



## V-DAY PRIOR LAKE IS COMING!

V-Day Prior Lake 2008  
A Production of Eve Ensler's  
***The Vagina Monologues***  
As Part of the  
2008 V-Day Campaign

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Join us as we celebrate V-Day's Ten Year Anniversary, raise awareness  
and end violence against women

## TWO PERFORMANCES ONLY!

at Shepherd of the Lake Lutheran Church  
on February 14 & 16, 2008

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**Who:** Minnesota Valley NOW and The Chameleon Theatre Circle

**What:** V-Day Prior Lake 2008, a benefit production of Eve Ensler's *The Vagina Monologues*, raising funds for the Southern Valley Alliance for Battered Women

**Where:** Shepherd of the Lake Lutheran Church, 3611 North Berens Road NW, Prior Lake, Minnesota

**When:** February 14 & 16, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

**Admission:** \$15.00

(purchase online at [www.vdaypriorlake.org](http://www.vdaypriorlake.org) or use the order form on the other side of this page)

**Goal:** To raise awareness to stop violence against women and girls and funds for our beneficiary, the Southern Valley Alliance for Battered Women

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**About V-Day** V-Day is a global movement to end violence against women and girls that raises funds and awareness through benefit productions of Playwright/Founder Eve Ensler's award winning play *The Vagina Monologues*. 2008 marks V-Day's 10 year anniversary and with it V-Day has introduced two new events, V-Day's *A Memory, A Monologue, A Rant and A Prayer: Writings on Violence Against Women and Girls*, and the V-Day documentary *Until The Violence Stops*. In 2007, more than 3000 V-Day events took place in the U.S. and around the world. To date, the V-Day movement has raised over \$50 million and educated millions about the issue of violence against women and the efforts to end it, crafted international educational, media and PSA campaigns, launched the Karama program in the Middle East, reopened shelters, and funded over 5000 community-based anti-violence programs and safe houses in Kenya, South Dakota, Egypt and Iraq. The 'V' in V-Day stands for Victory, Valentine and Vagina.

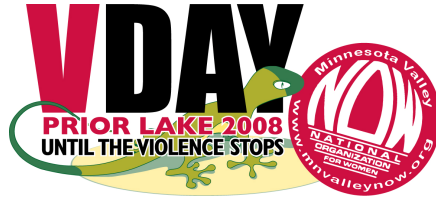
### What is a V-Day Campaign?

A V-Day Campaign is a catalyst for mobilizing women and men to heighten awareness about violence against women and girls. By creating this global community, V-Day strives to empower women to find their collective voices and demand an end to the violence that affects one in three women in the US and around the world.

Additional information about V-Day can be found at [www.vday.org](http://www.vday.org).

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## V-Day Prior Lake 2008 Order Form

(no orders will be filled by mail after 02/01/08 – please order at [www.vdaypriorlake.org](http://www.vdaypriorlake.org) after this date)

**Please print clearly and provide your phone number in case we have questions about your order.  
All seats are General Admission.**

<b>Name:</b>	<b>Phone:</b>	
<b>Address:</b>		
<b>City:</b>	<b>State:</b>	<b>Zip:</b>
<b>Email:</b> <i>(please provide your email address so we can notify you when your tickets have been sent)</i>		
<b>Number of Tickets:</b>	<b>Amount Enclosed:</b>	

### **MAKE CHECKS/MONEY ORDERS PAYABLE TO CHAMELEON THEATRE CIRCLE**

To pay by credit card, order at [www.vdaypriorlake.org](http://www.vdaypriorlake.org).

#### **Mail Completed Form and Payment To:**

**MN Valley NOW  
PO Box 564  
Prior Lake, MN 55372**

Tickets will be mailed out by February 1, 2008. We will send you a notification by email if you have provided us with your email address.

**If you are unable to attend this event but would still like to support our efforts, send your tax-deductible contribution (made payable to The Chameleon Theatre Circle) to the MN Valley NOW address above. All proceeds from this event will go to the Southern Valley Alliance for Battered Women.**

Please keep a copy for your records.  
The Chameleon Theatre Circle is a 501(c)3 tax-deductible organization.

