

Would you like to hear the Good News?

God still loves you. He never stopped loving you. He loved you so much that He sent His Son Jesus to bring you back. All you have to do is let Him bring you back. Will you pray with me?

"Lord Jesus... I want to stop trusting in myself...and what I can do...and start trusting in you...and what you have already done...when you died for me on the cross. I know that I am a sinner...and I am sorry for my sins. I ask you to forgive me...I believe you rose again...and I invite you to come and live inside of me. I want you to be my Savior and Lord...which means being #1 in my life. I want to repent and turn away...from everything you and the Bible call sin...and I totally commit myself...to obeying you...every day, for the rest of my life. Lord Jesus baptize me in your precious Holy Spirit. Thank you Jesus."

Now that you have made peace with God, He is ready for you to begin to grow in a personal relationship with Him.

Receiving More Of Jesus? "The Baptism in the Holy Spirit"

Who is the Holy Spirit? He is God. You might ask, "If the Holy Spirit is God, and Jesus is God, and the Heavenly Father is God, are there three Gods?" No. There is only one God as stated earlier. But God is unified as One and exists in the three Persons of Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. This threefold nature of God is exhibited even in creation. Humans have a body, a mind, and an eternal spirit. Our mind is not our body. Our spirit is not our mind. Are we then three people? No. We are just one person with three manifestations.

• After we receive eternal life through confessing Jesus as Lord and Savior, we can also receive what the Bible calls the Baptism in the Holy Spirit. The purpose of this Baptism is to be anointed like Jesus and do the works that He did. Through this Baptism we receive the power of God, the supernatural fruit of the Holy Spirit, and the supernatural gifts of the Holy Spirit.

• The fruit of the spirit is love, joy, peace, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, long-suffering, and self-control (Galatians 5:22-23). We receive these supernatural capabilities in our lives when we receive the Baptism in the Holy Spirit.

• Some of the gifts of the Holy Spirit are listed in 1 Corinthians 12. Through the Baptism in the Holy Spirit, God distributes these great gifts to each one individually as He wills for each situation (1 Corinthians 12:8-11).

• Would you like to receive this great gift?

Yes No

• Throughout the New Testament, the Bible shows the manifestations of the gifts after receiving the Baptism in the Holy Spirit. Initially the gift of utterance, a language not previously known to the person is received, or interpretation of tongues, or prophesy. The gifts of power are faith, healings, or miracles. The gifts of revelation are also available: word of knowledge, word of wisdom, or discernment of spirits, or any combinations of these gifts. The Holy Spirit will manifest His presence differently at different times depending on which gift or gifts are needed at that time.

• Do you believe these things?

Yes No

• The Baptism in the Holy Spirit is received by faith just as salvation is received. Pray the following prayer or one similar to it.

• Dear Heavenly Father. I believe You are the source of all love and power. I ask right now for the gift of the Holy Spirit. I have faith in You, and that You will give me this great gift. Because I have asked, I believe I have now received the Power of God, the fruit of the Holy Spirit, and the gifts of the Holy Spirit in my life. I have received all these wonderful gifts by faith. I also ask that You will show me how to use these gifts for Your glory by Christ Jesus. I pray now thanking you in the name of my Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

• Do you believe you have received these great gifts?

Yes No

• You have received these gifts. You should begin to use these gifts now that God has given you.



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They overcame him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony

Revelation 12:11

Standing in the Gap



Augustin Jorquez

"Lord use me to reach All Tribes, All Nations" This is my "hope story" for those who feel like there is no hope; those discouraged by the temporary circumstances surrounding your life; those who desire to be encouraged in the faith. I needed God to intervene in my life in order for me to beat the odds of abuse, suicide, poverty, and imprisonment. As a young boy, I had dangling long black hair down to my chin. I looked strange at times as my hair would hang past my shoulders while

height and age. I was proud of my Native American Apache/Yaqui heritage. I was constantly reminded by my elders to "never forget who you are". But who was I? I had this Hollywood stereotype of a Father I never met. I imagined him to be like Burt Lancaster from the movie "Fort Apache" or a wild Apache renegade. Yes, while playing "cowboys and Indians" I was always the Indian and not the cowboys did not always win. I made sure of that. Living from one place to another surrounded by anger, resentment, and shame this grew within my heart. Something was hurting but I was too young to know how to express those feelings. I accepted the feelings of self-worthlessness and rage as part of normal life.

When I was eight or nine, my mom decided to move the family from Phoenix, Arizona to San Jose, California on a greyhound bus. Everything we owned was packed into a few pieces of luggage. While staying in a homeless shelter, I attended a church with one of the ladies. She prayed. Also, everyone came to the altar and knelt down

crying. I went to the altar and knelt down for no apparent reason. The lady, who invited me to the service, asked if I wanted to pray with her. After church she took me back to the shelter and anxiously helped my Mom pack, gather the kids, and take the next bus back to Phoenix. Later, I was told the shelter administrator was planning to place my family in an orphanage deeming my mother as unfit. Sometimes I wonder what happened to that nice lady that kept my family together.

While in eighth grade, I had the opportunity to accept Jesus into my life. I became radically transformed, set free from drugs, alcohol, and shame. I preached in parks, barrios, government housing projects, walking down the boulevards late at night, testifying of Gods power to save to the uttermost. At a young age I led many to the Lord who later became Pastors and Bible Teachers. My former Pastor allowed me to preach sermons from time to time. My whole family was saved and baptized.

At seventeen, an Art Director and well known Native American businessman/artist mentored me in fine art sales and the jewelry business. At that time I had great aspirations to initiate a gold and diamond start-up business. I managed to create a business proposal, recruit artisans, and secure financial underwriters.

However, God had a different plan and purpose for me.

While living in the beautiful, scenic white mountains of an Apache reservation I found myself being nudged to moving to Oakland, California. I moved there with two pieces of luggage and \$100 in my pocket, knowing this is where God was leading me. While in Oakland, I discovered my calling. I created several traveling ministries and became a traveling evangelist throughout the Northwest, ministering on Reservations. I was featured on television, pioneered a university on-campus ministry, and initiated Native American non-profits. This lead to me hosting a Native American Leadership and Christian Education Summit. As doors continued to open, the Lord brought me before legislators, tribal leaders, and business leaders sharing the love of God's endless grace and mercies.

Currently, I am ordained through the Assemblies of God and recognized Native American Missionary specializing in urban Indian

communities, Native Church development, and Native missiology. I am married to a Godly woman (to her credit a former foreign missionary). My wife and I minister inter-tribally and frequently travel ministering at reservations and conferences. We also Pastor a small Native colony in Hungry Valley, Nevada that consists of Paiute, Washoe, and Shoshone tribes. We live in Sparks, Nevada raising our daughter and two dogs. I've been a member and supporter of FGBMFA for several years now.

To read Augustin's full testimony and find more businessmen stories, please visit <http://FGBT.org>

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GOD'S PURPOSE FOR OUR FELLOWSHIP

- To reach men everywhere for Jesus Christ with the same social, cultural or business interests.
- To call men to God: to help men become born again, baptized in the Holy Spirit, operate in the Gifts of the Holy Spirit.
- To mentor young men who have never had a positive male role model by being a spiritual father to them.
- To provide a basis of fellowship among all men everywhere, regardless of church affiliation.
- To bring about a greater measure of unity and harmony in the Body of Christ.
- To train and equip men to succeed in the business world.

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