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# Is it a legitimate opportunity or a Pyramid Scheme?

by **KELVIN COLLINS**  
President/CEO, BBB of Central Georgia & the CSRA, Inc.

**M**any people have found success in direct selling for companies which use a multi-level compensation plan. Unfortunately, not all opportunities are legitimate, and it's easy to get caught up in the enthusiasm and big promises of a pyramid scheme posing as a trustworthy company. So how do you tell the difference? BBB provides consumers with information to help determine whether or not a company is trustworthy.

What is a Multilevel Marketing Plan? Multilevel Marketing is a method to sell goods and services through other distributors. These plans promise that if you sign up as a distributor, you will receive commissions from sales you make, as well as sales of the people you have recruited as your distributors. On the contrary, a pyramid scheme's commissions are primarily based on the number of distributors recruited and generally ignore the marketing and selling of products and services.

The difference between these

two plans can seem unclear, but there is one key distinction – MLM's are legitimate, and pyramid schemes are illegal, so it's very important to do your homework.

The BBB offers the following questions to ask before deciding whether or not to join an MLM:

- Does the compensation come primarily from recruiting others as opposed to the sale of the product?
- Does the product or service seem too good to be true, and is it priced at an expensive rate?
- Do you feel pressured to join? Is the emphasis placed on the "opportunity" rather than the value of the product?
- Are there promises of large profits for minimal work and little experience?
- What is the marketability of the product? Is there a similar product on the market for less money?

If you answered yes to any of these questions, you are probably looking at a pyramid scheme. While a Multilevel Marketing Plan can be a legitimate and exciting new venture, the bottom line is, do your research as you consider a MLM opportunity. It could be a pyramid in disguise.

Here are some tips to consider before you make your decision:

- Don't pay or sign any contracts in an "opportunity meeting" or any other high-pressure situation. Insist on taking your time to think over a decision to join. Talk it over with your spouse, a knowledgeable friend, an accountant or an attorney.
- How do you feel about the way you were recruited and do you feel comfortable approaching friends and family in this same manner? People don't appreciate having their friendship exploited, this usually ruins relationships.
- Beware of those that don't command the respect themselves and lean on the credentials or character of others.
- Can you survive off of the sales of the product without recruiting other distributors? Pyramid schemes survive by pulling in new distributors and little attention is placed on the product.
- Realistically, how many people can be enrolled in any given area before saturation occurs? If everyone in your neighborhood is selling hamburgers, then pretty soon it is going to be difficult to sell hamburgers.
- Check any company or oppor-

tunity out with the BBB before joining.

Keep in mind, a legitimate company will portray an honest picture of the opportunity, including the possible risks, rewards, and challenges. A pyramid scheme, however, will enthusiastically sell you on the promise of making tons of money with very little effort. Unfortunately, self-deception is the hardest to recognize so take the time to research thoroughly before getting caught up in the hype.

For more tips you can trust, visit [bbb.org](http://bbb.org).

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Book Recommendations by  
ANNE B. JONES, PhD

*Beethoven in Love*, David Ryback,  
Tiger Iron Press, 2014

Those who attended this year's Decatur Book Festival were in for a treat. Among the authors signing books was local psychologist, musician and author, David Ryback, with his newest release, *Beethoven in Love*. This provocative and unusual book is based on meticulous research on Beethoven's life and that of his rumored lover and muse, Antonie Brentano.

According to Ryback, the novel is fiction based on fact and a love story in every sense of the word. Filled with romance and set in 19th century Vienna, it includes the powerful backdrop of Beethoven's music. In addition to being a tale of forbidden love and lust, the work explores the politics and philosophies of the times as well as the terror of Napoleon's invasion.

Ryback's psychological and

musical expertise lends itself well to depicting the feelings and motivations of his characters. Beethoven enthusiasts will love the cover with its explosion of musical notes, hinting at the fiery passions inside.

Ryback is the noted author of several books related to psychology including *Dreams that Come True* and *Connectability*. He offers presentations around the world and is an accomplished recorder player and pianist.

On Monday, October 6, at 7 p.m., David Ryback and Doyle Renolds will be discussing and signing books at the Wimbish House located at 1150 Peachtree Street, Atlanta. Ryback will also present a piano performance of Beethoven's *Moonlight Sonata*.

