



**Free Continuing Education Seminar for
Registered Nurses, Social Workers, Pastors,
Ministry Staff and Lay Counselors**

**“Helping People Recover from the
Losses in Their Life”**

Dr. J. Michael George, PsyD

“Helping Children Grieve”

Kelsia Smith, L.B.S.W.

Friday, October 12th, 2007

11:00am – 1:00pm

Lunch Provided

Alabama Recovery Center

3322 Memorial Parkway, Suite 423

**Please RSVP for the seminar by calling the
Alabama Recovery Center at (256) 880-0556.**

Learner will be able to: 1. Define grief and recognize physical & psychological responses & symptoms. 2. Understand the grief process. 3. List ways children express grief during preschool, school and teenage years.

About Your Speakers

Dr. Mike George is a native of Fayetteville, Tennessee. He has served as Family Minister of the Washington Street Church of Christ in Fayetteville for the past twenty-one years. Currently, in addition to his ministerial duties and service as the police chaplain in Fayetteville, Dr. George serves as the Director of Behavioral Sciences for the Alabama Pain Center in Huntsville, Alabama. He has also recently assumed the Clinical Directorship of the Alabama Recovery Center also located in Huntsville. He is a member of numerous professional organizations and is a Licensed Psychologist in both Alabama and Tennessee.

Kelsia Smith is the coordinator for *The Caring House*, a Program of Hospice Family Care that offers bereavement services to children in Madison Co. ages 3-18 years. She has served in this capacity for four years.

Continuing Education Units will be offered free by Hospice Family Care: 2.4 contact hours for nurses ABNP#1122 (expiration date 1-11-10) and 2 contact hours for social workers.