



About The Author

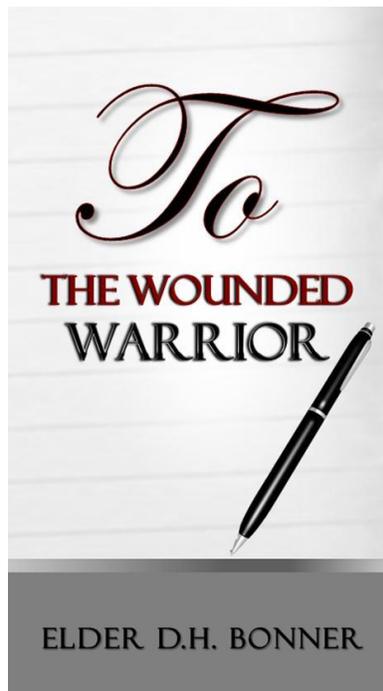
Bestselling Author | Speaker | Psalmist | Coach | Minister

Desireé Harris-Bonner, Anointed, Expressive, Energetic and Spirit-filled! Saved by God's Grace in 1990 and then Sanctified by His Holy Spirit, she endeavors to sing & write songs of worship and praise focused on God and Him glorified.

Throughout her spiritual journey, Desireé has functioned as a Choir Director, Worship Leader, Deaconess and Pastor of Music. She is a formally trained Vocalist and Percussionist.

Under the Pastoral leadership of Rev. Marion and Dr. BJ Relefourd of Vision of Life Ministries, in Lawrenceville, GA where she has received her ordination as an Elder, Desireé serves on the Ministerial Staff.

Desireé has released two Sacred Music CD's; "The Psalmist... Volume One" and "The Psalmist... Volume Two" and is currently working on the Third Volume! Her first Bestselling Book entitled "The Heart of the Psalmist" was published in November of 2012 and soon to be released July 2014 her second Book, "To the Wounded Warrior" while contributing to the Anthology: Organized Obstacles with her story entitled "Unfinished: The Diary of a Psalmist".



Desireé, tell us about your book?

To the Wounded Warrior was born out of my heart for the purpose of being read as a healing guidebook for those who have been in abusive situations, especially within the Church and weren't able to talk about it or be heard.

As a Personal Growth & Development Coach, key aspects of spiritual and emotional healing are always present in consultations and client sessions, so I've gathered them together in this Book.

How did you come up with idea for this book?

This Book originated from a series of unrelated Blogs that I've written over the years which the Lord instructed me to compile into one place.

What was the most difficult aspect of writing this book?

The most difficult aspect of writing this Book was my having to be mindful of my own personal experience with the subject matter,

throughout the compilation and editing process. Although I am healed and whole from my past situation, the emotions and memories had to be kept in check, so that they didn't spew out in my writing and corrupt the message.

Why do you write?

Because I must! If I don't write, the words and thoughts just stay jumbled up in my head and then it gets really crowded in there...

Who are your favorite authors?

Although I do not major in fictional writing, I absolutely love African-American fiction. Some of my favorite authors are:

- Zora Neale Hurston
- Toni Morrison
- Alice Walker
- Brandon Massey
- Langston Hughes
- Pearl Cleage
- Walter Mosley
- Ernest Gaines
- Octavia Butler
- Suzan-Lori Parks

What books have most influenced your life?

Beyond the Bible, the books that have most influenced my life are Fairy Tales (Brothers Grimm, Hans Christian Anderson, etc), the Classics (J.R.R. Tolkien, C.S. Lewis, Edgar Allan Poe, Shakespeare, John Bunyan, Hannah Hurnard, Harper Lee) and books by Dr. Suess.

I love the creative ways of telling a story; of sharing a message or truth.

If you had to choose, which writer would you consider a mentor?

The writer that I would consider a mentor would be Maya Angelou, because she not only wrote the words, she lived them and taught the life lessons that she experienced and learned to so many others.

What valuable lessons do you want readers to learn from your book?

That in God and His Word there is an answer for every concern... There really is!

Any advice to give to aspiring writers?

My best suggestion to an aspiring writer is write what excites you. Write what you're passionate about. And, write what you know about. You're creating with words... Create something that you can read back to yourself and say "Now that's good!"

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To the Wounded Warrior: If you've ever been blindsided by having your mistakes, weaknesses, or failings aired across the pulpit, or been called into the "Principal's Office" to be dressed down because you said 'No' to a request made by someone in Leadership.

If you've ever had Leadership enlist your assistance for ministry purposes, but instead used you to satisfy their own personal agenda (physical, financial or emotional).

If you've ever had Ministry opportunities presented to you from others outside of your church home and were told that you cannot accept them because you're needed in the House.

If you've ever had so much fear that you wouldn't dare visit another church because this was on the same level as committing Sin; to be told repeatedly, that if you ever left that Ministry, you've backslidden, so you stay!

I can testify to you that you can be healed AND made whole. But, you're going to have to take responsibility for making the journey from Victim to Victor. No longer walking wounded, but truly walking in the Freedom of His Spirit and abundant Life.

Like Jesus said to the man at the Pool of Bethesda:

"Do you want to be made whole? Rise, take up your bed and walk." ~John 5:6;8

Are you ready? Let's Go...

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