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## News Release

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### **17<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of International AIDS Candlelight Memorial to be observed worldwide on May 21, 2000**

(Las Vegas, Nev. – May 1, 2000) – This annual event coordinated worldwide, commemorates the lives lost to AIDS, demonstrates support for people living with HIV/AIDS, and mobilizes community-based response.

The AIDS Candlelight Memorial will be held this year in the AIDS Memorial Garden on the University of Nevada, Las Vegas campus on Sunday, May 21, 2000 at 6:30 pm. The theme of this year's International AIDS Candlelight Memorial is **“Break the Silence: Honor Every Death, Value Every Life.”**

For more information on the **AIDS Candlelight Memorial**, or for additional information on HIV/AIDS, please call Cherie Filler-Maietta at 383-1397.

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