



## FAMILY OF ABRAHAM

*Toward a Common Vision*  
NASHVILLE

invites you to a thoughtful conversation about the challenges of our time,  
featuring

### **DR. L. RANDOLPH LOWRY**

President, Lipscomb University

speaking on

### **CREATING RELATIONSHIPS IN THE MIDST OF DIVERSITY**

Local Responses and Reflections:

#### **Dr. Amir Arain**

*Professor of Neurology, Vanderbilt University, and President, Islamic Center of Nashville*

#### **Caroline Blackwell**

*Executive Director, Metro Human Relations Commission*

#### **Steve Ivey**

*CEO, Ivey Music International*

**Thursday, August 22, 2013**

**7:00 p.m.**

**First Presbyterian Church**

**4815 Franklin Road**

**Nashville, TN 37220**



L. Randolph Lowry serves as the 17th president of Lipscomb University. An experienced educator, Lowry is a leader in conflict management and mediation, having founded the Straus Institute for Dispute Resolution at California's Pepperdine University. During his tenure at Lipscomb, the university has established the Institute for Conflict Management and the Nelson and Sue Andrews Institute for Civic Leadership. He is the author of two books on conflict management.

Lowry demonstrates a deep belief in the power of community. Among many leadership activities, he serves as a member of the steering committee for the Agenda for Nashville's Future, a director of the Alliance for Public Education, an executive committee member of the Tennessee Independent Colleges and Universities Association (TICUA) and co-chair of Nashville's Green Ribbon Committee for Sustainability.

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