



Abaha Mudra (hand gesture) expresses Buddha living fearlessly.

Soji Zen Center's 2017 YEAR-END SESSHIN *LIVING FEARLESSLY*

December 26—December 31, 2017

St. Raphaela Center

616 Coopertown Road, Haverford, PA 19041

"Fearlessness comes from benevolence and goodwill in the face of whatever oppresses you."

— Sylvia Boorstein, Co-Founder Spirit Rock Meditation Center

"When one has the feeling of dislike for evil, when one feels tranquil, one finds pleasure in listening to good teachings; when one has these feelings and appreciates them, one is free of fear."

— *The Teaching of Buddha*, Bukkyo Dendo Kyokai

A sesshin is an opportunity to cultivate fearlessness in ourselves. Each day will include zazen, chanting, private interviews and dharma talks. The study text will be the Abhaya Sutra where Buddha instructs us how to live fearlessly and is available for download on Soji's website (<http://sojizencenter.com>) as well as an article from *Lion's Roar* on Fear and Fearlessness.

Members who register and pay in full for the **FULL RETREAT** by **November 26, 2017**, will receive a **\$50 discount**. **\$625 (-\$50) = \$575.**

Members* (include Soji Zen Center, ZCB/Clare Sangha, Red Rose Sangha, Flowing Bridge Sangha & Silver Spring Zendo/One Heart Sangha)

Members paying by December 10th: \$625 for full retreat or \$135 per night. **After December 10th:** \$725 for full retreat or \$160 per night.

Non-Members paying by December 10th: \$725 for full retreat or \$160 per night. **After December 10th:** \$800 for full retreat or \$185 per night.

Daily Commuters (Members and Non-Members) paying by December 10th: Tuesday and Sunday \$90 per day (Includes dinner on Tuesday and breakfast and lunch on Sunday). Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday; \$110 per day (3 meals per day). **After December 10th:** Tuesday and Sunday \$110 day. Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday \$125 per day.

***Single rooms are available for members and non-members for an additional \$135..**

Registration Required. To register download a registration form and either mail it or drop it off with your payment. (Soji Zen Center, 2325 W. Marshall Road, Lansdowne, PA 19050). No registrations will be taken without the completed registration form and deposit. Final payment is due by December 10, 2017.

For Questions and Registration: registrar@sojizencenter.com or call Shoki at (215) 242-1750.