*Thank you! See you in February!*

Questions? Email us at [info@vdaypriorlake.org](mailto:info@vdaypriorlake.org).

**[www.vdaypriorlake.org](http://www.vdaypriorlake.org)**

[www.mnvalleynow.org](http://www.mnvalleynow.org)

[www.chameleontheatre.org](http://www.chameleontheatre.org)

[www.southernvalleyalliance.org](http://www.southernvalleyalliance.org)



## V-Day Mission

**V-Day** is an organized response against violence toward women.

**V-Day** is a vision: We see a world where women live safely and freely.

**V-Day** is a demand: Rape, incest, battery, genital mutilation and sexual slavery must end now.

**V-Day** is a spirit: We believe women should spend their lives creating and thriving rather than surviving or recovering from terrible atrocities.

**V-Day** is a catalyst: By raising money and consciousness, it will unify and strengthen existing anti-violence efforts. Triggering far-reaching awareness, it will lay the groundwork for new educational, protective, and legislative endeavors throughout the world.

**V-Day** is a process: We will work as long as it takes. We will not stop until the violence stops.

**V-Day** is a day. We proclaim Valentine's Day as V-Day, to celebrate women and end the violence.

**V-Day** is a fierce, wild, unstoppable movement and community.

**Join us!**  
**[www.vdaypriorlake.org](http://www.vdaypriorlake.org)**

# About V-Day

V-Day is a global movement to stop violence against women and girls. V-Day is a catalyst that promotes creative events to increase awareness, raise money and revitalize the spirit of existing anti-violence organizations. V-Day generates broader attention for the fight to stop violence against women and girls, including rape, battery, incest, female genital mutilation (FGM) and sexual slavery.

Through V-Day campaigns, local volunteers and college students produce annual benefit performances of "The Vagina Monologues" to raise awareness and funds for anti-violence groups within their own communities. In 2006, over 2700 V-Day benefit events took place produced by volunteer activists in the U.S. and around the world, educating millions of people about the reality of violence against women and girls.

Performance is just the beginning. V-Day stages large-scale benefits and produces innovative gatherings, films and campaigns to educate and change social attitudes towards violence against women including the documentary *Until the Violence Stops*; community briefings on the missing and murdered women of Juárez, Mexico; the December 2003 V-Day delegation trip to Israel, Palestine, Egypt and Jordan; the Afghan Women's Summit; the March 2004 delegation to India; the Stop Rape Contest, the Indian Country Project, and Love Your Tree. In June 2006, V-Day launched a two-week festival of theater, spoken word, performance and community events called *UNTIL THE VIOLENCE STOPS: NYC* which invited thousands of New Yorkers to make New York City the safest place on earth for women and girls. During the two-week festival, *UNTIL THE VIOLENCE STOPS: NYC* welcomed 2,000 runners in Prospect Park running to demand an end to violence, witnessed 50 actresses and over 100 writers contributing their genius, time and talent to sold out events, and reached millions through media and a citywide subway and bus campaign.

In Africa, the Middle East, and Asia, V-Day commits ongoing support to build movements and anti-violence networks. Working with local organizations, V-Day provided hard-won funding that helped open the first shelters for women in Egypt and Iraq, sponsored annual workshops and three national campaigns in Afghanistan, convened the "Confronting Violence" conference of South Asian women leaders, and donated satellite-phones to Afghan women to keep lines of communication open and action plans moving forward. Through the Karama program based out of Cairo, V-Day works in-depth to build networks ending violence against women and girls in Egypt, Sudan, Morocco, Tunisia, Algeria, Jordan, Syria, and Lebanon.

The V-Day movement is growing at a rapid pace throughout the world, in 90 countries from Europe to Asia, Africa and the Caribbean, and all of North America. V-Day, a non-profit corporation, distributes funds to grassroots, national and international organizations and programs that work to stop violence against women and girls. In 2001, V-Day was named one of Worth Magazine's "100 Best Charities" and in 2006 one of Marie Claire Magazine's Top Ten Charities. In nine years, the V-Day movement has raised over \$40 million.

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