated Mourning**; Champaign IL: Research Press, 1993; ISBN: 0878223290
- Rando, Therese A.; **Grieving: How to Go on Living When Someone You Love Dies**; NY: Lexington Books, 1988; ISBN: 0669170216
- Sanders, Dr. Catherine M.; **Surviving Grief and Learning to Live Again**; John Wiley & Sons, 1992; ISBN: 0471534714
- Sanders, Dr. Catherine M.; **How to Survive the Loss of a Child: Filling The Emptiness & Rebuilding Your Life**; Prima, 1998; ISBN: 0761512896
- Schiff, Harriet Sarnoff; **The Bereaved Parent**; Viking Press, 1978; ISBN: 0140050434
- Schreiber, Le Anne; **Light Years: A Memoir**; NY: Doubleday, 1997; ISBN: 0385489439
- Shriver, Maria; **What's Heaven?**; Golden books, 1999; ISBN: 0307440435
- Staudacher, Carol; **A Time To Grieve: Meditations for Healing After the Death of A Loved One**; San Francisco: Harper, 1994; ISBN: 0062508458
- Tatelbaum, Judy; **The Courage to Grieve**; Harper & Row, 1984; ISBN: 0060911859 Available from NADA/F \$8.00
- Walton, Charlie; **When There Are No Words: Finding Your Way to Cope with Loss and Grief**; Ventura, CA: Pathfinder Publishing, 1996; ISBN: 0934793573
- Wolfelt, Dr. Alan; **The Journey Through Grief: Reflections on Healing**; Companion Press, 1997; ISBN: 1879651114
- Wolfelt, Dr. Alan; **Healing Your Grieving Heart: 100 Practical Ideas for Kids**, 2000. ISBN: 187965119X
- Woodson, Meg; **Making It Through the Toughest Days of Grief: Anniversaries, Holidays, and Other Landmark Days**; NY: Harper Paperbacks, 1994; ISBN: 0061043648

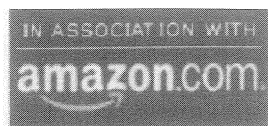
This bibliography is limited and does not contain all the books available on bereavement. You are encouraged to search through other book sites or at your local library to find information on the books listed here or other excellent books that are available. NADA/F welcomes resource suggestions.

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For BOOKS information and/or recommendations contact: **Maureen Dobert, (631) 878-9014 or Mary Kahl, NADA/F Board Member, Information Resources, (724) 864-0026 or Email: Mkahlcul8@aol.com**

For books available from NADA/F, send a check, payable to NADA/F for the amount of the book(s), plus \$4 for postage and handling to: Mary Kahl, 1917 Victoria Lane, Irwin PA 15642.

Check the BOOKS section of our website for updates.



To order books from Amazon.com, remember to go to NADA/F's website first: <http://www.PlaneSafe.org> and link to [Amazon.com](http://www.amazon.com). NADA/F receives a small commission from Amazon.com when linked from our website, at no additional cost to you. This is another way to help us grow.

BOOKS will also be available, with some special surprises, at the Annual Meeting!

Annual Meeting – BOOKS...

NADA/F is accepting both new and used book donations for the Book Sale at the Annual Meeting. We are particularly interested in books on bereavement and grief, as well as informational books about the airline industry—such as safety, politics, procedures, incidents and disasters. Please include an itemized list of books and value, along with your name and address, if you would like a receipt for your tax-deductible donation to the Foundation.

Special thanks to the following book donors (so far): Bob Allardyce, Mary Schiavo, Carolyn Coarsey, Christine Negroni, Jill Werman Harris, and Maria Kennedy Schriver. We have received their books and look forward to having them available to you. We also welcome more book donations!

Mary Kahl, BOOKS, Information Resources, Email: Mkahlcu18@aol.com (724) 864-0026 – 1917 Victoria Lane, Irwin PA 15642 and Maureen Dobert, Email: Kenmoe60@aol.com (631) 878-9014

FAMILY SUPPORT TEAM (FST)...

Being part of NADA's *Family Support Team (FST)* when a crisis occurs is NOT to provide therapy or counseling, but more like providing first aid for a person or family to which we have been assigned. The first rule of first aid is 'do no further harm'. Having also lost loved ones through a terrible disaster enables the support person to have a common thread of a new tapestry that a person or family will begin to weave making their way on a journey through a disaster. The most important aspect of this journey is for the FST member to realize that each person's or family's tapestry will be different from what the FST member experienced, or other families are experiencing in the same disaster. The role of the FST member is to assist where the person/family needs them.

Our members have so much to offer, and we encourage you to contact NADA to request information about FST. The FST volunteer will learn about the stages of grief for themselves and others, and how to provide the right type of assistance. In the process, members develop their own self-confidence to help with everyday living, and to help when and if we are called to help after a disaster.