Admission is free and the public is invited. Paid parking is available in the lot next door.

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# Poets' Corner

OCTOBER

by Thomas A. Garman

*Starburst – red, gold, brown and fading green*

*Drips silently from Roman-candle trees.*

*A crazy quilt of leaves from the loom of autumn*

*Lays underfoot... cinnamon spice of the seasons –*

*My October.*

*Harvest – food for bodies, food for souls*

*Spills over the countryside to wean us from summer.*

*Old gold mornings, evenings with bon-fire eyes,*

*Days full of yesterdays gush from God's cornucopia –*

*My October.*

*Wanderings – through cornshocks standing like*

*Tired sentinels outside winter's door.*

*Life's month of hayrides through these jeweled days*

*Splashes brilliantly on the canvas of the land!*

*My October.*

*Pain – because in days like these we loved*

*And lived together. Bittersweet these scenes are*

*Without my love. My heart waits the fulfillment*

*When we love and live again in God's October.*

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## SUMMER MEMORIES

by Beverly Bryson Norton

*As Summer comes to an end, And Fall is set to begin;*

*Childhood memories of days gone by flow through my mind like a warm*

*summer breeze in a Summer sky.*

*Happy, sunny thoughts of adventures and many plans were made in hopes that Summer would never end.*

*As imaginations were put to the test, we always, somehow, came up with the best.*

*Toys were not the only thing enjoyed; secret hiding places to explore and fun games always gave us joy.*

*Books were read and stories enacted as if we were on stage as actors and actresses.*

*Lightning bugs were caught at night to make our jars sparkle with light.*

*Yard sprinklers, too, will not be forgotten as we ran through the water with laughter and excitement!*

*Days were too short and the nights too long as we tried to make the most of our Summer fun.*

*Childhood Summers are here to stay in our memories forever and a day.*

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## A CHEERY HOPE

by Olga Angela Chapman

*Wish I had a chocolate biscotti... Hmmm... and some orange blossom honey for my spiced tea.*

*Yeh, yeh, yeh... Wish I had a lot of money... Wish I had the winning ticket of tonight's lottery... Wish I had a home pretty to my eye but for the rest of me, comfy and wish privacy on a deserted island in the sea... Wish I was a good man's*

*only woman who loves only me...*

*Wish foods with rich tastes are all calorie-free. Forever to forsake me from the label "fatty."*

*Okay, back to reality. "They" say positive thinking makes wishes come to be. Yeh, close your eyes, click your heels and count to three, just like "Dorothy."*

*Only "in my dreams" am I the mistress of a sexy male genie granting me my every wish freely.*

*Wishes of the mind are formed in a world of fantasy. A wish is a hope that's cheery that might come to be.*

*Wishing is my mind's editing ability; adding more pizzazz to my life as I see.*

*Why good events happened unexpectedly and why others that are planned won't probably. And why unrequested blessings were bestowed upon thee and yet others were denied even though I begged for pleadingly; are all part of life's unpredictability.*

*I'm just the main character of my story and the writer is "God Almighty."*

*I won't be greedy. I think they key is content to be... with my possessions earthly... for better or for worse. For whom is ME... for better or for worse.*

*My contentment of spirituality I can keep for eternity!*

*So for now, I'll just be happy with my lightly buttered toast and black coffee.*

# "The Most Deadly Virus"

by DANIEL W. GATLYN, USN Ret. Minister/Journalist

**H**umanity has weathered the likes of the Bubonic Plague, influenza, malaria, yellow fever, polio, measles... and the "pox!" We have survived the effects of a hundred different "bugs" that have showered us with disease, discomfort, and threatened annihilation. Many of these messengers of alien descent have inflicted death; or, misery on multiple levels! The most recent is the Ebola virus which brings us to consider an extinction of the human race! There is no debate... Ebola should "crank up"

your emotions on a genuine threat to survival! But as bad as it is reported to be, Ebola is not the most deadly emissary of "the badlands" ...for an unthinkable, unbelievable, unseen messenger of havoc is in the wings! It is the monster of all ages! Let me explain!

Webster's two fold (primarily) definition of a virus is, first of all, an "ultra-microscopic infectious agent;" and, secondly, "an influence on a moral stance." Both are described as dangerous (some exceptionally so) to the health and welfare of the individual. While we count the vast millions who succumbed to the various physical plagues, they are moot compared to the throngs who become victims of the "influential thrust."

