### LABYRINTH

MINISTRY OF DR. DIANNE B. COLLARD

FEBRUARY 2018





ARTSCHARLOTTE'S EXHIBIT TABLE AT MOVEMENT DAY



ARTS & CULTURE TRACK OF MOVEMENT DAY



"PEACE OF CHARLOTTE" BY
EVA CRAWFORD

# MOVEMENT DAY, CHARLOTTE: "UNITING THE CHURCH; TRANSFORMING THE CITY"

On Saturday, 03 February, over 900 church and municipal leaders met for inspiration and strategic planning in how to meet the needs of our city. ArtsCharlotte was delighted to be on the planning team for the Arts & Culture Track, and to have a table in the exhibit hall.

My talk began with a quote from Makoto Fujimura, "Care and cultivation of a culture starts with care and cultivation of the soul." This is the essence of our mission: "We exist to nurture the soul of the city." We've had follow-up gatherings for visual artists and writers and will have a Gathering on 09 March where artists of all genres will present how they are contributing to the shalom of our city and presenting ways everyone may be involved.

"THE YEARNING AROUSED BY EXPERIENCES OF BEAUTY IS A LONGING FOR GOD HIMSELF, FOR COMMUNION WITH HIS BEAUTY." (RICHARD HARRIES)

## YOUR PARTNERSHIP IN THIS UNIQUE MINISTRY IS SO APPRECIATED!

My ministry is multi-faceted: Europe Director for Artists in Christian Testimony Int'l; Director of ArtsCharlotte; and a speaker/writer concerning forgiveness, as well the nexus of arts and faith. Your prayers and contributions are essential for me to continue fulfilling this calling of God. Please consider joining my team!

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### THIS IS A STORY FOR OUR TIME; TO CARE FOR OUR SOULS AND OUR CULTURE

**Abstraction** has been submitted to many film festivals around the world. It has been accepted in the Grand Rapids Film Festival and others. God continues to bless and use this short film.

We are working on developing the "next steps" for using this film. Here's where we are in the planning:

\* We are available now to speak and show the film at your church or community event

- \* Meeting with potential webmaster and video producer to develop an interactive website with Abstraction, my two books, teaching videos and a small group study curriculum.
- \* Abstraction has been subtitled in Japanese.
- \* PLEASE GIVE to this project: A.C.T. Intl (address above) Account #0629

### Thank-you!