

**CONVOCATION — JANUARY 9-10, 2015**



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**Speaker: Ingo Sorke, Ph.D.**

Ingo Sorke was born in Marburg, Germany, and grew up in Bavaria and Stuttgart. Coming to the United States in 1985 as an exchange student, Ingo first encountered Seventh-day Adventists in Keene, Texas. Although he had written a friend in Germany that “I don’t think I will ever become a Seventh-day Adventist”, after a traumatic death in his host family, the attraction of a loving community, and much Bible study, Ingo was baptized before he returned to Germany in 1986. He has studied theology in Germany and in the U.S. where he did his Ph.D. and has pastored several churches in Texas. He currently teaches Bible courses at Southwestern Adventist University, inspiring students to integrate the particular Adventist message into their personal and professional life. His daily teaching motto: To Educate is to Redeem.

## **Friday, January 9**

7:00 p.m.

**Message — “2.0” - Why I am no longer 1.0!**

## **Sabbath, January 10**

10:30 a.m.

**Message — “What Really Matters” -  
Getting the Man to Jesus!**

3:30 pm

**Concert — John Owens Jr.**

**Message — “Tabitha, Arise!” - When God  
Subtracts, He Multiplies!**

*Before Worship*

*Elder Ramiro Cano, Central California  
Conference President, will give an update of  
mission and ministry across the Conference.*

*Elder Steve Horton, Vice President for  
Ministries, will share about how to build bridges  
of influence for Christ.*

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