The first definition, a physical one, has gained far more attention than the most debilitating "attack" the world has ever known. A daily dosage of "profane babbling" is wrecking our individual character! An amplification of such dangers is in order.

The plague of "philosophical influence" is difficult for most people to understand; for such is cunning in approach... diplomatic in methodology...

and, filled with pseudo accolades. Unbridled rationale is a prime tool of this virus; as each liability (or set back) is explained as an academic process. The flowery phrase is spiced with intimidation – with the basics for practicality left adrift. The infection of a glamorized agenda attacks your constitutional values; and, will honor the day with only self aggrandizement. Moral instruction is continually subsidized with the provision that such pursuits leave no place for experimentation or personal enlargement. Vital spiritual precepts are relegated to antiquity; with sound judgement (or proven paths), thrown to the winds. Biblical proclamation invariably takes the path of "individual interpretation" – as revision or "fine tuning" enters the equation! In the finale, every person is launched into secularistic oblivion – feeling unknown, unattached, or disenfranchised; with all semblance of faith utterly destroyed! Such is the root cause of widespread crime, disenchantment, and suicides. The virus is universal and emanates from the Satanic pit! There is only one antidote! You will find it in the pages of Holy Script!

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# Cheers for the electronic age!

by SUSAN LARSON

Watching some cheerleaders the other day brought back some mixed memories for me. One, of all the fun I had being a cheerleader and another from my 35th class reunion.

I went by myself that year. When I got there I noticed a guy sitting alone and asked him, "Are you someone's spouse or one of us?"

He said he was one of us and introduced himself as Bob something. Since neither of us recognized the other, in hopes of making some connection I said, "I was a cheerleader. The second one from the left."

"I never went to football games," he said.

"Oh, but what about the pep rallies?" I went on.

"I never went to them either. Who wants to waste time watching a bunch of girls flit around? I was in school to learn. I went to study hall so I could get some homework done."

Okay.

The next day when we cheerleaders got together for our own

private reunion, I let them know about this guy. They couldn't believe it. "A teenage guy would rather do homework than watch cheerleaders?" "I didn't know study hall was an option!" "Flit? We didn't flit!"

When my husband and sons picked me up at the airport, I told them about Bob.

"My kind of man," my husband said, "I never liked pep rallies, either."

And he lettered in football?

Then one of my sons piped in. "Mom, I know you loved cheerleading and I don't want to hurt your feelings, but I envy that guy. Watching cheerleaders flit around did nothing for me, either. If I'd had the choice, I'd have gone to study hall, too."

Wow! What an eye opener! Not only did I learn about this Bob character and his different view on what's important in life, but I also learned something I might never have known about these men I lived with.

My 50th reunion is coming up next year. I know it's a significant occasion, but I'm not sure about whether I'll go this time. The 38-hour round trip is a pain and the

price of gasoline has nearly tripled since the last time I drove back home. As for flying, air fare has skyrocketed since then and airport security hassle is hardly a cheerful experience. Besides, the dozen or so classmates I really care about, I stay in touch with pretty regularly via social media and e-mail. In fact, most of them read my column online. I've seen pictures of their grandchildren. They'll soon see pictures of mine. Hey, this is the elec-

tronic age. And I think I just might be in flow with the current.

Yes, I realize, out of those 688 classmates, there could be one who's always wanted to meet the second cheerleader from the left. But then, they can just find me on Facebook.

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**M**CMA is pleased to present Chatov Retrospective – 100 Years of Painting, a group exhibition of three generations of painters which will remain opened through December 24th.

In the exhibition Marc Chatov presents a series of artwork that traces his family legacy from his father born in 1900 to the present, including a new generation of Chatov. The installation is comprised of original mural painting studies, realistic figure, portrait and still life paintings, and abstract expressionism. As such, the Retrospective has much to offer the art enthusiast. Through their long careers, Roman and Constantin experimented

with multiple genres of the day, while Marc, painting solidly within the tradition of realism at its finest, explores the world today through modern and mythological themes. Shown is 'They have eyes but see not, ears but hear not' by Marc Chatov.

