



#### November

1-Philosophy of Sex and Gender 4-Prohibition: A Grand Misadventure

6-"A Gentleman's Guide to Love and Murder" at the Old Log Theatre 7-Great Books

7-Harvest Dinner: How the World's Fairs Changed Your Life

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13-Source of the Mississippi River

13-Eudora Welty--Art for Understanding Ourselves and Others

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Corsica, Tuscany, Elba and Rome

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19-French Revolution and Napoleon 20-Academy of Our Lady of Lourdes



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# LIFE, good for your health!

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#### About a month ago, I got a letter from my dentist reminding me that I may have some remaining insurance benefits that will expire in December. She invited me to make an appointment to have any work done before the end of this year so these benefits won't "go to waste." This was a first for me: a "fund raising letter" from my dentist. In her defense, it's good to pay attention to my insurance benefits since I'm paying for them, and it's good to pay attention to the health of my teeth. So, I will look into the potential for remaining funds.

And so begins the traditional year-end mail that brings opportunities for me to support causes I have supported in the past (the reason I'm on their mailing list) or opportunities to support new things (my name was passed around to other groups hoping I will find their message compelling enough to write a check).

All this brings me to the real point I want to make: you will soon find in your mail a letter from the LIFE program, asking for support. We don't buy random lists of names to make our mailing labels. We have your name because you already support LIFE through your participation in the classes and day-trips offered by the program.

You know where your money is going when you contribute to this program, so it is easy to extend your support beyond your class registrations. And, your support makes it possible to keep our class fees low, which in turn makes it possible for more people to participate in the program. Everybody wins.

Giving to LIFE is also good for your health. We know, from Reputable research, that those of us who are "of a certain age" reap healthy benefits from the social interaction and intellectual stimulation of LIFE classes. When you receive your letter asking for your financial support of LIFE, think about the good you will be doing by writing a check to this health club for the mind. It will be good for you and all the other participants in this valuable program. Thank you.



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### Teacher Feature....Charles Pappas

Charles Pappas has covered the expo industry for Exhibitor magazine in Rochester since 2002, and is its de facto historian. Previously, he was the investigative reporter for Yahoo Internet Life, a columnist for Alexa.com, and a technology writer for other publications. His books include "Flying Cars, Zombie Dogs, and Robot Overlords," a probe of how world expos and trade fairs shaped history, and "It's a Bitter Little World," a revel in the neon language of film noir. Join Charles and your friends for a fun evening and great food!!



"Harvest Dinner: How the World's Fairs Changed Your Life" on Thu, November 7th

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