



Claremont Financial Group, Inc.
Registered Investment Adviser

Dear Valued Client,

We, here at CFG, anticipated an increase in market volatility and are/have been prepared for it. As a result, we have built in sophisticated investment strategies (we will call them "shock absorbers") into a variety of our portfolio models. These shock absorbers are designed specifically to dampen volatility.

Here are some examples:

Market Peak (4/25) to Market Trough (5/20)

-11.96% S&P 500 index
-10.14% Dow Jones

-4.86% Wilshire Bal. Income
-.72% AAMA Long/Short
+.47% Wilshire Global Alternatives

Year to Date performance (5/20/10)

-3.90% S&P500 Index
-3.45% Dow Jones

+.63% Wilshire Bal. Income
-1.06% AAMA L/S
-.56% Wilshire Global Alternatives

CFG believes it is important to offer protection from market volatility in order to help prevent investors from making emotional investment decisions that results in missing any dynamic upside opportunities, such as the March 9, 2009 rally.

Best Regards,

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