Beyond an impressive display of virtuosity in the various media and artistic movements represented, this exhibit makes a deeper statement: Unless one opens one's eyes to the beasts we confront in our daily lives, one cannot fully see the beauty that unfolds in front of us around every corner. Indeed, in the eyes of these artists, it is the hardness of daily existence that elevates beauty to its place of triumph.

Marc Chatov is an Atlanta-based artist who has exhibited paintings in museums and galleries nationally. His work "Grape Picker" recently received an "Award of Excellence" by Oil Painters of America and currently hangs in the OPA Eastern Regional Group Show at Eisele Gallery (Cincinnati, OH). Marc is a recipient of the Georgia Governor's Artist of Excellence Award and his fine art

paintings and portraits hang in over 450 public and private collections in the United States, Mexico and abroad, including at the Georgia State Capitol, Emory Hospital, University of Georgia, University of Southern California Thornton School of Music, King & Spalding, and the Lovett School. His recent portrait of Georgia Writers Hall of Fame inductee; Dr. Ferrol Sams, is included in a private collection. Marc is also a well-known and popular instructor. He honed his teaching skills as an assistant to Roman and Constantin in the Chatov Studio and gradually took over their classes in 1984. Today it stands as the longest running art atelier in Atlanta.

Roman Chatov (1900-1987) was born in 1900 and came to New York in 1922 where he studied at the Art Students League and the National Academy of Arts. He was a noted mural painter and



**'They have eyes but see not, ears but hear not'**  
by Marc Chatov.

costume designer. Among his most notable works are his murals commissioned for New York's Russian Tea Room, which are currently in the Lincoln Center Library of Fine Art and Museum of the City of New York collections. His works have been shown in galleries and museums on two continents and are represented in many private and corporate collections. Roman was honored with the "Governor's Award in the Arts" from the Georgia Council for the Arts and Humanities in 1983.

Constantin Chatov (1904-1993) was a renowned portraitist, who painted hundreds of prominent subjects including Margaret Mitchell, Clark Gable and Vivian Leigh as commissioned by MGM. He began his career, however, as a concert pianist in Russia and studied music at the Curtis Institute of Music in Philadelphia in the 1940's. He was a concert pianist in New York and an accompanist for the Ballets Russes until an injury to his right hand ultimately ended his professional music career. In 1950 he studied painting at the Art Students League in New York and by the 1960's was acclaimed for his figure paintings and portraits. Constantin was an influential member of the arts community and received the 1983 "Governor's Award in the Arts" from the Georgia Council for the Arts and Humanities.

Charles Chatov is an Atlanta based artist. In 2009, Charles moved from New York back home to Atlanta and has since developed a national reputation for his style of tattoo art. He still frequents the Chatov Studio where he sketches and paints with his father in the family atelier. Like the elder Chatov painters, Charles not only tries to depict beauty in all its mysterious and contrasting forms, but he infuses his soul into each work of art.

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# Lost Pet Scams... are you at risk?

by **KELVIN COLLINS**  
President/CEO, BBB of Central Georgia & the CSRA, Inc.

**A** lost pet is a devastating experience but the BBB warns pet owners to be wary of scammers that defraud heartbroken pet owners who have publically advertised the loss of a pet. The advertisement can help you get your pet returned but it can also open you up to potential scams. Below are some of the more common scams that target pet owners.

### The Pay-Me-First Scam

In this scam the pet owner receives a phone call from a person claiming that they have the lost pet in their possession. This person asks that the reward money be sent to them before they return the pet. If the pet owner refuses, they will often threaten to hurt the pet in order to pressure the pet owner into sending money. Once the scammer receives the money, they are never heard from again.

### The Truck Driver Scam

Someone claiming to be a long-haul truck driver tells you that he came across your pet while on his route. He then asks you to send him money so that he can send your pet back to you, or he may ask you to wire him money to board your pet until he can send your pet back with another truck driver who's heading your way.

### The Tag Team Scam

You receive a call from someone who says that they think they have your pet. After talking to you for a while and getting information about your pet, they apologize and say that they're sorry, but it turns out that it's not your pet after all. They then give all the information about your pet to a partner. This is a set-up -- in a short time, the scammer uses the information received about your pet only to have a second person call and claim to have found your pet who will try collect any reward money in advance.

