

### **Restoration in Christ Ministries (RCM)**

was founded as a non-profit organization in 1994.

### **Our President**



Diane W. Hawkins, M.A., became president of Restoration in Christ Ministries in 2011, following the death of her husband, Tom. She holds a B.A. in Medical Technology from Taylor University (1969) and an M.A. in Christian Ministries from Wheaton Graduate School of Theology (1973). Diane was a missionary with TEAM in Zimbabwe for five years prior to marrying Tom in 1977. She served alongside Tom as a pastor's wife and ladies'

Bible teacher for 12 years. She was diagnosed with DID/RA in 1987. After years of frustrating experiences in pursuing her healing, Diane joined with Tom in actively seeking healing principles that really worked. What they learned led to Diane's complete integration in 2011. Since then Diane has greatly expanded RCM's educational materials and training opportunities, which are helping survivors gain a whole new level of healing, especially from complex spiritual bondages.

### **Our Founder**



Tom R. Hawkins, Ph.D., was president of Restoration in Christ Ministries from 1994-2010. He was a graduate of Multnomah School of the Bible, Cascade College (B.A. 1965), and Dallas Theological Seminary (Th.M. 1969; Ph.D. 1995). He ministered as a pastor for twenty-five years.

From 1990 until his death in 2010, he helped hundreds of sexual and ritual abuse survivors who had developed Dissociative Identity Disorder (DID)

as a result. With a Ph.D. in Biblical Studies, he claimed no mental health credentials. However, from 1991 to 1993, he worked closely with mental health professionals in an inpatient, Dissociative Disorders Unit. His approach addressed both the psychological and spiritual dynamics occurring in DID and ritual abuse (RA).

Tom and Diane Hawkins have presented educational seminars around the US and in eight foreign countries.



### Dissociative Identity Disorder (DID)

Dissociative Identity Disorder occurs when a child under the age of eight experiences trauma that surpasses his capacity to handle it. At this point his brain is able to utilize a Goddesigned ability to form alternate identities to handle the trauma so that the primary identities can remain unaware of it and separated from its immediate effects. The disorder is evidenced by a person having two or more distinct identities; each demonstrating a consistent perspective of, and pattern of relating to, self, others, and the environment and recurrently taking executive control of the person's behavior; with some degree of amnesia between some of them.

# Otherwise Specified Dissociative Disorder (OSDD)

This lesser state of dissociation produces a subtle separation of the primary self into three pain-buffering, primary identities that usually shift seamlessly among themselves. Additional primary identities serving special purposes and/or internal, trauma-bearing identities that do not take executive control of the body may also be formed.

### Ritual Abuse (RA)

This refers to the systematic and deliberate infliction of trauma for the express purpose of causing dissociation, which is exploited for a covert agenda connected to the realm of darkness. It usually involves the use of some form of mind-control programming and varying degrees of spiritual bondage.

# New Approaches For Healing

RCM has drawn from personal research, extensive experience in ministering to dissociated trauma survivors, and a deep union with the Holy Spirit to develop ground-breaking treatment strategies that shorten the healing process.

### **Primary Identity Approach**

This approach recognizes the difference between the primary identities, who were overwhelmed and separated from awareness of the trauma, and the alter-identities formed to handle the trauma. It also recognizes intolerable psychological conflicts as the causative dynamic of dissociation. If these conflicts can be identified and resolved in the primary identities, the alter-identities are healed as well and often spontaneously integrated. This makes the healing process for DID much more efficient than the traditional alter-centered approach. When the Original Self, who has the greatest capacity for living life but who is often removed from active participation in it for protection, is able to own the person's entire history without overwhelm, the person will integrate fully and live as the single identity that God originally designed.

### **Resources Teaching this Approach**

- Restoring the Shattered Training Series—Module 3
- Primary Identity Approach Simplified (DVD)
- Primary Identity Approach Demonstrated (DVD)
- A Survivor's Workbook:

  Applying the Primary Identity Approach to Healing DID
- Primary Identity Approach ministry guides



### **RCM Prenatal Healing Process**

This process makes use of spiritual discernment to address the emotional wounds, dissociation, and spiritual bondages occurring before birth. In ritual abuse survivors it provides a way to circumvent the many blockages of the cult system and to remove spiritual bondages at their roots, setting many identities free at the same time.

### **Resources Teaching this Process**

- Restoring the Shattered Training Series
   Module 4
- Prenatal Healing DVD or CD
- Prenatal Healing Process ministry guides



# Advanced Spiritual Warfare Renunciations

The agenda of the kingdom of darkness to maintain control over ritual abuse survivors is extremely complex. Gaining complete freedom from it can be a difficult and elusive process. Revelation 12:11 teaches that victory over Satan comes through the blood of the Lamb, the word of our testimony, and not fearing death.

