

Dennis Jernigan

Song Receiver • Author • Minister • Freedom Fighter

About Dennis Jernigan

You may not recognize the name or the face of Dennis Jernigan, but there is a good chance you know some of his music. Songs like “*We Will Worship the Lamb of Glory*”, “*Thank You*”, “*Great is the Lord Almighty*”, “*Who Can Satisfy My Soul (There is a Fountain)*”, “*I Belong to Jesus*”, “*Nobody Fills My Heart Like Jesus*”, and “*You Are My All in All*” have been sung widely by the body of Christ since the early 1990s. Having written hundreds of songs (even though Jernigan does not see himself as a song writer but, rather, a song “receiver”), there is so much more to the man than simply being a musician.

Dennis has given a great deal of his life to setting the spiritually captive free. Having walked out of a homosexual identity and into that of a new creation, he is convinced that with God NOTHING is impossible. Through the sharing of his story and the sharing of the stories behind the songs, Dennis Jernigan has watched literally thousands walk out of all manner of spiritual bondage and has watched literally thousands of desperate, wounded people find healing through intimacy with Jesus Christ.

He currently serves on the Board of Directors for the world’s largest ministry to those who struggle with *unwanted* same sex attraction, Exodus International. Each year Exodus related ministries receive over 350,000 calls for help from strugglers as well as family members and friends of those who struggle.

Dennis Jernigan has been married to Melinda for 27 years. Together they have nine children (and no, they are not Mormon or Catholic and the children are not adopted...and yes, they know what causes that...and yes, they like it!). The Jernigans decided a long time ago that Dennis’s first priority was that of husband and father so he never truly toured and they chose not to live in Nashville...not that there’s anything wrong with any of that! This was simply the Jernigans’ mandate from the Lord as they saw it. Perhaps that’s why you do not know who he is. And that’s just fine with him.

The life message of Dennis Jernigan can be summed up in one word. Freedom. That freedom has come with a price. Jernigan was born again through his faith in Jesus Christ...but the reality is that the battle for freedom from the lies of the enemy regarding his past identity has been ongoing. His greatest joy has come in seeking intimacy with Jesus Christ – and in the process, discovering greater depths of freedom than he ever realized possible in this life. And he wants everyone else to know about the possibility of freedom in their own lives. Just check out his series of testimony videos at <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Z0oQuL8Gog4> and you’ll see what we mean. Every song, every blog, every video, and every book he has written are all interlaced with the theme and hope and possibility of freedom. Jernigan says, “If you lead people to freedom, they WILL worship.”

Simply put, Jernigan reminds us that we are to seek first the Kingdom of God and His righteousness...and that Jesus taught His disciples to pray, “Lord, Your kingdom come. Your will be done...” Dennis asks the question, “What would the Kingdom of God look like if His Kingdom was to come in your marriage? Your finances? Your work? Your worldview? If we truly desire that His kingdom come in our lives we need to look at what that really means. It’s all about relationship. And it’s all about the understanding that God is bigger and more in control than we ever realized. If I can lead people to see their lives from God’s perspective rather than from that of the enemy then I believe freedom will result.”

To find Jernigan’s vast library of recorded music, books he has written, and various ministry tools, go to www.dennisjernigan.com. For booking Dennis Jernigan for a ministry time with your church or group, call 1-800-877-0406 or email booking@dennisjernigan.com. Dennis also has an online ministry called *DJinsiders* which serves to minister to those who desire to walk in freedom as Kingdom Seekers and Overcomers. There is also a vast array of resource material on his web site. For tips on ministry or to receive help, go to www.dennisjernigan.com and click on the ‘Need Help?’ button to find a collection of resources suggestions as well as articles to help you minister or to encourage you in your own freedom.



DJ’s latest recording, *Here in Your Presence – Dennis Jernigan Live from San Antonio*, happens to be one of his strongest recordings to date. Dennis says, “If I were to die right now I believe the ministry captured on this recording would live on for years.” Filled with songs of worship, encouragement, and ministry, *Here in Your Presence* is a useful tool for worshipers, counselors, and anyone desiring to know their God in an ever-deepening manner. All charts from the live recording are also available at www.praisecharts.com.

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