

THE EX-GAY SURVIVOR CONFERENCE

Undoing the Damage
Affirming our Lives Together

JUNE 29 - JULY 1, 2007

UC Irvine, California



For LGBT people of faith, the church can be a liberating refuge or it can be a hurtful place. Many of us sought to alter our sexuality in order to re-make ourselves into the image that some church leaders demanded we become. The process nearly destroyed our sense of self and our faith in God. Seeing our pain, many LGBT allies and concerned friends, family and partners of ex-gay survivors desire to counter the ex-gay movement as well as help those who have suffered.

The Ex-Gay Survivor Conference will provide both ex-gay survivors and those concerned about the negative effects of ex-gay ministries a space to unpack the issues surrounding ex-gay ideology and what compels LGBT people to seek change from same-sex attractions. Through interactive workshops, lively talks and networking, together we will develop and share positive strategies to address the ex-gay movement and recover from it. Workshops will look at healthy relationships, the Bible and homosexuality, ex-gay history, and the power of personal narrative. The conference will also be a place to connect with other LGBT Christians. Most of all, it will be a place where we can celebrate the lives we have reclaimed as we help others reclaim their own.

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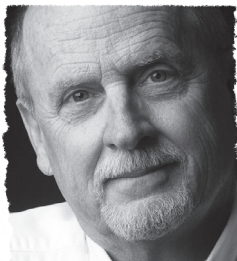
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schedule of events:
www.beyondexgay.com
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Workshop leaders and entertainment include:



Rev. Phil Lawson
UMC Minister and
Civil Rights Veteran



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Christine Bakke
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Beyond Ex-Gay



Jason & deMarco
Dynamic
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Rev. Nancy Wilson
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of MCC



Peterson Toscano
Doin' Time in the Homo
No Mo Halfway House

Survivor Faith

Plus other entertainment, a film forum and workshop leaders. See our full list of events and workshop leaders at www.beyondexgay.com/conference