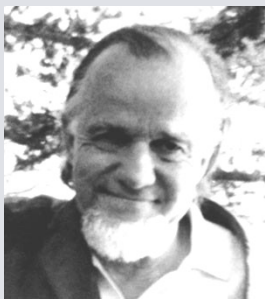


Francis August Schaeffer

January 30, 1912 –
May 15, 1984



Pastor, Missionary, Christian Philosopher,
Writer, Pioneer in Apologetics

Born to Lutheran parents in Germantown, Pennsylvania and converted from agnosticism in high school, Francis Schaeffer enrolled at Hampden-Sydney College, where he was awarded outstanding Christian student in 1935 and where he married Edith, the “missionary kid” from China, with whom he eventually had four children. Upon completion of studies at Westminster and Faith Theological Seminaries (1938), he served in pastorates at churches in western Pennsylvania and the St. Louis area for nine years. Subsequently the family moved to Europe (1948) to work in missions. Settling in Switzerland, the Schaeffers founded l’Abri, a study center and community which served as a haven for scores of seekers.

Schaeffer authored 23 books, became known internationally as a defender of biblical infallibility and authority, and led the way in calling the attention of American evangelicals to the abortion issue. However, his true genius was in the field of apologetics, analyzing trends in culture and theology and giving biblical answers for the questions of a generation.

It is widely held that few Christian thinkers of the 20th century have exerted greater influence than Schaeffer. Of this unique servant of God, President Ronald Reagan said, “His life touched millions of souls and brought them to the truth of their Creator.”

Lodging Information

All Locations are in New Braunfels and all rates are per night.

Schlitterbahn Resorts has graciously offered us twenty rooms at a discounted price of \$49.00 per night.

305 W. Austin Street
830-608-8520
2 beds (fulls & queens) sleeps 4

Other Options

Hampton Inn
575 Hwy 46 South
830-608-0123
\$119 for king
\$129 for 2 queens
\$129 for king suite

La Quinta Inn & Suites
365 State Hwy 46 S
830-627-3333
\$99 for 1 king
\$109 for 2 queens
\$149 for 2 room king suite

Hilton Garden Inn
1501 IH 35 N
830-620-4200
\$99 for 1 king

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Francis Schaeffer Conference 2011



Featuring

Dr. William Edgar

*Professor of Apologetics at
Westminster Theological Seminary*

Friday, January 27th
7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Saturday, January 28th
9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Hosted by: Christ Presbyterian Church



Dr. William Edgar

Education

Honors BA - Music, Harvard University, 1966
MDiv, Westminster Theological Seminary, 1969
DThéol, Université de Genève, 1993

Teaching

Faculty, Brunswick School, Greenwich, Connecticut, 1970–1978
Professor of Apologetics, Faculté Libre de Théologie Réformée, Aix-en-Provence, France, 1979–1989
Westminster, 1989–
Coordinator of the Apologetics Department
Chairman of the Faculty, - 2010.

Other Affiliations

Ordained Teaching Elder in the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA), 1978–
Dr. Edgar belongs to a number of learned societies, including:
American Musicological Society
The Evangelical Theological Society
The Historical Society
The Society for Ethnomusicology
Bandleader of *Renewal*, a gospel-jazz ensemble
He serves on several boards, including the Huguenot Fellowship (President).
He is on the editorial committee of *La Revue Réformée*.
He regularly takes part as a speaker in the Veritas Forum programs.
He also serves on the Institutional Review Board and the Medical Ethics Committee of The Chestnut Hill Hospital.

Friday Evening

6:00 to 7:00 – Supper

7:00 to 7:40 – Session #1:

*Francis Schaeffer:
A Personal Introduction*

7:40 to 7:50 – Q & A

7:50 to 8:00 – Break

8:00 to 8:45 – Session #2:

*True Spirituality:
The Fundamentals*

8:45 to 9:00 – Q & A

Saturday Morning

8:30 to 9:00 – Light Breakfast

9:00 to 9:40 – Session #3:

Freedom from the Bonds of Sin

9:40 to 9:50 – Q & A

9:50 to 10:00 – Break

10:00 to 10:40 – Session #4:

Freedom from the Effects of Sin

10:40 to 10:50 – Break

10:50 to 11:40 – Session #5

Freedom to the Public Square

11:40 to 12:00 – Q & A



“Just as there arose in the land a new Pharaoh who knew not Joseph, so the present generation risks not knowing Francis Schaeffer.”

This would be sad, not for nostalgic reasons, but because his thought and work shaped a remarkable number of Christian leaders who are now developing and applying the great vision of this mentor.”

- Dr. William Edgar

What We Need to Know

- Name(s) and Contact Info
- Joining us for Friday evening sessions
- Joining us for Friday evening supper?
Cost per person– \$5.00
(Pay at door)
- Joining us for Saturday morning sessions?
- Joining us for Saturday morning meal?
- Childcare needed, if so what ages?

You can pre-register online, by email or by phone. If you are joining us for the Friday supper, please pre-register by Jan. 22.