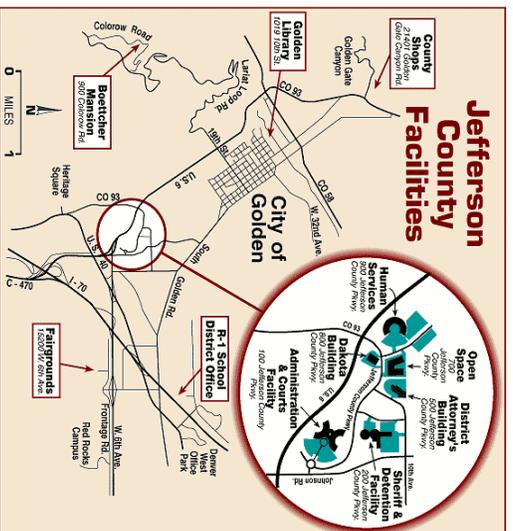




National Crime Victims' Rights Week is being observed April 8-14, 2018. This year's theme — Expand the Circle, Reach all Victims. We envision the day when all victims are strengthened by the response they receive, organizations are resilient in response to challenges, and communities are able to seek collective justice and healing. This event celebrates three decades of extraordinary progress made on behalf of millions of victims since the passage of the Victims of Crime Act (VOCA). This commemorative week has been set aside since 1981 to honor crime victims and the first responders, advocates, counselors, and others who assist them in their time of need, as well as the law enforcement personnel who work to bring offenders to justice.

Well behaved, leash trained dogs are welcome.  
 Please respect the need for safety and help us avoid any issues that could cause disruption or discomfort for guests or other pets.

## JEFFERSON COUNTY COURTS AND ADMINISTRATION BUILDING



**Directions:** Head west on Sixth Avenue (Highway 6), turn right onto Johnson Road and then turn left at the Jefferson County Courts and Administration Building.

The **25th Annual Courage Walk** will begin at the Jefferson County Courts and Administration Building (rain or shine) and will conclude with a short ceremony at the Courage Garden. The half mile walk is wheelchair accessible.

The **Courage Garden** is dedicated to Crime Victims and County Employees. Designated for commemorative plantings, it is also a place of respite for those involved in court cases.

**A special thank you to JeffCo Facilities Crew and to JeffCo Extension Service Master Gardeners for their hard work and dedication to the Maintenance of the Courage Garden.**



## Preregistration Form

You may register at the event or mail this form to:

Victim Outreach Inc. (VOI)  
 PO Box 18941, Golden, CO 80402  
 Please make checks payable to: **VOI**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email or Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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I would like to register for the Courage Walk

I am unable to attend, but have enclosed my check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ as a donation.

A \$10 Donation is suggested, however pledges and donations are not required for participation at this event. Proceeds raised will go to the maintenance of the Courage Garden, training for Victim Advocate Volunteers and other efforts on behalf of victims of crime and other traumatic events in our community. **Donations can also be made online at [www.victimoutreach.org](http://www.victimoutreach.org).**

In consideration of acceptance of my entry in the First Judicial District Victim Service Providers' 25th Annual Courage Walk, I, intending to be bound for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators, do hereby release and discharge all sponsors and officials from any and all liability and certify my compliance by my signature below.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

## The 25th Annual Courage Walk

A time to honor the strength and courage of survivors in the aftermath of crime - and a time to speak out in unison for crime victims' rights and services today and in the future. This year's theme emphasizes the importance of inclusion in Victim Services.

Eleanor Roosevelt spoke directly to these unsung heroes when she said, "You gain strength, courage and confidence by every experience in which you really stop to look fear in the face. You are able to say to yourself, 'I have lived through this horror. I can take the next thing that comes along.' You must do the thing you think you cannot do." The courage of survivors who "do the thing they think they cannot do" and then find a way to live life again, inspires this event.



*For each pledge made in someone's name a dove will be released in their honor at the conclusion of the Courage Walk.*

*We appreciate the generosity of Aphrodite's Doves for the time and services for this year's Dove release.*



VOI  
PO Box 18941  
Golden, CO 80402



**Saturday, April 14, 2018**

Continental Breakfast &  
Registration - 10:00 A.M.  
Walk Begins - 11:00 A.M.

Jefferson County Courts and  
Administration Building  
100 Jefferson County Pkwy.  
Golden, Colorado 80401

*Special accommodations are  
available for transportation to the  
Courage Garden*



If you are interested in volunteering as a victim advocate, please contact your local law enforcement agency