

Bio

Overseer Warren C. Winns

In September 1997, the Lord called Warren Winns into the ministry as an evangelist of the Gospel. He preached his first message in the Republic of Korea, December 26, 1997, at DISCOM Chapel, Camp Casey, Korea and was later licensed by Pastor Wesley Woodward Sr., St James Missionary Baptist Church, Lawton, OK. Min. Winns served 22 years in the US Army.

The Lord continues to do a work within Min. Winns, he was instructed to spread the good news of God through songs, inspirational plays and motivational speakers (Luke 14:23), which led to Spread the Word Ministry Incorporated being established on May 8, 2000. After several years of serving as the Associated Pastor at St James Missionary Baptist Church, Lawton, OK, God began to move the ministry to another level, and in a different direction. Through his faithfulness, the Lord established Spread the Word Ministries Worship Center on September 18, 2006.

On the 19th of Nov 2006 Min. Winns was ordained as a Pastor by State Overseer Dr. Lester M. Cezar of the Full Gospel Baptist Church Fellowship International. In January 2010, Overseer Winns was appointed District Overseer of the South-Central District of the State of Oklahoma representative for FGBCF. On May 4, 2014, God established Spread the Word Ministries of Elyria Ohio. Overseer Winns presently oversees two additional Spread the Word's NC and KS, The Harvest Church, NC and The Huddle, Marlow, OK under Spread Network of Churches, INC which was established July 2, 2021. He has a bachelor's degree in biblical studies and is currently pursuing his master's from Andersonville Theological Seminary.

Overseer Winns continues to serve his community through numerous local organizations, the Lawton Chambers of Commerce through the Redcoats and serves on the Executive Board of the Redcoats. Overseer Winns was awarded the Redcoat of the year, 2013. He also served as a member in AMBUS. In 2016 he was selected to serve as the 1st Vice President of the local AMBUS for the calendar year 2017 and was appointed the position of AMBUS President in June 2017. In 2014 Overseer Winns was awarded the Religious Leader of the Year Award by OMEGA PSI PHI Fraternity INC. Recently, he was awarded the 2023 Bishop Paul S. Morton Sr. Award for Pastoral Excellence.

Overseer Winns has been married to the beautiful Cynthia E. for 28 yrs., and is the proud parent of three children, Patrice, Brandon and Beonica.