

**HOW** did the eruption of Mount St. Helens change the way we think about ourselves, the way the earth works, and our relation to God?

**HOW** did the Mount St. Helens eruption change the way geologists think about catastrophic processes in earth history?

**HOW** did the Mount St. Helens eruption change the way biologists think about ecosystem recovery after natural disaster?

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**CONFERENCE SPEAKERS**

**Steven A. Austin, Ph.D.**

is a geologist specializing in the geology of natural disasters. His continuing research at Mount St. Helens has lead to discoveries at Yellowstone and Grand Canyon. In 2003, he coauthored *Footprints in the Ash* with Dr. John Morris.

This book put into writing the discoveries described in the video *Mount St. Helens: Explosive Evidence for Catastrophe*.



**Keith Swenson, M.D.**

is President of Design Science Association, a local creation group in Portland, OR and Adjunct Professor of Biology at Multnomah Bible College. He frequently leads field study trips to Mount St. Helens and is the author of *Biological Recovery from Catastrophism*

at *Mount St. Helens*, an article used on ICR's Mount St. Helens tours.

**Ed Osmond** is a former US

Forest Service administrator who had command and control responsibilities during the initial eruption of Mount St. Helens on March 27, 1980. He was also one of the visionaries and liaisons responsible for the construction of the National Volcanic Monument.



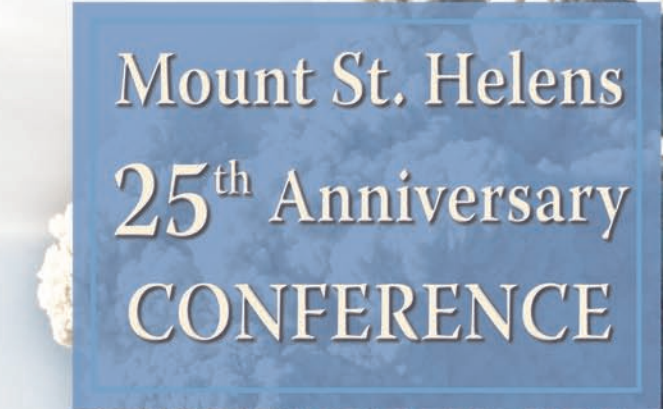
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*Learning from*  
**CATASTROPHE**

**Mount St. Helens  
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**LONGVIEW, WA  
MAY 20-21, 2005**

# Learning from CATASTROPHE

**DATE:** May 20-21, 2005

**LOCATION:** Cowlitz County Regional Conference Center, Longview, WA

**REGISTRATION:** Pre-registration is required (limited seating available). *Early Bird special of 20% discount if registered by April 22, 2005.*

**CONTACT:** Connie Perna at 619/448-0900, ext. 6042, send email to [events@icr.org](mailto:events@icr.org), or send registration form with payment to the following address:

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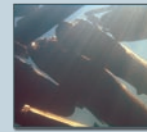
Credit card orders must be made by phone. Ticket requests must be received no later than Monday, May 9. Tickets will be sent by mail.

## PROGRAM:

Friday Evening, May 20, 2005

### What We Observed

6:00 Doors Open  
 6:30 – 6:45 Introduction\*  
 6:45 – 7:45 Dr. Steve Austin  
*An Explosion That Changed Geology*  
 7:45 – 8:00 Break  
 8:00 – 9:00 Dr. Steve Austin  
*Fire, Mud, and Floods of the Northwest*



Saturday Morning, May 21, 2005

### What We Learned

8:00 Doors Open  
 8:45 – 9:00 Introduction\*  
 9:00 – 10:00 Dr. Keith Swenson  
*Biological Recovery*  
 10:00 – 10:15 Break  
 10:15 – 10:45 Mr. Ed Osmond  
*Building a National Volcanic Monument*  
 10:45 – 11:00 Break  
 11:00 – 12:00 Dr. Steve Austin  
*Geological Catastrophe and the Global Flood*  
 12:00 – 12:15 Break  
 12:15 – 12:45 Question & Answer Time



\*Emcee: Pastor Stan Seigler



## DIRECTIONS:

### From Portland area

Take I-5 North. EXIT 36. West on SR432 two miles and north on 7th Avenue; one mile to the 1900 block. Cowlitz County Regional Conference Center on right, parking on left.

### From Olympia/Seattle areas

Take I-5 South to EXIT 39, Right (West) onto Allen Street one mile. Left on 5th Avenue; three blocks to Washington Street. Enter along Washington Street or turn right and go to 7th. Left on 7th to enter and park.

EVENT ADDRESS:

430 Washington St, Longview, WA 98632-3277

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