

# What Happens at Death: The Brain, Mind and Consciousness

*Science and Religion Series*



Four **Monday Evenings** in April of 2010, at 7:30-9:00pm.

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The publication of *Life After Life* in 1972 by Dr. Raymond Moody initiated an intensified research interest in our clinical understanding of death and dying. Building on the work of internationally known neuropsychiatrist and neurophysiologist Dr. Peter Fenwick and others, Dr. Sam Parnia, MD, PhD – who divides his time between Cornell University and United Kingdom hospitals, and serves as chairman of the international Horizon Research Foundation – focuses in this book, *What Happens When We Die*, on the issues surrounding the ‘brain/mind problem’ and the ‘nature of consciousness’ which at some times of cardiac arrest is clinically evidenced after brain death. A fascinating and solid account of reputable clinical research, the easily read book will serve as a basis off class investigation and discussion, meaningful for healthcare and spiritual care providers, hospital volunteers, NODA volunteers and members of the community at large.

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**Location:** Henry Hood Center for Health Research, Intermediate Conference Room #4

**Instructor:** Chaplain Karl A. Pölm-Faudré, PhD  
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**Text:** Parnia MD PhD, Sam (2006). *What happens when we die: A groundbreaking study into the nature of life and death.*  
Carlsbad, CA: Hay House, Inc. ISBN-13: 978-1-4019-0710-5  
Participants are responsible for purchasing their own text in advance.

**Registration:** General open registration – come when and as you can. No fee.  
Those participating for continuing education hours will register the first night and their attendance will be recorded for a certificate upon completion.