CISM training (Critical Incident Stress Management) is not a requirement for FST, however, we found the training personally very helpful as we have begun to understand the role of assisting a person/family and also how to take care of ourselves in the process. The Red Cross has said that we will be re-traumatized, however they do not realize how strong we are! We encourage others to seek educational training. There are numerous programs offered by CISM, NOVA, and/or the Red Cross that can be of great benefit to us all.

Helen Siebert - FST Team Leader

Educational training updates, about crisis response, can be found on our website. We welcome suggestions about resources in your area. The following ICISF schedule may be helpful to you. → → → → →

The following Awards will be presented at the Annual Meeting...Join us to recognize people who are making a difference...

NEW! Broadcast Journalism Award – This award was endowed by Cynthia Hamilton, Amanda Myers and Lee Sawyer, in memory of their parents, Conway and Anna Laurie Hamilton who were passengers on ValuJet.

NEW! The ASA 529 Triumph Award – In memory of Atlantic Southeast Airlines flight 529, August 21, 1995, in Carroll County GA. There were 10 fatalities and 9 survivors of this horrific crash. As we know, the crash impacted many more lives. The Award will recognize an ordinary person who performed an extraordinary feat toward aviation safety. This new Annual Award is an opportunity to recognize people involved in ways large and small in aviation. We appreciate the generosity of the anonymous donor.

The Safety Award – Prior recipients include: Jim Hall, former NTSB Chair, Mary Schiavo, Ed Block (wiring/cable expert), and Tom O'Mara (to recognize his work toward organizing the first family air crash group meetings, and much more). Special thanks to Art and Carole Rietz, and Paul and Susan Smith for endowing the award in memory of their sons Howard Rietz and Jay Smith.

Air Safety Journalism Award – Prior recipient Byron Acohido. Special thanks to the law firm of Corboy & Demetrio for endowing this important award.

Dates to Remember...

Thursday, August 16, 2001 –14th memorial for Northwest 255, Detroit MI – For additional information call Joan Pontante, NADA/F VP, (315) 593-3279

August 22-23, 2001 – Public Hearing for Emery Worldwide Airfreight 17 at the NTSB, at 9AM on

August 22nd. For information please call (202) 314-6000, or Fred Chesbro (703) 455-4079 fchesbro@hotmail.com NTSB Board Member John Goglia will Chair the Hearing and recently stated:

"This hearing is important because good maintenance is key to aviation safety. Issues of contract maintenance and oversight have arisen in the past in connection with passenger airlines. We need to ensure that the highest standards also are applied to maintaining the large and growing fleet of cargo aircraft in this country."

We look forward to welcoming Mr. Goglia as a Keynote Speaker at our Annual Meeting!

September 19-21, 2001 – Wats:ON? – Carnegie Mellon Univ. Pittsburgh PA - The Jill Watson Festival Across the Arts. In memory of Jill Watson, Pittsburgh architect and CMU professor who died on TWA 800. Everyone is welcome! For more information please contact Janice Watson (561) 362-5888, or jamahawa@mindspring.com

Wednesday, January 9, 2002 – 5th Memorial for Comair Delta Commuter 3272 – Ida MI. For information contact Arlene Miasel (612) 440-6929.



INTERNATIONAL CRITICAL INCIDENT STRESS FOUNDATION, Inc. - ICISF

ICISF is a non-profit, open membership foundation dedicated to the prevention and mitigation of disabling stress through education, training, and support services. They work with Crisis and Disaster Response Programs, organizations, and communities worldwide.

You may participate in the following regional ICISF Training for 2-days or 4-days - costs vary from \$161 to \$284 depending on the classes that you would like to take, and whether you participate for 2-days or 4-days.

Classes that would be the most applicable to *Family Support Team (FST)* would be:

- ✓ Critical Incident Stress Management (CISM) Basic Group Crisis Intervention
- ✓ Critical Incident Stress Management (CISM) Crisis Intervention and Peer Support, and
- ✓ Critical Incident Stress Management (CISM) Advanced Group Crisis Intervention.

Questions? Please call the phone numbers listed, or call ICISF in Baltimore at the number listed below.

