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The United States Spiritist Council and the Spiritist Groups of California invite you to a special lecture by:

# Divaldo Franco

## California 2008



Inspiring Spiritist speaker, medium and educator, Divaldo Franco has been raising spiritual awareness and spreading messages of love and enlightenment throughout the world for almost 60 years.

Co-authored more than 200 books through automatic writing, with more than 8 million copies sold worldwide. His books have been translated into 16 different languages.

Don't miss the opportunity to experience a message of love, peace and faith from a world renowned Spiritist speaker.

Divaldo Franco's California Agenda:

San Francisco on Jul/30/2008

Los Angeles on Aug/01/2008 and Aug/03/2008

San Diego on Aug/02/2008

For further information call (310) 775-0156

Spiritist Ideas are built around the belief that the only mandatory requirement for Spiritual Progress is "Love in Action". Therefore Spiritism embraces and supports all individuals, regardless of their beliefs

## "Mansão do Caminho" - The social work



In 1948, Divaldo Pereira Franco was travelling by train with his cousin Nilson de Souza Pereira, current president of the Board of Directors of the "Mansão do Caminho", when at a certain point of the journey, he had a vision through clairvoyance. He saw a place with many buildings and plenty of trees, adults and children and an old man with his back turned. As that man turned over, for his surprise, he recognized it was himself. He related what had just happened to Nilson, but both weren't able to completely understand his vision. Then a voice told him: "This is what you will do in your life. You will be an educator."

In 1952, Divaldo's vision became a reality when the "Mansão do Caminho" was founded to support at-risk/orphaned children in the city of Salvador, Bahia, Brazil.

Today, "Mansão do Caminho" has become a large educational institution, with 50 buildings in an area of 893,400 square feet. Over 3,000 children, teenagers and their families receive free food, education and general assistance on a daily basis.

To this date, over 30,000 boys and girls have received education and care at "Mansão do Caminho"'s many schools.



## Divaldo Franco - The honors received

Through his life of dedication to others, Divaldo has received many honours. Mr. Franco has been recognized with more than 690 honours from around the world. Among these many honours, some stand out:

- "Doctor of Humanities Honouris Causa in Spiritual and Psychic Sciences" from the International College of Psychic and Spiritual Sciences and from the government of Montreal, Province of Quebec, Canada;
- "Medaille de Reconnaissance" from the Humanities Institute of Paris;
- "Medalha Camara Municipal de Leiria", Portugal;
- "Medalha da Cidade de Lobito", bestowed by Government of Angola, Africa;
- "Doctor of Parapsychology Honouris Cause" from Cyberam University in Illinois;
- "Doctor Honouris Causa from the University of Bahia", which was the first time a title of Doctor Honouris Causa was given to a Spiritist medium;
- "Diploma of the Order of Merit", a distinction given by decree of the President of Brazil to those who stand out at national level for their dedication and work in helping fostering the welfare of others.

## Divaldo Franco's California Agenda

### SAN FRANCISCO

**July/30/2008 - Wednesday**  
**from 7:00 to 9:00pm**

"SEARCHING FOR PEACE AND HEALTH"  
Local: First Unitarian Universalist Church  
1187 Franklin St.  
San Francisco, CA 94109



### LOS ANGELES

**August/01/2008 - Friday**  
**from 7:30 to 9:30pm**

"SPIRITUAL MEMORY AND REINCAR-NATION"  
Local: University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA)  
308 Westwood Plaza Ackerman A262A  
Los Angeles, CA 90095



### SAN DIEGO

**August/02/2008 - Saturday**  
**from 7:00 to 9:00pm**

"SEARCHING FOR PEACE AND HEALTH"  
Sheraton San Diego Hotel & Marina  
1380 Harbor Island Drive  
San Diego, CA 92101



### LOS ANGELES

**August/03/2008 - Sunday**  
**from 1:30 to 6:00pm**

"SPIRITIST THERAPY FOR ANXIETY, STRESS AND DEPRESSION"  
Local: University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA)  
308 Westwood Plaza Ackerman A262A  
Los Angeles, CA 90095  
Registration: \$ 25.00 before July/20/2008  
\$ 30.00 after 07/20 (includes one book)

