

A vertical photograph on the left side of the page shows a path of cut wooden logs laid across a shallow stream. The water is clear, and the surrounding forest floor is covered with fallen leaves and some snow. The logs are arranged in a slightly curved line, leading the eye down the page.

Where Do We Go From Here? The Journey of Reunion

Saturday, March 5, 2011

When the media depicts adoption search and reunion, the story always ends with the adoptee and birth parent reuniting. In reality, reunion is just the beginning.

A special two-part panel featuring:

- Adult adoptees at the beginning of their reunions
- Adult adoptees & their birth parents who've been reunited for 10 to 20 years

This innovative panel will address:

- What emotions happen after successfully searching and finding? What if you're the one who was found?
- How might differences in culture and language affect your reunion?
- How do you build a relationship?
- How do you support a loved one who is experiencing reunion?
- How do you talk to family members about your reunion? What part do they play in reunion?

Presented By



With a special reading by best-selling author Jennifer Lauck
from her new book, *Found*

Date: Saturday, March 5, 2011

Time: 10 am – 3 pm, including a break for lunch

Location: OHSU, Portland, Oregon

Cost: \$45*

Pre-registration is required: info@adoptionmosaic.org

*Partial scholarships are available as funds allow. Contact info@adoptionmosaic.org