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Lab Grown diamonds - (HPHT & CVD) vs Natural Diamonds Presented by Kusam Malhotra

Sunday, April 21, 2024; 12:00P.M. (Noon)

Please join us for a DCGIA Talk and Spring Social Luncheon at Maggiano's Little Italy Tysons Corner

Location: Tyson's Galleria 2001 International Dr, McLean, VA 22102

Pay \$35 per person via the below Paypal link, reservation required:

https://www.paypal.com/ncp/payment/3V98C8DYT8KSG

Kusam Malhotra will discuss the current Diamond industry and market. The Impact & instability of Lab Grown diamonds - (HPHT & CVD) versus Natural Diamonds on current diamond industry. Kusam will discuss the future & pros and cons of both diamonds.

Kusam Malhotra BA, BSC, GIA Graduate Gemologist is the owner of K & K international - Importers & wholesalers of Fine & Rare Gems & Natural Diamonds for 40 plus years .

FAMILY STYLE LUNCH & Talk

Served with Freshly Baked Ciabatta Rolls, Coffee, Hot Tea, Iced Tea, and Assorted Sodas.

FIRST COURSE

Crispy Zucchini Fritté
Spinach & Artichoke al Forno
Italian Tossed Salad

SECOND COURSE

Four-Cheese Ravioli, Pesto Alfredo Sauce Mom's Meat Lasagna Chicken Parmesan

THIRD COURSE - DESSERT

Chocolate Layered Cake Tiramisu

Admission is \$35 per person, advance payment required.

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2024 DCGIA Annual Registration can be paid at: https://www.paypal.com/ncp/payment/G3BVA9EDNS4ZQ

Charles Marts Secretary, DCGIA

May Meeting:

TBD

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