# **COUPLES RETREAT FEATURES**

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All these rates include six meals, two nights lodging, program and recreation except the Redwood Canopy Tour).

#### **BRING YOUR PASTOR FOR FREE**

For every 7 couples from your church in attendance at the same Couples Retreat weekend, you can bring a pastor and his/her spouse from your church for free! Contact Mount Hermon Registration for a church group reservation.

Individual couples as well as church groups are encouraged to participate.

#### REGISTRATION

Online at: mounthermon.org or by calling 888.642.2677

Please do not let finances get in the way of a Mount Hermon experience. Through the generosity of many, a partial grant from the Campership Fund may be just the gift you need to make it possible for you to attend a retreat. For more information and an application, please contact our friendly Registration staff.

### PERSONAL TOUCHES

Every Couples Retreat is a Weekend for Romance including a photo, picnic lunch, and specialty chocolates.



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## MOUNT HERMON **COUPLES RETREAT**

FEBRUARY 24-26 & APRIL 28-30

#### **GUARANTEE TIME TOGETHER**

"Good Priorities" is a term often related to life choices, but not often to our relationships. A Mount Hermon Couples Retreat grants time to practice priorities. Experience refreshment, intimacy, encouragement, and new ways to enhance your marriage. Our speakers and worship leaders are prayerfully selected for these weekends.



#### SPEAKERS

Feb. 24–26: Gary and Laura Taggart Gary and Laura Taggart are dynamic and playful speakers, and together offer unique insights about the marriage relationship. Through humor, wisdom, practical insights and scriptural understanding, they challenge and

inspire couples to enjoy thriving marriages. Laura has been a licensed Marriage and Family Therapist for the past thirty years. As a businessman, Gary brings practical wisdom and a real-life perspective that is extremely relatable for the guys. He has served in various capacities in his church and currently heads a missions effort in Ethiopia. As a couple, Gary and Laura have taught marriage conferences and retreats for over 16 years. laurataggart.com



#### April 28–30 : Chris and Alisa Grace

Chris serves full time as the director of the new Biola University Center for Marriage and Relationships and continues to teach psychology at the Rosemead School of Psychology, Biola University. Chris & Alisa have professional training as well as practical experience from nurturing their

marriage (of over 24 years), they present foundational and practical insights on how to enhance intimacy. Whether doing pre-marital counseling or discussing marital concepts with couples, their desire is to help others discover God's design for relationships and to provide insights into the joys of marriage.



### MOUNT HERMON **COUPLES RETREAT** FOR BLENDED FAMILIES FEBRUARY 10-12

two of you!

#### **SPEAKERS** Feb. 10–12: David and Rhea Briscoe

You've remarried! In the midst of the joy, pressures both expected and unexpected can pile up. The busyness of juggling life, multiple family relationships, schedules, finances etc, can place pressure on your relationship.

Whether you consider yourself a step family or a blended family, this conference is a hands-on resource that will encourage, equip and probably more importantly, give you and your partner time to get away to the beautiful Santa Cruz Mountains...just the

When David and Rhea met 23 years ago both had lived through the pain of divorce and were single parents raising children on their own. David had four children and Rhea had two - after marrying they had another daughter together. Side by side, they navigated the difficulties of blending a family, and the stigma of being divorced and remarried. They were not easy years, but God truly restored them. Today, their seven children are thriving as a unified, loving family, serving the Lord and giving Him glory. David and Rhea hope others can glean and learn from their mistakes and encounter the same power of God at work in their families and marriage relationship.