

**“IT’S ABOUT TIME”
1ST CANADIAN GRIEF AND BEREAVEMENT CONFERENCE**

FRIDAY, APRIL 30 – SUNDAY, MAY 2, 2010

**MARRIOTT TORONTO AIRPORT HOTEL
901 DIXON ROAD, TORONTO, ON**



After several years of deliberation, and requests from others outside of Ontario who are interested in our work, Bereaved Families of Ontario is embarking on an inaugural conference focusing on Grief and Bereavement. “*It’s About Time*”, the first Canadian Grief and Bereavement Conference, will feature excellent keynote speakers and workshops, plus opportunities for delegates to network, share stories, and ultimately provide mutual aid.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

From across Canada – doctors, nurses, psychologists, clergy, funeral directors, parish nurses, social workers, hospice providers and volunteers, educators, case managers, palliative care workers, and others dealing with personal grief, death and bereavement issues.

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

STEPHEN FLEMING, Ph.D., C. Psych.

Common Complications in the Grieving Process: Similarities, differences, and their implications

KELLY WALKER

Grief: From dark despair to new beginnings

Both keynote speakers will also be presenting workshops during the conference.

WORKSHOP TOPICS

Here are just some of the workshop topics that will be offered:

How Parents parent after the death of a child

Supporter Burnout

Suicide & Violent Death Loss

Pre- & Post-Natal Loss

Working with Bereaved Teens

Spirituality & Grieving

Military Loss

Conference Registration fee: \$350.00 per person

(includes all conference speakers and workshops, Friday reception, Saturday and Sunday lunches and all refreshment breaks)

GO TO www.canadiangriefandbereavementconference.org for complete information on the conference and to register.