Israel Guerra's Testimony

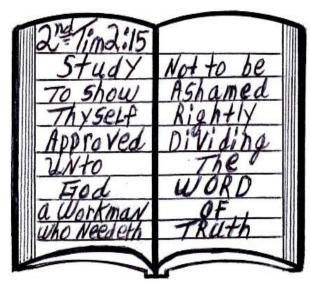
While thinking about how God has been working in my life and how he has preserved my life so that he could reveal his purpose to me, I have come to realize that Salvation is the greatest gift humanly possible. It amazes me how a perfect and Holy God would even consider saving a sinful, wicked person like me.

I've been involved with drugs and criminal activity for the entire part of my adult life. I have overdosed on cocaine 3 times; only God knows how I survived them. I've been in and out of prison for over 18 years.

Numerous times I should have been dead. My beautiful Mama always told me mijo (son) you are only alive because Jesus has a purpose for you and your life and today I know beyond a reasonable doubt that it is true. God saved me even from myself, because I was on a path of self destruction. The Lord has put it in my heart years ago to become an ordained Minister and on September 3, 2012 I was ordained.

Today I am Pastor Israel Guerra but way more importantly that that is today I am a child of God. There is so much more I could go into detail about how bad my life has been and all the terrible mistakes I have made but today I want to focus on how good my life has been since I have surrendered my life to my Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

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Artwork in this testimony by Israel Guerra

I hope this testimony has been a blessing to you. If you would like to read how others in similar situations have experienced the life transforming power of God please write to me at the address below. We now have over 100 testimonies of those whose lives have been transformed by God's amazing Grace. We also have over 100 tracts created by con's; Contracts. Send us your testimony as well. We also would like artwork and poetry to share with others.

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How thankful I am for those who shared the gospel with me. Although God sends people our way at times it takes a crisis in our life before we truly surrender to his calling. Thankfully God is patient and kind, gracious, loving, and full of compassion.

Are You Lost In Sin

Are you lost in sin, my brother Can you hear God calling you His voice is coming down from Heaven And His word is kind and true.

Oh please (oh please) listen won't you, brother
God is calling you today
He'll come (He'll come) for you so unexpected
So now's the time to change your way.

If you're not prepared to meet Him When He comes to take you in You'll never reach the gates of Heaven And you'll lose your soul in sin.

When this life on earth is over And you reach the Pearly Gate Will you be ready, then, my brother To meet the one who there awaits?

By Bill Monroe

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A LIVING EXAMPLE OF WALKING THE WALK

My name is Janine and I would like to share my testimony with all of you. Eight years ago I was called into writing folks in prison. At the time I had been saved for eight years and was working with a church group that sent out "get well" cards and more. After a year of doing this I was given the name and address of the person in prison. At first I couldn't write that person, due to a crime to myself and my husband Mike as well. But God worked on my heart and my husband's. After a year, I did write to that person, hoping that person was still at that address. It turned out that person was still there.

About six months after I was penpaling with this person, God called me to write folks in prison full time. I was scared at first, but again, God worked on both me and my husband's hearts. In 2004, I went into pen-pal ministry full time. It's been a blessing for both sides. I made a lot of new friends and shared the Lord with whoever I wrote and just being a friend to folks who don't have any. Over the years, we have been blessed with poems, drawings, cards and more

I was able to use the bad thing of being a crime victim in a good way and that's been a blessing as well. Also, I am disabled and mostly housebound due to my health. The Lord is using this to His glory as well. I hope this will bless all of you and you trust in the Lord always.

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