



## Calling All Movie Buffs!



Join us for another SGVPA movie night! You can hang out with fellow SGVPA folks, enjoy snacks, soft drinks, or wine (and of course, popcorn), as well as watch an excellent film selected for your psychoanalyzing pleasure. A discussion of the film will follow.

**Date:** Friday, April 11, 2008

**Time:** Arrive at 6—Screening will begin at 6:30 p.m.

**Location:** Home of Dr. Suzanne Lake  
875 S. Madison Ave.  
Pasadena, CA 91106

### **Feature Film: “Into the Wild”**

Directed by Sean Penn, and starring Emile Hirsch, William Hurt, & Catherine Keener  
(2007)

### **Synopsis:**

Based on a true story, *Into the Wild* tells the adventures of Christopher McCandless, a top student at Emory University and an athlete. After graduating, McCandless decides to give \$24,000 of his savings account, earmarked for law school, to charity and later, to burn all the money in his wallet and abandon his car. He eventually hitchhikes to Alaska to live out his dream of a life immersed in nature, however brutal it may be. During his adventure, he encounters several unique people that change his life before he faces the dangers of the wilderness

### **Special Guest Discussant:**

We will have with us our own Dr. Judy Holloway, a specialist in ecopsychology—the interaction of connectedness to nature and emotional health—to help us explore the psychological themes in the movie.

