

Sav-A-Life Shelby, Inc.

To Develop a culture of life where abortion is unnecessary and undesirable in Shelby County, Alabama while offering the hope of the gospel.

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: CONTACT: Kelley Frederick Sav-A-Life Shelby, Inc. 205-776-1247 kelley@savalifeshelby.org savalifeshelby.org SAV-A-LIFE SHELBY, INC. ANNOUNCES ANNUAL BANQUET May 18 2023, Pelham, Alabama

Join Sav-A-Life Shelby at our Annual Banquet benefiting the Women First Pregnancy Center, serving all of Shelby County, Alabama. Our theme for the Banquet is "Ready.Set.Life.-Saving Lives One Person At A Time", and will take place on Tuesday September 12, 2023, 7:00pm-9:00pm at Pelham Civic Complex, 500 Amphitheater Road, Pelham, AL 35124. The Event is FREE, and includes DINNER but you must register at shelbybanquet.org. Seating is limited, reservations required.

Our Guest Speaker is James Spann who is the Chief Meteorologist for ABC 33/40 nightly in Birmingham, Alabama and has been since 1996. He has been a weather anchor for 45 years after starting his career at WCFT in Tuscaloosa.

James has received numerous awards including an Emmy Award from the National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences. He was recognized for live coverage of the deadly tornado which hit Tuscaloosa on December 16, 2000. His work during that horrible storm also helped ABC 33/40 earn a prestigious national Edward R. Murrow award for spot news coverage.

James is the author of two books. One entitled, "Weathering Life" about his experiences living in the South, the lives that formed his early years and learning about the weather. He wrote his most recent book as a result of living through the April 25-28, 2011 tornado outbreak entitled, "All You Can Do Is Pray".

James and his wife Karen have been married for 41 years, and they have two adult children. He currently serves as Children's Worship Leader at Double Oak Community Church-Mt Laurel in Birmingham, Alabama. He enjoys amateur radio as his hobby and hosts the WeatherBrains podcast each week. Visit his Website at alabamawx.com

Emceeing the night's festivities will be Revocation Radio 97.7fm on-air personality Jon Walden. Revocation Radio is the only station on terrestrial radio broadcasting a specific mix of Christian Rock and Hip-Hop. Hip-Hop music is so prevalent and influential in today's society and culture that we believe it is imperative to broadcast a Christian alternative with life-breathing messages and unparalleled quality, not only in lyrics, but also in production.

Visit <u>shelbybanquet.orq</u> or call our office for more information at 205-776-1247, or email info@savalifeshelby.org to talk with Kelley Frederick, Event Coordinator.

ABOUT SAV-A-LIFE SHELBY

Sav-A-Life Shelby's mission is to develop a culture of life where abortion is unnecessary and undesirable in Shelby County, Alabama while offering the hope of the Gospel. We hope to see every person who engages with the Women First Pregnancy Centers in Pelham and Chelsea, AL choose life for themselves and their unborn child. We are a proud affiliate of Care Net, a national Pro-Life organization that creates and sets the standard for equipping pregnancy centers to serve the community with excellence.

In 1984, God burdened the heart of Jenny Doss to reach women dealing with crisis pregnancies by starting a center in Shelby County, Alabama. Since the opening of its doors in 1985, thousands of lives have been saved. In the words of TIME Magazine, pregnancy centers are the "kind, calm, nonjudgmental" face of the Pro-Life Movement.

The Women First Pregnancy Centers of Pelham and Chelsea, AL of Sav-A-Life Shelby Inc. is a 501(c)3 not-for-profit organization that offers help and hope through compassionate care and support. The Centers provide free and confidential pregnancy testing, ultrasounds, abortion information, pregnancy/parenting classes, and material assistance to empower women and men to make a life-affirming decision.

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