



Bishop John Farris Senter, 49, is a native of Chicago, Illinois. He is married to the former Deniece Eloise Bridges also of Chicago, Illinois. Pastor Senter has been preaching the gospel since he was fifteen years old and has thirty-plus years of ministry and pastoral experience. Pastor John graduated with honors from the Cardinal Stritch University, College of Business, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. He is currently enrolled as a Divinity student at Northern Baptist Seminary in Lombard, Illinois.

Pastor Senter served the Providence Baptist Church in Rockford, Illinois from his call in October 1997 until August 2007. As a result of his spiritual leadership, Providence experienced tremendous spiritual, numerical, and financial growth. Providence by the favor of God and the leadership of Pastor Senter acquired financing for the construction of a new educational facility, which was completed February 2005 by the Cord Construction Company. To God be the Glory.

Bishop Senter is the organizing pastor of Faith Walker's Assembly in Rockford, Illinois; God has blessed the ministry with divine favor and open doors to impact the Rockford community and the world for the kingdom of heaven since August 12, 2007. Faith Walker's Assembly is a Word church flavored with prophetic and powerful praise and worship. The apostolic ministry of Bishop Senter and Faith Walker's Assembly is destined to become a place of supernatural healing, deliverance, and spiritual emancipation.

Pastor Senter has served on the executive boards of the Crusader Clinic, Rockford Renewal Ministries, Dinah Ministries, Inc., and Logos Global Network; he has also served as the First-Vice Moderator of the Rockford and Vicinity Baptist District Association. He currently serves as the bishop of Christian Education for the Grace International Fellowship.

God has blessed Bishop John Farris Senter with His grace and mercy and has opened many doors allowing him to preach and minister the gospel in various parts of the country. In addition to being a teaching pastor, Rev. Senter celebrated the release of his first book *Pastors Married to Preachers* on May 30, 2005. More information about Pastor Senter and his preaching Itinerary can be viewed on his website at www.johnfsenterministries.com. "Wherefore I was made a minister, according to the gift of the grace of God given unto me by the effectual working of his power" (Ephesians 3:7).

Rev. Gino A. Austin, being saved during a revival service held at Macedonia Baptist Church, has been a member ~ there for more than 30 years.

While under the leadership of Rev. Dr. Norman E. Owens, he was called into the ministry and was licensed on September 21, 1981.

He is a native of East St. Louis, Illinois and was educated in East St. Louis public schools.

In 1987, Rev. Austin served at the Mt. Sinai Missionary Baptist Church for eight years under the Spiritual direction of Pastor Herman L. Watson, Sr., and out of the Mt. Sinai Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Austin yielded to the will of God for the pastorate at Morning Star Baptist Church in Alton, IL from 1993 to 2001. As God refined the Ministry and Minister, Pastor Austin was called to organize, through the guidance of the Holy Spirit, the Harvest Christian Fellowship Church (Alton, IL). And to this date, the teaching, preaching, praying instructions and leadership of the Holy Spirit is yet a profound tool in the growth of many through Rev. Gino A. Austin.

Rev. Austin is constantly attending conferences, workshops, and seminars for the spiritual and emotional betterment of himself and all people.

He is a graduate of Missouri Baptist University, and currently seeking his Master's Degree in Biblical Counseling. He is the President of the (AAIMA) Alton Area Interdenominational Ministerial Alliance. He has conducted a number of workshops, institutes and revivals within and outside of the state of Illinois.

Rev. Austin is married to Kimberly, has 3 children and 3 grandchildren, whom he loves dearly.

Rev. Austin's zeal is to serve God and God's people as he is commanded. God has given him e genuine love for his people. Rev. Gino A. Austin is a "tender shepherd" who takes his calling seriously.