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DEER TRAPPED BETWEEN BOTTOM OF CLIFF AND LAKE

At 6:30 P.M., a beautiful doe was discovered trapped between boulders at the bottom of a cliff on the shores of Lake Livingston in East Texas. She appeared to be in good health other than a wound in her side from the fall.

She was discovered by George H. Russell, Forest Practices Chair, Lone Star Sierra Club, as he was observing forest health along the shores from his boat. Not wanting the animal to starve or be shot by authorities unless absolutely necessary, Russell called local news media for help but was met with either indifference or some interest, but not enough to commit the weekend skeleton crew to duty to help by covering the story.

Russell's parents recently donated an alligator sanctuary on the shores of the lake but when a huge alligator with an alleged wounded foot was discovered on the adjacent golf course he was shot by authorities rather than being cared for and taken to the sanctuary. Russell estimates that poachers have killed at least 200 alligators in the area, as well as other harmless reptiles, and even eagles.

"Killing animals and watching them die is considered macho in East Texas and thus the only way we can save this precious animal's life is through national media attention," said Russell. In fact East Texans go out of their way to kill animals that are attempting to cross the road and thus he has established an Internet site, www.road-kill.org to attempt to educate the American public about the plight of animals in this part of Texas.

"Please encourage the local game wardens to do everything possible to save this little deer," pleads Russell. "Only if the American public through the media cast a spotlight on the indifference to the plight of our wildlife will Texans become sensitized in a positive manner," he continued.

Russell's last words were, "Please help us save this little deer."

Please contact Mr. Russell for more information, and to make arrangements for photography.

George H. Russell, an outspoken opponent of the death penalty, is a resident of Huntsville, Texas, known worldwide as "The City of Death."

He is founder of The Patriot Network, and author of its 35+ web sites located at www.patriotnetwork.org, as well as founder of The Universal Ethician Church, an interfaith ministry with a worldwide following via the church's 275+ web sites located at www.salvationnetwork.org.

Russell, 57, is an educational video producer, environmental activist, historic preservation specialist, photographer, art and antique collector, philanthropist, American patriot and ethician.

Additional biographical information may be found in Who's Who in America, through Internet searches, and in other publications. Images of Mr. Russell suitable for downloading for publication may be found at www.salvationnetwork.org.