### The Airline Ticket Scam

In this scam, someone calls and claims that your pet somehow ended up in another state. They ask you to send money for a kennel and an airline ticket and they'll ship your pet back. Once the pet owner sends the money, the scammer walks away with it, leaving the owner without their pet and less money in their bank account.

### Pet Flipping Scam

This scam works by the scammer stealing pets or claiming lost

pets for the sole purpose of selling them to unsuspecting buyers. Flyers and classified ads looking for a pet's owner can have the unintended consequence of alerting a scammer to a money making opportunity. Buyers of these pets may never know that they were duped.

BBB provides the following tips to prevent falling victim to a pet loss scam:

- If you must place an ad, include only essential information. Refrain from providing information about unique markings or physical attributes. This can be used to verify the real owner.
- If you get a call from someone who claims to be out-of-state, ask them for a phone number where you can call them back. Scammers typically do not want you to know any of their personal information.
- If a caller claims to have your pet in their possession, ask them to describe something about the pet that wouldn't be visible in pictures, which may have been posted. You can also ask them to send a current picture of the pet for you to review.
- Never wire money or use a prepaid debit card to pay anyone you don't know. This is a common thread in many types of scams.
- Always ask for registration paperwork and a bill of sale when purchasing a new pet.
- Consider having your veterinarian implant an identification microchip into your pet to increase your recovery chances.

For more tip you can trust, visit [bbb.org](http://bbb.org).

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## On the Cover

# Woman finds prophet-able career in pot making

by SUSAN LARSON

### ON THE COVER

**Pam Koehler-Camp works in her studio in Cornelia.**

**W**hen she was in her 90's God told her she'd give birth... and Sarah laughed.

When she was in her late thirties, Pam Koehler-Camp was a highly paid accountant who'd just gotten a dream promotion, yet a voice inside her told her she'd become a potter. And she laughed.

Koehler-Camp had never touched a ball of clay in her life. Then, in April of 1996, as though answering a divine call, she abruptly quit her fast track job and enrolled in a pottery class. At first she was so intimidated she only observed, then for 10 hours a day, six days a week, she threw clay in her basement in Lilburn. Three months later, she sold out at her first pottery show.

What gave birth to this new found talent? When Koehler-Camp threw her first decent looking pot, she made up business cards and gave a few to her dad. While entering a liquor store, he held the door for a

woman whose hands were covered in clay. "My daughter's a potter," he proudly said as he handed her a card. The woman, coordinator for the Celtic Arts Festival, called his daughter that evening and asked if she had anything to exhibit. She had only six pieces, but that was enough to mold her new career. All six pieces sold within three hours at competitive prices.

A month later she exhibited some bowls in a shape she happened to like. A Japanese tourist bought them all to take home for a tea ceremony. He said they were the perfect size and shape.

Within months she developed her own style of Celtic pottery with traditional symbols as well as a whimsical style of her own incorporating leaf prints in the design.

About a year later, a relative from Florida visited and said, "Since you're a potter, I thought you'd like some of your great-grandfather's stuff." It was then that she learned her great-grandfather was the first commercial potter in Florida and that his pieces are still exhibited at the historical society and several museums.

"Why did I never know this?" she asked.

"It was just his job," he replied. "Some people are farmers. Some carpenters. Some potters. No big deal."

As she examined his works, she discovered he used rose leaves in his designs – the same technique that had already become her trademark.

Two years after laughing at the thought of being a potter, Koehler-Camp started teaching at the Joan Casey Hudgens Center for the Arts in Duluth and has been conducting classes there ever since. Her works

are included in how-to books on ceramics and are exhibited world-wide. And, of course, she will be displaying her wares at the Stone Mountain Highland Games scheduled for October 17-19.

Each pot bears a tag reading, "Every pot is a prayer as God led me to this place, using my art for God's purpose." Her studio is called, "And Sarah Laughed" ([www.and-sarahlaughed.com](http://www.and-sarahlaughed.com)); but, she's taking her new calling in life quite seriously!



Pam Koehler-Camp shows some of her creations.



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# AARP Foundation Tax-Aide seeks Georgia volunteers for 2015 Season

Special to Senior News

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Whether you're handy with a calculator, can organize to perfection or have a ready smile, AARP Foundation Tax-Aide needs your skills.

