

# Mining for Jesus

## Lutheran Convention for Seniors Sponsored by OWLS

The Lutheran Convention for Seniors will be held at Eagle Ridge Resort and Spa just a few miles south of Galena, Illinois. If you enjoyed the setting of our last year's convention at the Osthoff Resort, you will appreciate the fall setting of the rolling hills in the Galena area.

"In the 19th century they mined for the treasures of lead and zinc in Galena, in the 20th century they mined for antiques they hoped would have great value, in the 21st century we come to mine the real treasure that is Jesus." (Fred Toppe)

The theme for the coming convention is: "Mining for Jesus". Our four main speakers will show us ways that we can be "miners for Jesus". The five workshop speakers will help us "sharpen our tools" as we become more productive "miners."

Last year we had a very well attended convention. Come, help make this convention another time to be spiritually enriched, have fun, meet new friends, and renew old friendships, all within the setting of God's wonderful creation.

Estimated travel time: from downtown Milwaukee area 2.5-3 hours; 3 hours from Fond du Lac; 2 hours 15 minutes from Wisconsin Dells area.

Contact the **Eagle Ridge Resort and Spa** for your room reservation: 384 Territory Drive, Galena, Illinois at **800-892-2269**. Please tell the resort that you are a member of the OWLS so that you will receive the OWLS' room rate. The cost per night is \$119.00 plus tax (for a total of \$132.09). This will include a buffet breakfast at the Woodland restaurant.

Please follow the migration of the convention program at **[csm.welsrc.net/owls](http://csm.welsrc.net/owls)**.

By the way, you need not be an OWLS member. Come and see for yourself the blessings the group offers to any WLS and ELS member who is 55 or over, retired or not.

Looking forward to seeing you at the convention, and God's blessings on all you do for him.

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