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The site of the 2002 SAA Convention is one of America's favorite cities, and will host the International affair from May 24 to May 27, 2002. "Bridge to Freedom," is the theme for this year's convention will be held at prominent hotel, just minutes from the local airport. The ----- Fellowship is hosting the event.

Featuring a strong focus on recovery for everyone, the convention will offer exciting speakers, unique workshops and special fellowship along with the opportunity to see and enjoy the fabled city. With a group room rate of \$79 per night for single or double occupancy, you might want to think about coming in a few days early and/or staying a few days late to take advantage of the city's unique character, history and arts and night life scene. The usual hotel rate is more than \$300 per night! This city's weather in May is usually lovely - mild to warm clear days with little moisture. Registration fee for the four-day convention - which begins Friday night and ends Monday after brunch - is a modest \$145 (if made by April 30th) . That price includes admission to the entire program - dining banquets, exciting speaker sessions, multiple workshops, meetings, a meditation area, a hospitality suite (which features free [soft] drinks and snacks around the clock) and the talent show. A special three-hour bus tour of the city is available for \$22 per person. The price includes dinner.

Up to 300 members are expected to arrive

from across the United States and international destinations for what could be the biggest convention in SAA history.

United Airlines and Southwest Airlines are offering discounts on all air fares. The hotel will provide free shuttle service from and to the airport. While at the hotel, you also will have an opportunity to take advantage of many of the hotel's outstanding features, such as the swimming pool and workout facility. You may want to relax in the hotel's spacious, lush atrium, or hop aboard a train (the station is a block from the hotel) and go into downtown.

You can register for the program by telephone 1-800-477-8191 or (713) 869-4902 (credit card only for web for phone registration) or by completing a registration form and sending a check for \$145 by April 30 to the address listed on the brochure, a copy of which can be secured from your local group, or by calling the ISO Office.

We hope you will consider coming. This promises to be a great SAA convention - one day at a time.

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