

INFORMATION SHEET

2nd Quaker Conference on Torture, Guilford College June 1-3, 2007

The conference: The Quaker Initiative to End Torture presents this second conference to provide current information and create action for change. Our schedule is geared to inform without overwhelming. Careful support for all attenders to have new awareness without the despair or discouragement this topic generates has been foremost in our planning. This will be chance to get updated and recommitted to this important work and we hope you will join in.

Venue: The conference will be held at Guilford College, Greensboro NC. The college is making available its brand new apartment facility, all single rooms, with a community center adjoining.

Dates and times: The conference will begin with dinner at 5:00 PM on Friday June 1st (registration from 2:00 PM to 7:00 PM) and end with lunch on Sunday June 3rd.

Registration: To register please go to the QUIT website www.quit-torture-now.org Susan Lees at Quaker House in Fayetteville, NC will be handling registration. To register or for any questions regarding registration please contact 910-323-3912. The fax number is 1-800-839-5849. You can also email qpr@quaker.org Registration fee before April 30th is \$100. After April 30th it will be \$125. Please note that any cancellation after April 30th will result in a \$50.00 penalty.

Special needs: On the registration form we have added a place for you to indicate if you wish to be in the same suite as a friend or family member. Please give the person's name you wish to share with. We also have a space to indicate if you cannot handle stairs. Some of the rooms are on the second floor and there is no elevator.

Bedding: This is included in your room and board costs. We recommend you bring your own pillows as they are in short supply. The rooms have kitchens with microwave and fridge but no pots, pans, plates etc.

Getting There: Guilford College is easily reached from the Greensboro Piedmont Triad International Airport, three miles west; from Interstate 40, two miles south; or from Interstate 85, eight miles southeast. A nearby Amtrak station affords daily access to major cities throughout the Southeast. For directions go to Guilford website at www.guilford.edu . The college is within a half-day's drive of both the seacoast and the Great Smoky Mountains. It is an easy cab ride from the airport to the college and costs approx \$10.00.

Display table: Display tables will be available for organizations wishing to share materials with the participants. Please indicate on the registration form if you want space. The cost for a table is \$35, for half a table is \$20.

QUIT's Future: QUIT has the opportunity to plan for its future structure and leadership as John Calvi will be stepping aside as convener the end of June 2007. One of the workshops offered will be on the topic of QUIT's future and how to proceed. The planning team is eager to hear ideas from all participants to insure an active future for this young effort called QUIT. There will be an opportunity to sign up for this and other workshops at the registration desk at the conference.