Volunteers do not need to be an AARP member or retiree to participate. Tax-Aide is particularly in need of volunteers who are bilingual in English/Spanish to support the increasing number

of Spanish-speaking taxpayers seeking assistance.

Qualified AARP Foundation Tax-Aide volunteers receive free tax training and are reimbursed on a limited basis for qualified program-related expenses. They help taxpayers at sites around the state, learning new skills while giving back to countless communities. While some tax preparation and computer experience are needed to prepare tax returns, other positions are available which do not require this experience.

"Last year, nationally, our 35,000 volunteers assisted 2.6 million people in preparing and filing their tax returns," said Georgia Recruitment Specialist

Helen Lowenthal. "We could not do it without our volunteers, who make an indelible mark on the communities they help."

For more information on how you can join the AARP Foundation Tax-Aide team, visit our Web site at

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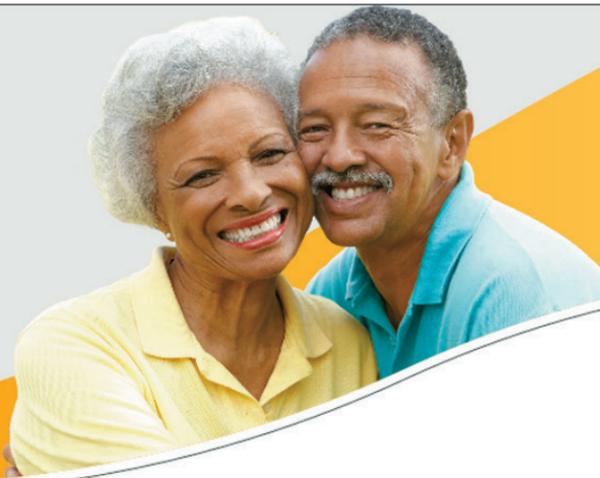
AARP Tax-Aide Volunteers



### CALLING VOLUNTEERS FOR TAX-AIDE

Whether you're handy with a calculator, can organize to perfection or have a ready smile, AARP Foundation Tax-Aide needs your skills. Volunteers prepare tax returns, greet program users and ensure things run smoothly at locations throughout Georgia and nationwide. Sign up to train for the 2015 tax season at [aarp.org/taxvolunteer](http://aarp.org/taxvolunteer).

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## Taking Care

# Supporting a relative in long-term care... there are ways to stay connected!

by LISA M. PETSCHÉ

**W**hen a person moves into a long-term care facility (commonly known as a nursing home), he or she experiences numerous losses. These may include: a house or apartment that holds many fond memories, possessions, pets, live-in companions and supportive neighbors, along with autonomy and privacy.

If you have a loved one who has been admitted to residential care, you can help with their adjustment by reinforcing their identity and ensuring as much continuity in their life as possible. One way to do this is by sharing information with staff, to help them get to know the person.

Valuable personal information includes birthplace and other places lived; family of origin; education; work history; successes, disappointments, losses and other challenges; significant relationships (past and present); pastimes and skills; personality and coping style; cultural and religious background; values and

beliefs; routines and habits; likes and dislikes; and what brings comfort when they are upset.

Such information can help staff maximize your relative's quality of life in several ways. It assists them in viewing the person as a unique and interesting individual rather than simply someone with a set of physical needs. This is especially valuable if your loved one is unable to communicate or their disease has caused behavioral changes.

It also guides staff in individualizing your relative's care plan. As well, staff can use psychosocial information to engage the person in conversation – putting your relative at ease and building rapport with them; introduce them to residents with similar backgrounds or interests; and match them to recreation programs.

There are also many direct ways you can help your relative feel valued and connected to their pre-admission life:

- Bring in possessions to personalize their room – for example, a piece of furniture (get approval first), bed comforter, photographs, hand-crafts, knick-knacks, plants, grandchildren's artwork, window clings, a wall calendar with special occasions marked.

If the person shares a room, inquire about private areas for visiting.

- Develop a regular pattern of visiting so your relative knows when to expect you and can anticipate your next visit. Telephone between visits if transportation issues, other commitments or your own health prevent you from getting in as often as your loved one would like.

- When you visit, bring flowers from your garden or favorite foods. Change room decorations to reflect the seasons and holidays.