RCM's renunciations provide the specific "word of our testimony" to cover many aspects of spiritual bondage and control used in ritual abuse. Their content, often derived from spiritual discernment, is proving highly effective in providing a degree of spiritual freedom many say they have not experienced before.

- Some are available as free downloads from our website: <u>rcm-usa.org</u>.
- Some are included in the *Prenatal Healing Process* ministry guides.
- Others are available by special request.



### Opportunities for Education & Training

### For survivors, counselors, pastors, and support people

### Written/Recorded Training

Restoring the Shattered Training Series

The four modules of this comprehensive training series provide a deep understanding of the dynamics of Dissociative Identity Disorder (DID) and the Primary Identity Approach to healing it. Module 4 also provides an overview of spiritual warfare and ritual abuse dynamics, including the RCM Prenatal Healing Process.

> Available in DVD, CD, or MP3 formats with a detailed, 259-page manual

### **Online Training**

- Primary Identity Approach Webinar Series
- Spiritual Warfare Webinar Series
- Survivors' School of Healing
- Advanced Survivors' School of Healing
- RCM DID Training Program

## In-Person Training (When Possible)

- ❖ RCM DID Training Program
- Advanced Survivors' School of Healing

### RCM Educational Resources

have gone out to 56 countries of the world.



### **Topics**

- Healing the Effects of Trauma Ritual Abuse
- Dissociative Identity Disorder Spiritual Growth
- Advanced Spiritual Warfare



RCM Partners receive a 20% discount on all RCM materials and events. (See back cover)

### RCM DID Training Program

FIVE WEEKS of training are available to qualified counselors and prayer ministers working with a DID clientele. The course includes teaching, ministry demonstrations, supervised practicums, and extensive opportunities for questions and answers.



The program is offered online and in-person, when possible, and can be either audited or taken for certification.





This is the ultimate training route for learning the unique ministry approaches used by RCM.





- **❖** Week 1: Primary Identity Approach
- **❖** Week 2: RCM Prenatal Healing Process
- Week 3: Ritual Abuse Dynamics I & Advanced Spiritual Warfare
- Week 4: Ritual Abuse Dynamics II& Advanced Prenatal Healing
- **\*** Week 5: Advanced Ministry Supervision

Scholarship help is available.

Please email <u>rcmoffice@rcm-usa.org</u> for further information.

### Survivors' School of Healing

RCM strongly believes that educated survivors are empowered survivors and much more apt to find healing.

### Basic Survivors' School of Healing

The Basic Survivors' School of Healing is designed to guide survivors; accompanied by their counselors, prayer ministers, or support persons; step by step in applying the Primary Identity Approach to healing DID, working through *A Survivor's Workbook*. Videos of ministry sessions are shown to demonstrate many of the principles and applications. Devotions focused on building one's relationship with God are included, along with worship, as we believe this also enhances the healing journey. The Basic School is offered several times a year online.

### Advanced Survivors' School of Healing

### **❖** Part A: Practical Help with Primary Identity Approach

This module offers live, personalized, practical help to assist survivors through their stuck places in applying the Primary Identity Approach to themselves. It is offered online a couple times a year and, if possible, at a yearly in-person retreat center.

#### Part B: Ritual Abuse

This module provides an opportunity for survivors to gain an overall grasp of the healing process for overcoming ritual abuse dynamics and to ask questions in regard to their own journeys. It is offered online a couple times a year and yearly, if possible, at an in-person retreat center.



- The in-person school offers a unique opportunity for fellowship and learning.
- Survivors attend with a support person.
- Scholarship help is available.







Join us for this wonderful opportunity for education, fellowship, and healing.

Please visit <u>rcm-usa.org</u> or email <u>rcmoffice@rcm-usa.org</u> for further information.

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### **Vision Statement**

- Provide educational materials, support, and training for pastors, churches, prayer ministers, and therapists on understanding and treating individuals with Dissociative Identity Disorder (DID), including that caused by ritual abuse.
- Inspire, educate, and empower survivors of severe abuse to achieve healing.

RCM relies on the support and donations of those who recognize the value of this specialized, international ministry devoted to the healing of God's deeply wounded children.

### Become an RCM Partner by:

Making monthly donations of any amount to RCM or donating \$500 or more per year.

RCM Partners receive a 20% discount on all RCM materials and events.

### Donations can be made:

• Online: rcm-usa.org

• By Mail: RCM, PO Box 479, Grottoes, VA 24441

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