

Gay Thurman

Gay Thurman has a rich spiritual and business heritage. As pastors, her parents drew her in very early to share with them in teaching, speaking, and caring for people. Over the course of thirty years, she became a seasoned managing partner and CFO of her family's fourth-generation construction and real estate development business.

Whether in spiritual or business settings, Gay's love for God and people has always been the cornerstone of her life. These streams flowed together when she served as the project consultant for the construction and development of the Jireh Center, an international outreach and trade school for women in Kigali, Rwanda. This is but one example of Gay's contributions in business and spiritual settings. Whether coordinating a project, speaking publicly, leading small groups, or sharing one-on-one with a hurting friend, Gay has a heart to build up and disciple people.

Her book *Made Again: A Journey from Brokenness to Joy*, published in 2008, records life lessons in her gifted storytelling style. Dedicated to her grandchildren, it's written to demonstrate to present and future generations the personal care of a faithful God.

Gay and her husband, Bob, live in Dallas, Texas. With similar teaching gifts, they regularly partner together in various venues to teach topics that train and enhance the lives of individuals and couples. They delight in a shared family of seven children and seventeen grandchildren, which adds adventure and limitless joy to their lives.

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