- Actively listen to what your relative has to tell you. Show interest in their daily activities, and allow them to express their feelings about their situation. Assist them with problem-solving if necessary.

- Keep them informed about current events by supplying a radio or television, arranging for a newspaper subscription or sharing news when you visit.

- Re-create routines from home, such as playing cribbage, watching a favorite TV program together or sharing a meal.

- Encourage your relative to try some recreational programs (offer to accompany them the first time if they're reluctant) and attend a resident council meeting. Join them for special events.

- Encourage their participation in care planning. Ask staff to enable them to do as much as possible, to help maintain their abilities and self-esteem.

- Keep your relative up-to-date on

news about friends and relatives, and involve them in family decision-making.

- Notify relatives and friends of the new address and phone number (get your relative their own extension) and encourage them to call, write or visit. Offer to join them for the first visit if they express anxiety.

- Plan activities outside the institution. Go for a walk around the neighborhood or to a nearby park, or take a drive. If your relative uses a wheelchair, get them registered with the local accessible transportation service so you can take them to a restaurant, the mall or community events (inquire about accessibility before making plans).

- Continue to include the person in family celebrations. If members, homes aren't accessible, choose a restaurant or banquet hall that is, or ask staff to help you plan a gathering onsite. Videotape or photograph events your relative isn't able to attend.

- If feasible, arrange for them to come home for a few hours – for special occasions or perhaps Sunday dinners. Check with staff regarding the facility's temporary leave of absence (TLA) policy; you may be able to take your relative out overnight or for a weekend if their care needs can be met.

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# Out & About

## Booth Western Art Museum welcomes Suzy Bogguss as featured entertainer of the Cowboy Festival & Symposium Singer-songwriter set to perform on October 25 at the Grand Theatre



Suzy Bogguss

Special to *Senior News*

CARTERSVILLE, GEORGIA

**B**ooth Western Art Museum is proud to welcome American country music singer-songwriter Suzy Bogguss as Featured Entertainer for the 12th Annual Southeastern Cowboy Festival & Symposium. On Saturday, October 25, 2014 at 7:00 pm in the historic Grand Theatre, the Grammy Award winning Bogguss and her band will perform a series of hits from her career along with pieces from her latest release, *Lucky*. Tickets for the concert are available to Booth Museum members beginning August 1 and will be available to the general public on August 18.

Suzy Bogguss broke into the country music scene in 1989 after winning Top New Female Vocalist from the Academy of Country Music. Suzy's popularity garnered attention as she was recognized as one of the women in country music that helped define '90s country. Bogguss went on to sell over 3 million albums, score a Grammy Award and notch a string of Top 10 songs including "Outbound Plane," "Drive South," "Hey Cinderella," "Letting Go" and "Aces." Her success continued with the release of singles including "I Want to Be a Cowboy's Sweetheart," "Someday Soon," "Somebody to Love," and "Cross My Broken Heart." Suzy's latest album *Lucky* features a dozen songs written by Merle

Haggard.

"We are excited to welcome Suzy Bogguss and her band for this year's Cowboy Festival & Symposium. She has been entertaining audiences since the late 80s and we believe her music will be a great fit for the Museum and the event. She had success with songs like "Drive South" and "Hey Cinderella" and we're looking forward to her songs that relate to the Booth like "I Want to Be a Cowboy's Sweetheart," says Booth Museum Director of Marketing Tom Shinall.

To learn more or to purchase tickets, call 770-387-1300 or stop by the front desk at the Museum.

In addition to Suzy Bogguss' show, the 12th Annual Southeastern Cowboy Festival & Symposium will feature gunfight re-enactments, Native American dances, exhibition opening reception, Featured Artist evening lecture by Krystii Melaine, cowboy church, and many more Western activities. For more information on the schedule of events, call the Museum or visit [www.boothmuseum.org](http://www.boothmuseum.org).

**About Booth Western Art Museum**

Booth Western Art Museum, an Affiliate to the Smithsonian Institution, is a 120,000 square foot museum located in Cartersville, Georgia, where guests are invited to See America's Story by exploring the American West through contemporary Western artwork. The Museum also houses a Presidential Gallery, Civil War art gallery, and Sagebrush Ranch, an interactive children's gallery. Open since August 2003, Booth Museum is the only museum of its kind in the Southeast and is the second largest art museum in the state of Georgia. To learn more about Booth Western Art Museum, visit [www.boothmuseum.org](http://www.boothmuseum.org).



