

# SON SAFARIS

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## **CHRISTIAN MOTIVATIONAL SPEAKER FLEDGE FIAMINGO BRINGS HIS ACCLAIMED MINISTRY "SON SAFARIS" TO UPWARD BASKETBALL February 26**

(Athens, GA – February 7, 2011) – Christian motivational speaker Fledge Fiamingo, founder/director of Son Safaris, a nonprofit organization dedicated to spreading God’s word through a series of fun and interactive Bible-based presentations, will speak to members of the Upward Basketball program on February 26 at Hamilton Mill Christian Church in Buford, GA.

Since 1995, the Christianity-based Upward Basketball has been an influential athletic program for young children, teaching skills and lessons on and off the court as part of its overall mission of fostering the personal and spiritual growth of its players.

Fledge has toured the country speaking to kids and youth groups, at retreats, and conferences spreading God’s word through unique and engaging presentations that are based on his personal experiences as game ranger in three African countries. The February 26 event will be held at Hamilton Mill Christian Church all day, and the public is invited to attend the free event.

“Fledge is amazing! He is a very passionate communicator for his Savior, Jesus Christ! It’s an honor to have him coming to our venue to speak!” remarked Hamilton Mill Youth Minister, Weldon Davis. “I only wish he had more than 8-10 min at each half time to talk about the love he has for his God.”

### **About Son Safaris**

A former game ranger in Africa, Fledge Fiamingo began Son Safaris in 2003 combining his two passions: God and His Creation. Utilizing multimedia, movies, pictures and stories of African wildlife, Fledge brings his unique perspective of the Christian walk to life through his engaging and motivational presentations. Building on his individual and remarkable experiences in Africa, he brings a fresh and unique approach to scripture that encourages his audiences to strive for a closer walk with Christ. For more information about this event or to make a tax-deductible donation visit [www.sonsafaris.com](http://www.sonsafaris.com). To schedule Fledge to speak to your organization, please send an e-mail to [bookfledge@sonsafaris.com](mailto:bookfledge@sonsafaris.com). Son Safaris is a recognized 501(c) 3 nonprofit organization.

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## **About Upward Basketball**

Upward Basketball is a division of Upward Sports, the world's largest Christian sports program for children, was created with a vision to provide the best sports experience possible for every child. Each year some one million people around the world play, coach, referee or volunteer in Upward Sports Leagues and Camps hosted by more than 2,400 churches. These churches have taken Upward Sports Programs to 67 countries on mission trips. Anyone – children and volunteers of any faith or no faith – can participate in Upward Sports. Specifically designed for children in K5- sixth grade, Upward Sports aims to bring out “the winner” in every child – regardless of the game's score. For more information visit [www.upward.org](http://www.upward.org).

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