

Spiritual Frontiers Fellowship
presents
**Ordinary People ~
Extraordinary Perceptions**

At the fringes of our awareness lies the encounter with infinity. In the twilight zone between sleep and wakefulness live vistas of breathtaking wonder. These are the realms of wisdom, dreams, visions, and divine encounter. We visit these regions nightly in sleep, occasionally in trauma, and sometimes during intense creativity.

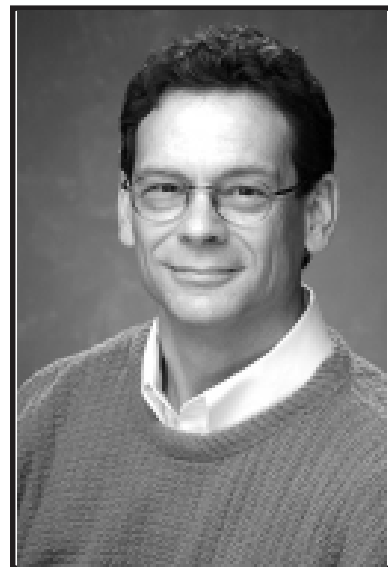
Yet, we have been taught that awareness of nonphysical worlds is reserved for saints, shamans, and gurus at best and the mentally unbalanced at worst. As a result, our contemporary world is sadly impoverished as we deny whole ranges of perception that are our common birthright. The pace of life and the ceaseless demands of western society all but insure our distraction from the spiritual quest.

Is it possible for ordinary people to experience inner realms of wonder? The Monroe Institute in Faber, Virginia—known for its pioneering work in the exploration of human consciousness—has been helping people to do just that for over 30 years. A unique audio technology along with supportive group interactions and serene environments has enabled thousands to explore the inner landscape in life changing ways. Many have discovered perceptions in just a few days what would otherwise take decades of discipline by more traditional means.

Paul Rademacher is Executive Director of The Monroe Institute. His interest in consciousness exploration was sparked by a mystical experience that resulted from a construction accident in 1981. That profoundly life-altering event led him to study theology and then to service as a Presbyterian minister. For 15 years in that role, he studied extensively in the fields of consciousness and spirituality, seeking to bring together traditional meditation techniques with contemporary expressions of spiritual exploration. He was a Residential Facilitator at TMI from 2001 until he assumed the role of Executive Director in 2007. He is also a former building contractor, designer, and journeyman carpenter; an experienced public speaker, seminar leader, artist, and closet musician; and a husband and father of three. His upcoming book, *A Spiritual Hitchhiker's Guide to the Universe: Travel Tips for the Spiritually Perplexed*, is scheduled for release in April 2009 by Hampton Roads Publishing.

In his presentation, Paul will share his own journey of self-discovery and describe The Monroe Institute's methods and effectiveness, drawing parallels between this modern-day technique and ancient practices. There is a world of wonder awaiting discovery. To enter it is to see ourselves in an utterly new context and to come awake, perhaps for the first time.

Learn more about TMI and its programs at www.MonroeInstitute.org.



Paul Rademacher

Thursday, May 7, 2009

3313 Wade Avenue, Raleigh, NC

Admission: \$10;

\$8 seniors & students

Doors Open - 6:45 PM

Meeting - 7:15 PM

Early Meditation - 6:30 PM (free)

Also ...

Workshop: *Beginning Expanded Awareness: An Introduction to Expanded States of Consciousness* with **Dawn A. Tobin**, Accredited TMI Outreach Facilitator.

Saturday May 9; further details TBA

Become revitalized, more aware of your vital internal resources, and empowered with opportunities for living more fully every day.

Raffle ~ Tickets \$5:

Energy healing session with Alice Hough.
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