FST Director, Barb Skudlarick, is also familiar with the ICISF training: MazamaJoe@cs.com (360) 371-4108

Helen and Larry Siebert can also help with your questions. Email: HlnSiebert@aol.com (573) 635-1488

ICISF's Training Calendar for 2001 includes the following:

August 16-19, 2001 Columbia, Maryland – ICISF (410) 750-9600

Conference at Sheraton Hotel, Columbia MD (410) 730-3900 (\$114 per night)

<http://www.icisf.org/conference/brochures/columbia2001.pdf> (to download brochure)

August 23-26, 2001 Edmonton, Alberta, Canada – CISM - Edmonton Society

Contact: Sharon Robertson (780) 429-7860, or Mary Lee Toucher (780) 929-9163

<http://www.icisf.org/conference/brochures/Edmonton.pdf> (to download brochure)

September 5-8, 2001 Phoenix AZ – Maricopa County Sheriff's Office & Phoenix Metro CISM Teams

Contact: Lt. Geoffrey (602) 256-1300 x 4468 - or G_Leggett@MCSO.maricopa.gov

Conference at the Radisson Resort & Spa, Scottsdale AZ (only \$64 per night)

<http://www.icisf.org/conference/brochures/Phoenix2001.pdf> (to download brochure)

September 20-23, 2001 Birmingham AL – Shelby County Sherriff's Office, Shelby 911

Contact Martha Starr: MmcStarr@aol.com (205) 978-2118

Conference at Birmingham Marriott (205) 968-3773 (\$105 per night)

<http://www.icisf.org/conference/brochures/birmingham.pdf>

October 4-7, 2001 Denver CO – Mayflower CISM Team – Contact Patricia Tritt (303) 788-6236

Pritt1@aol.com, Hilton Denver Tech South, Greenwood Village CO (303) 779-6161 (\$129 per night)

<http://www.icisf.org/conference/brochures/denver2001.pdf>

October 18-21, 2001 Olathe KS – Johnson County CISM Team

Contact: Bill Art (913) 715-7763 Bill.Art@jocoks.com or Rita Hoffman (913) 715-254-3683

Rhoffman@OLATHEKS.org Holiday Inn, Olathe (800) 465-4329 (\$74.95 per night)

<http://www.icisf.org/conference/brochures/Olathe.pdf>

✓ *(Helen and Larry Siebert, FST Team Leaders will be participating.)*

November 1-4, 2001 Houston TX – Blue Bonnet CISM Team

Susan Shirley: Sushirley@aol.com or Elaine Johnson: Elainej@gateway.net

Omni Houston Hotel Westside (281) 558-8338 (Special rate of \$89 per night)

<http://www.icisf.org/conference/brochures/houston.pdf>

November 15-18, 2001 Panama City FL – Bay City Schools – Conference held at the Gulf Coast

Community College, 5230 W Hwy 98, Panama City FL – Judi Moore (850) 872-4362 and

MSgt Sandra Thornton (850) 283-7068 -

<http://www.icisf.org/conference/brochures/panamacity.pdf>

✓ *Susan Smith, ValuJet, NADA/F VP Board Member will be participating.)*

December 6-9, 2001 Great Falls MT

For more information visit the website: <http://www.icisf.org/> or <http://www.icisf.org/dates.htm>

Individual brochures can be downloaded from their website. Questions? Email to kbrown@icisf.org

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**7th Annual Meeting – Saturday-Sunday, September 29-30, 2001
DoubleTree Hotel, Pentagon City/Crystal City VA
Optional Meetings and Events Friday and Monday!**

Only \$99 per night for the special NADA/F rate. Call (703) 416-4100 or (800) 222-TREE. Upscale hotel!
Confirm hotel reservations as soon as possible to guarantee the \$99 rate. The \$99 rate will be available until the rooms are sold out, or September 10th, whichever comes first.

Early Confirmed Guest Speakers and Events:

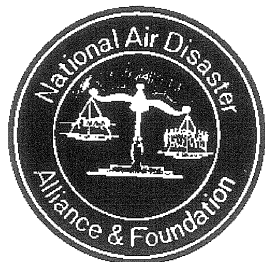
- ✓ John Goglia, NTSB Board Member
- ✓ Chris Hansen, from NBC "Dateline"
- ✓ Carolyn Coarsey, Ph.D., will chair Saturday morning's "Connecting Through Introductions," a time to learn about you, our very interesting members, and more.
- ✓ Mary Fackler Schiavo, former Inspector General of the Dept. of Transportation (1990-1996) and author of "Flying Blind, Flying Safe." Mary's speech is always a highlight, and this year's topic is: "The Inside Story of Aviation Crash Investigation and Litigation Today!"
- ✓ David Evans, Editor of "Air Safety Week," widely respected for Objective Reporting.
- ✓ Tom Shepardson, founder of National Disaster Medical System DMORT.
- ✓ Special Surprise Guests, including government officials that are able to make a difference!
- ✓ Optional Friday afternoon meetings at the FAA and special Washington National Airport Security Tour. Reservations in advance are needed to plan for these meetings.
- ✓ Updates on NADA/F Members participation in FAA ARAC Rule-Making Committees!
- ✓ Updates on NADA/F Family Support Team - FST
- ✓ NADA/F Expanded BOOKS Table – Book Donations also appreciated! (See P.6)
- ✓ This is just the beginning! More to be announced! Join us for the best meeting yet!

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