Brainstorming: The Human Connection

Thursdays
10:30 a.m.

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Brainstorming: The Human Connection is a South Dakota Humanities Council discussion program designed to unite us through conversation.
How can we remove the invisible barriers that lead to misunderstandings and even tragedy, such as the George Floyd incident?
Discussion leader Lawrence Diggs has made a living in radio, television and public performance for over 40 years.

“My approach to teaching is to attach what the student needs to know to something they want to know, say or do. Because most of my most influential teachers taught me to teach myself, I lean towards helping people learn through self-discovery, experience and personal struggle,” he says.

“I get a deep and ecstatic satisfaction from people learning even one little thing about themselves or overcoming some block that was keeping them from progress in their lives. I believe these brainstorming discussions can lead to better understandings between people.”
The brainstorming process will facilitate conversation, encouraging participants to feel comfortable sharing their perspectives.

- **INTRODUCTION:** Participants meet each other.
- **BRAINSTORM:** Lawrence introduces topic and asks for ideas.
- **SHARED EXPERIENCE:** Participants share experiences related to topic.
- **CONNECTION:** Lawrence explains how these common experiences can be used to unite people.
- **CLOSING COMMENTS:** Lawrence summarizes what has been learned during the session, encourages participants to connect other people to the group.
QUESTIONS?

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