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The Justice Conference 2012

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LEADING ADVOCATES FOR JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS GATHER IN PORTLAND

BEND, OREGON – World Relief, the nonprofit relief and development organization working in more than twenty countries, along with Kilns College, announces the second annual The Justice Conference February 24+25, 2012, in Portland, Oregon. This event will bring together more than 3000 attendees and over 120 exhibitors to dialogue about issues of justice and human rights such as human trafficking, slavery, poverty, race and gender equality, and HIV/AIDS.

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“We couldn’t be more excited about *The Justice Conference 2012*,” says Stephan Bauman, president of World Relief.

“We don’t think there’s a better place to learn about justice and human rights in the world—and more importantly, about how to do justice. We really can leave a conference like this equipped to make the world a more just, more peaceful place.”
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Confirmed speakers include distinguished professors, writers, activists, and development specialists such as:

- **Francis Chan** – Best-selling author of *Crazy Love* and *Forgotten God*
- **Walter Brueggeman** – Professor Emeritus at Columbia Theological Seminary
- **Shane Claiborne** – Best-selling author of *Irresistible Revolution* and *Jesus For President* and founder of the Simple Way community in Philadelphia
- **Rachel Lloyd** – Anti-human trafficking advocate and founder and Executive Director of GEMS (Girls Education and Mentoring Services)
- **John M. Perkins** – Civil rights pioneer and activist and founder of the John and Vera Mae Perkins Foundation
- **Miroslav Volf** – Henry B. Wright Professor of Theology at Yale Divinity School and Director of the Yale Center for Faith & Culture

Registration for the conference is now available online at www.thejusticeconference.com. Super Early Bird pricing ends on October 14 (\$119), and Early Bird pricing begins on October 15 (\$129). Group rates are offered by contacting info@thejusticeconference.com.

WHAT: The Justice Conference 2012 (www.thejusticeconference.com)

WHY: Promote justice, healing, and reconciliation around the world

WHEN: Friday and Saturday, February 24+25, 2012

WHERE: The Oregon Convention Center in Portland, Oregon

WHO: World Relief and Kilns College

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