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COSMIC EXPLORATIONS: A SPEAKER SERIES

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EXPLORING THE CORE: THE INSIDE STORY

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In the 2003 movie “The Core”, Earth’s core has stopped rotating and the magnetic field starts to collapse. Many bad things happen: space shuttles are misdirected and Earth is fried by lightning super-storms and electromagnetic pulses. The “Countdown to Extinction” is underway until an amazing trip through Earth’s interior and a few well-placed nuclear bomb explosions restart the core’s rotation and save the day.

But could the core and the magnetic field act like this in real life? Join in the discussion as Dr. Walter Kiefer of the Lunar and Planetary Institute separates fact from fiction and explores what the Earth’s interior is really like.

Registration to attend this event is required.

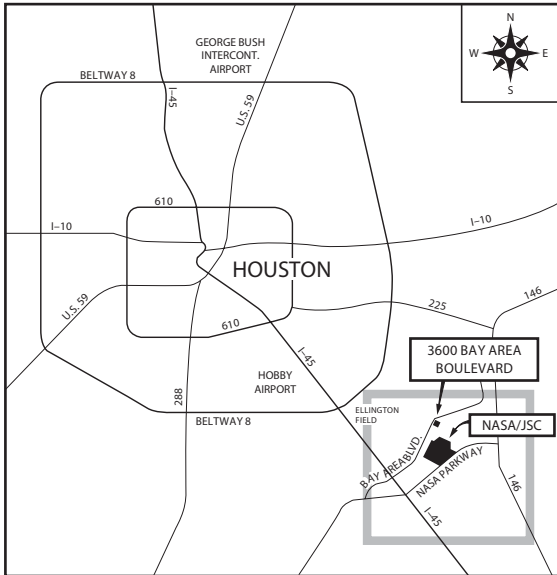
Visit <http://www.lpi.usra.edu/education/lectures> to register for this event.

Seating is limited to 250.

This FREE presentation at 7:30 p.m. is intended for inquisitive adults and will be followed by a light reception and an opportunity to meet Dr. Kiefer.

Speaker presentation held at
USRA’s Lunar and Planetary Institute
3600 Bay Area Boulevard, Houston TX
(entrance on Middlebrook Drive)

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The Universities Space Research Association is located at 3600 Bay Area Boulevard (enter from Middlebrook Drive).