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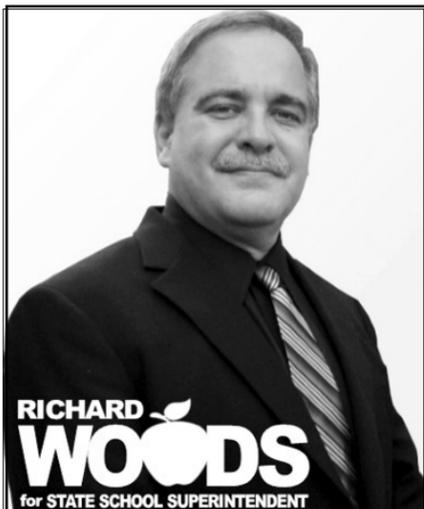
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www.bartowga.org

**Fayette Senior Services**  
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### CLUB 55

The Bridge Community Center  
225 Willowbend Rd., Peachtree City  
www.thebridge-cc.org  
Club 55: For adults 55 and older. Meets every 4th Wed., 1:30-3:30 p.m. for bingo, foosball, video games, movies and more. For details visit www.thewypers@bellsouth.net.

### Alzheimer's Support Group

On the third Monday of every month at 7:00 p.m., Cypress Court and Vinings Place and the Greater Georgia Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association are sponsoring an Alzheimer's Support Group. This support group is intended for families and friends of a loved one afflicted with Alzheimer's Disease. For additional information and directions call 770-803-0100.

### Parkinson Disease Support Groups

For information on Parkinson Disease Support Groups in the metro area, please contact Lynn Ross, LMSW, Coordinator, American Parkinson Disease Association Information & Referral Center, Emory University, at 404-728-6552 or slross@emory.edu.

### Multiple Sclerosis Center of Atlanta

Support group meetings second Tuesday each month, 4-5:30 p.m.,

MSCA in Buckhead, 3200 Downwood Circle, Suite 550, The Palisades Building. For additional information call 404-351-0205, ext. 110, or visit www.mscaatl.org.

### Alzheimer/Caregiver Support Group Meeting

First Mon. each month, 10:30 a.m. Free respite care for your loved one during meeting, must call in advance. Aloha to Aging, Inc. located in the Mt. Bethel Community Center, 4608 Lower Roswell Rd., Marietta. Call 678-439-1177.

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tions call 404-892-6836 or visit [www.atlantasacredharp.org](http://www.atlantasacredharp.org).

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**Monthly Song Circle**  
Fri., Oct. 24, 7:30 p.m. Group singing just for fun... no performances. Open to all. Folk music, old standards, spirituals, political songs, pop, freedom songs, country, show tunes, and more. East Lake location. For directions and more information call Bob at 404-378-5424.  
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### Volunteers Needed To Deliver Food

South Fulton Senior Services Inc. (SFSS) is a non-profit agency. Its mission is to provide a range of services and activities which promote wellness, wholeness and self-sufficiency for adults, sixty (60) years of age and older, who reside in South Fulton County.

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SeniorNet is an international, non-profit computer learning program designed to teach adults ages 50 and over computer literacy. The Marcus Jewish Community Center of Atlanta bears the unique distinction as being one of only three SeniorNet learning centers operating in the metro Atlanta area.

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### New Neighbors League Club

Prospective member orientation, first Wed. each month at the New Neighbors Welcome Center, 479 S. Atlanta St., Roswell. Luncheon and program second Wed. each month at various locations. Volunteer orientations are conducted every Monday at 1 p.m. For complete details call 770-993-7886.

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### Congregation Chabad of North Fulton

10180 Jones Bridge Rd., Johns Creek, 770-410-9000; [www.chabadnf.org](http://www.chabadnf.org).

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### Alzheimer's Support Group

4th Thurs. of month, 6:30-8:00 p.m., GoldenCrest Assisted Living, 2160 Lake Harbin Rd., Morrow. For details call Gery Saunders at 770-961-2200.

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### Care & Share Support Group

First Mon., 6 p.m., Arbor Terrace of East Cobb, 886 Johnson Ferry Rd., Marietta, 770-977-4420.

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**Sandy Springs AARP**  
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