

Horace Williams Jr.

Horace Williams Jr. is the oldest child of Horace and Wanda Williams. He was born in Fort Worth, Texas. The son of a United States Army captain. He lived most of his toddler years in western Germany, at the foot of breathtaking mountains.

He then moved to Iowa with his parents as they pursued a life in Christian ministry. Horace accepted Jesus Christ as his Savior at the age of five. However, he did not seek God wholeheartedly growing up.

At the age of twelve, he traveled around the United States with his parents hoping to raise money for their ministry before the family settled in Texas.

Horace was a star athlete in both football and basketball in high school in addition to being a rebellious terror to his parents. He found he had a love for writing in the ninth grade, but never followed through except for composing a few poems for family and friends on occasion.

And then it happened

In July of 2010, at the age of forty-three and the height of his career as a sales and marketing consultant, Horace suffered a massive stroke at the office, which paralyzed his left side. It was during those times in the hospital that God began to recapture his heart and give him a new purpose in life.

He immersed himself in God's Word and had a ravenous hunger to learn everything he could about God and His plan for his life moving forward.

Horace now has a tremendous passion for Christ. God continues to transform him and renew his mind. He desires to encourage people reminding them of God's unconditional love and His transforming power.

In 2014, after being fired from his job, at the suggestion of his baby sister, who knew of his passion for writing, she encouraged him to start a blog website.

Horace creates and writes on a Bible-based blog titled: PleasingtothePotter.com. God has taken his desire to write and use it for His glory.

His first book, *Unleash the Power of Prayer in Your Life: A Power that Transforms Lives*, published in December of 2016 has won multiple awards and several five-star reviews. It is a book born out of love for his fellow Christians. He hopes to encourage Christians to spend purposeful prayer time with God and experience His power in their lives.

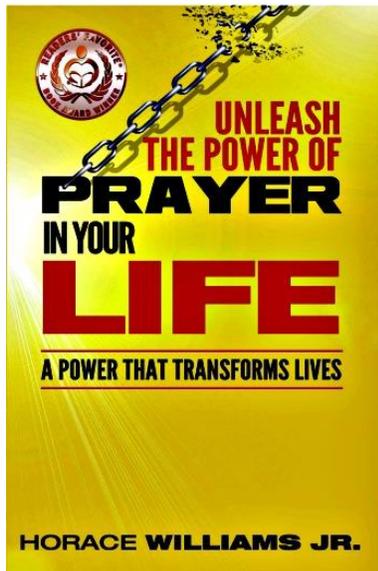
In 2017, the book was awarded a bronze medal in the Christian nonfiction category from the Readers Favorite International Book Award Contest and was also honored with the prestigious Henri Award for the inspirational category at the 2018 Christian Literary Awards.

He was a guest on the Broken Crayons Still Color podcast in 2017 sharing how God has been able to use him since his stroke. He also also appeared on The Review with Joy & Company Radio show in August of 2018.

Horace continues to experience God's incredible power throughout his stroke rehabilitation. His body and His brain continue to heal, and his passion for writing for the glory of God grows stronger every day.

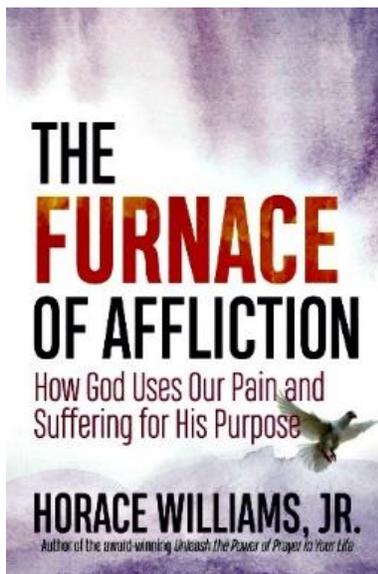
Lord willing, Horace is planning for his next book, *The Furnace of Affliction: How God uses our pain and suffering for His purpose*, to publish in 2019. It is his prayer that those who read are blessed, encouraged, enlightened, and inspired by his writing.

Horace's Books:



Williams Jr. briefly and eloquently uses a blend of personal story and relevant Bible scripture references to demonstrate the power of prayer. This book is excellent for seasoned prayer warriors, and those starting on their faith journey. Packed with scriptural truth, instruction, and illustrations this book is a tremendous resource for believers.

<https://www.pleasingtothepotter.com/book-power-of-prayer/>



The Furnace of Affliction (coming soon) will help many people who are asking God “Why?” in their struggles and are having trouble finding hope. **This book is absolutely going to help many people connect to their great big God**, who is bigger and greater, in the midst of their struggles in pain. Real stories, practical advice, and spiritual truth are all blended together in a way that you won't be able to put it down!

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LinkedIn: 3450 Connections

<https://www.linkedin.com/in/horace-williams-jr-author/>

Twitter: 1535 Followers

<https://twitter.com/Pleasing2Potter>

Facebook: 25055 Followers-

<https://www.facebook.com/HoraceWilliamsJr>

<https://www.facebook.com/pleasingtothepotter/>

Pinterest: 70K monthly viewers

<https://www.pinterest.com/horacewilliamsj/>

Instagram: 369 Followers

<https://www.instagram.com/pleasingtothepotter/>

Interview Questions (suggested)

1. Horace, congratulations on your first book! Please tell us about the inspiration behind this book on prayer and your writing in general.
2. What impact has prayer had in your life since your stroke?
3. With all the books that have been written on prayer, how would you say this book is different?
4. What does it mean to have powerful prayers?
5. For those who are eager to develop a prayer habit, where do you suggest they start?
6. What would you say to the person who has tried prayer before but struggle to believe that it works?
7. What is the key message you would like readers to take away from this book?
8. Where can interested readers find your books?