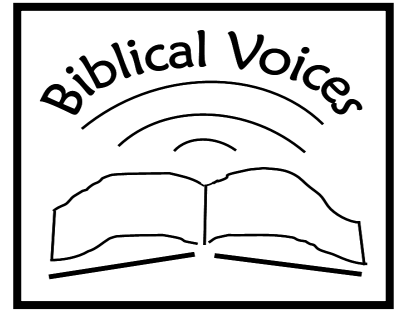


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## Scaling the Mental Landscape of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century

*“The weekend with Alex Cavalli I found to be enlightening, inspirational, and the spiritual boost we all can use. His insights on leadership are needed and applicable. I came away from the weekend more thoughtful of the words I use and inspired to work harder with the gift we are so grateful and fortunate to have. His captivating evening performance brought the Book of John to life. Thank you for a wonderful weekend, like no other.”*



### **March 26-28, 2010, Lake Bluff, IL**

*Located at Hill Top Center, a Christian Science Nursing Facility,  
502. N. Waukegan Rd., Lake Bluff, IL 60044*

**Friday, Mar. 26:** 8:00 – 9:00 pm\*

**Saturday, Mar. 27:** 8:00 am-11:30 am, 2:30 pm -5:00 pm, 7:00 pm -9:00 pm\*

**Sunday, Mar. 28:** 1:00 pm-5:30 pm

Step out of your routine and participate in two days of thoughtful exploration and discussion with fellow students of Christian Science. The weekend is comprised of a series of talks integrated with discussions and performances of Scripture. Participants will have the unique opportunity to engage in dialogue together about how each of the seemingly independent talks is connected and their relevance today. The ideas presented in the talks are those of Dr. Alex Cavalli, derived from his diverse life experiences as a physicist, technology expert, performer and director of Biblical theater, and student of Christian Science. Cavalli will perform the one-man shows, *Paul*, *Face to Face* and *The Gospel According to St. John*, as complements to the talks. Come, meet and share with others who care about connecting with the world from the perspective of a Christian Scientist, in what promises to be a thought-provoking, enriching weekend. **For students of Christian Science only.**

***Talks: The Gospel of John • Christian Science and 21<sup>st</sup> Century Technology: Towards a Higher Concept of Man • The Language of Christian Science • True Leadership • The Convergence of Thought***

*"Alex's talks were an important reminder that in addressing today's challenges through prayer, we are dealing with the prevailing thought and patterns of thought, not person. Thus, the key to confronting what's happening in our immediate experience may be to see these challenges in a larger context."*

Talks are offered as one package and are not available as independent days or sessions. For more details, including descriptions of the talks, **visit [www.bvworkshops.org](http://www.bvworkshops.org).**

**Cost and payment:** Early bird rate \$100 postmarked (or reservation made) by Feb. 15<sup>th</sup>; \$150 if postmarked or reservation made after Feb. 15<sup>th</sup>. Make check payable to *Biblical Voices* and mail to Biblical Voices, P.O. Box 272, Macomb, IL 61455. For meals or lodging with Hill Top Center, reservations and payment should be made separately (847-295-1550).

\*Indicates Biblical Voices performances (see page 3). Registrants for the weekend program are not required to attend the performances, however they complement the talks, enrich the weekend, and are included in the registration fee.

## **Additional participant comments**

*“It was good having the John performance after Saturday’s workshops, because I saw and felt more connections with the workshop topics and the theme of Oneness and the Christ.”*

*“I was reminded of the admonition to “look beneath the surface of things” to detect challenges that we as Christian Scientists are so aptly equipped to handle through our study, prayer, and practice. It was lovely to be among fellow thinking, and eager Christian Scientists who want to be aware of where we stand in our times. It was an uplifting and positive weekend, well spent.”*

*“This workshop is proving invaluable to my practice of Christian Science. Eye-opening in its exposing of error’s seeming developments in the 21st century, and edifying in its exploration of the Christlike man, this event is a must for anyone wanting to pray effectively for the world today.”*

*“Despite a snowstorm of historic proportions, I would not have missed this for the world, and it was valuable beyond what I could have imagined. Alex Cavalli’s unique background in physics and technology coupled with his communications skills and knowledge of the Bible, particularly the New Testament, provide a highly unique experience... I will be thinking about what I learned over the weekend for a long time to come.”*

*“I came away with a huge uplift of thought, buoyed up and inspired.”*

*“It was exciting and inspiring to look at various cutting edge developments in the world around us today with a CS perspective. Being raised in CS I’ve always taken for granted that it was something to be used in every aspect of my life, but I’d never thought about how applicable it is to living in the 21st century--just as something that didn’t matter what time or place you were in--but this weekend made me think about how specifically some of the challenges today can be faced with prayer.”*

## **Who is the speaker?**

Dr. Cavalli has been performing Biblical theater, including *The Gospel According to St. John* and *Paul: Face to Face*, for about 20 years around the U.S. He has taught many young actors how to vocally perform Shakespeare, including at The University of Texas Shakespeare at Winedale Festival. He is a member of First Church of Christ Scientist, Austin TX, a former First Reader, a technology consultant, and a frequent speaker on CS Directory.com. Dr. Cavalli has a Ph.D. in Physics from Dartmouth College and has been a leader in Austin’s technology community for more than 20 years.

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## **Biblical Voices Performances, March 26 & 27**

“I never truly understood this Gospel until tonight.”

- audience member said of The Gospel According to St. John,

### **Paul: Face to Face, Friday, March 26 • 8:00 pm – 9:00 pm**

*(\$15/ticket; free to workshop participants)*

This performance is not a journey through Paul’s life — as the sweep of such an endeavor is too great for a single performance. Rather, it conveys the essence of the man and the heart of his teachings – love.

### **The Gospel According to St. John, Saturday, March 27 • 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm**

*(\$20/ticket; free to workshop participants)*

The two-part show portrays Jesus’ healing, teaching, and interactions with dozens of people in that Gospel. The text is taken directly from the King James Version of the Bible, and edited only to reflect contemporary scholarship and time requirements.

Performances will be at Hill Top Center, a Christian Science Nursing Facility, and are *open to the public*. All proceeds from these performances will benefit the facility. Consider purchasing gift tickets for friends or as an anonymous donation, which HTC may distribute to guests of their choice. **Discount of \$2 per ticket available for advance purchase.**

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## **Event Registration and Advanced Ticket Sales**

To register for any of the events or for questions about the events, please contact Lisa Gruver at (309) 363-8882 or email [info@bvworkshops.org](mailto:info@bvworkshops.org). A registration form is also available at [www.bvworkshops.org](http://www.bvworkshops.org), which upon completion may be mailed with a check to:

Biblical Voices, P.O. Box 272, Macomb, IL 61455

Make checks payable to *Biblical Voices* and mail all payments to the above address. Please indicate on your check which events you are paying for, the number of participants for each event, and a phone number or email address so we may confirm your registration.

For questions directed to Alex Cavalli, please email [info@biblicalvoices.com](mailto:info@biblicalvoices.com) or call (512) 413-8765. For meals or lodging requests for Hill Top Center contact: Kim Rushforth at [info@hilltopcenter.org](mailto:info@hilltopcenter.org) or at 847-295-1550.