

FRIDAY PLENARY SPEAKER



Coming Together: Celebrating the Treasures of Connection

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As we embark upon ASGPP's diamond jubilee year, let's join each other to celebrate our community's treasures and our own personal treasures, both those that are hidden and those that shine out in the world around us.