



THE ADAMAN CLUB

Climbing America's Mountain in the Harshest Winter Conditions

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The AdAmAn Club has answered the challenges of America's Mountain and maintained the cherished tradition of an annual fireworks show from the 14,115' summit of Pikes Peak, since 1922. This unique group of mountaineers climbs the icy slopes of Barr Trail, on the east face of world famous Pikes Peak, each December 30 and 31. At the stroke of midnight on New Year's Eve, AdAmAn members and their guests ignite a spectacular fireworks display from the summit to launch the New Year across the region.

The club is dedicated to the memory of its founders, the original "Frozen Five," Ed Morath, Fred Morath, Fred Barr, Willis Magee and Harry Standley. Their tradition of adding



one new member annually suggested the name AdAmAn (add-a-man) with the name spelled using capital A's to represent mountains. In spite of the name, the club includes both male and female members and each year the club chooses one new member from a list of qualified applicants.

For 90+ years, the club has grown, thrived and become part of the rich heritage of the Pikes Peak Region. Unlike most mountaineering endeavors, the AdAmAn Club climbs regardless of the conditions, not waiting for optimal weather. The club's unique achievement is a celebrated occasion for residents and visitors every year.