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For Immediate Release

Lyman Hafen - National Parks; On Common Ground

Silver Reef Museum/Ghost Town-Cosmopolitan Event April 23, 2016 (10am-12pm) RSVP 435.879.2254 or on this online form https://form.jotform.com/60866399408975 is greatly appreciated!



Lyman Hafen - presenter (Zion Human History Museum/Zion National Park)

Lyman Hafen, well-known writer, publisher, and community volunteer, will give a presentation about our national parks at the Silver Reef Museum, Cosmopolitan Event on Saturday, April 23, at 10:00 am. (image credit: artist, Roland Lee)

Hafen has written extensively about growing up in Southern Utah, where he developed a "sense of place" from the unique landscape as well as the unusual residents of the St.George area. He has written 12 books of fiction and non-fiction, and has written and directed three documentary films. Hafen's frequent theme explains the effect that our landscape memories have on the feeling of being at home.

When we try to go back to a beloved place, we find that things have changed. "Nothing is like it used to be," says Hafen. "But things will always change. What doesn't change is the memories. You can always keep the memories."

Included in Hafen's memories are the distinctive cliffs, mountains, and "temples" of Zion National Park. He has spent many hours sharing the beauty of the park and its surroundings with others. Since 1998, he has served as executive director of Zion Natural History Association in the Park. He founded the Zion Canyon Field Institute in 2003, and the Zion National Park Foundation in 2007. He will share from this expertise at the Silver Reef Museum in the Cosmopolitan on April 23 at 10.00 am.

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