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Tim Martin

Associate Director



Tim Martin, the Pennsylvania Associate Director of Watchman Fellowship, has over twenty years experience in the field of Christian counter-cult evangelism, apologetics, and discernment. He speaks in numerous churches, college campuses and conferences throughout the United States on the subject of Christian discernment and evangelism. Because of his unique ministry, he has been interviewed as an expert in this field by the news media on TV, radio, and for newspapers.

Education

Mr. Martin holds a MA in Theology from Wheaton College and a BA in Theology from Moody Bible Institute in Chicago, Illinois. He has served as an adjunct instructor both at Moody Bible Institute, and Lancaster Bible College. He holds ministerial credentials through the Evangelical Free Church of America and is a member of Evangelical Ministries to New Religions (EMNR).

Background and Ministry

Mr. Martin was born in a Mormon dominated area in Southeast Idaho. Although never a Mormon himself, his family roots in the Mormon Church date back to 1844. At the age of 20, God saved him after attending a local independent church. Shortly thereafter, he joined the Air Force and left Idaho. Tim quickly developed a strong desire to minister to the Mormons due to his family ties and background in Mormonism. He studied books on evangelism, completed primary research on the Mormon faith, and made every attempt to find Mormons to reach. In 1992, Tim met a co-laborer with a passion for the Mormons, Michele Romeo. They were married in 1994.

Upon leaving the Military in 1990, Mr. Martin moved to Salt Lake City, Utah to begin ministering to Mormons. He quickly became associated with Watchman Fellowship's Utah office. Watchman Fellowship is a nonprofit educational organization headquartered in Arlington, Texas, with additional staff located throughout the country. Watchman Fellowship is an apologetics and discernment ministry that provides research and evangelism on cults, the occult, and new religious movements from a traditional Christian perspective.

As he was laboring in Utah with the Mormons, he began venturing into other religious groups such as the Jehovah's Witnesses. As his zeal for learning God's Word, and evangelizing those in false religion grew, he began holding classes in various churches on evangelism and other Bible subjects.

In 1995 Mr. Martin moved to Chicago, where he served as Illinois director. Tim later transferred to Pennsylvania to become the Watchman's associate director for that state. His ministry includes personal witnessing, corresponding, evangelism training, street evangelism and consultation. Tim has spoken in many churches, conferences, and college campuses. He has developed an 11 week video course critiquing the Word-Faith movement. Tim's zeal for evangelism motivates him to travel to cult events, particularly summer outreach opportunities in Utah and Idaho. Internationally, he has served on a Watchman mission trip teaching apologetics and evangelism in Uganda, Africa.