



Is it Right in Front of You?

Rich was trained to control any situation and fix any problem... then he realized that no matter how much his human effort, God's will prevailed.

BREAKFAST

CBMC Metro South

Presents

Rich Clyborne

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Christian Business Men's Connection

Even though we do our best to live independently and make our way without assistance from others, all of us need help. Rich Clyborne, grew up in Westmont, NJ in a typical post WWII family, the middle child of three. He experienced faith through his attendance at church and his early education in parochial school. He became involved in competitive swimming at a young age developing into a New Jersey State Champion in his senior year of high school and was granted an appointment to the U.S. Naval Academy in 1978, competing on the varsity swim team from plebe year through senior year.

Upon graduation Rich served for six years on active duty qualifying as both a Fleet Officer of the Deck and a Surface Warfare Officer. In the civilian world, his career has included stints as a defense contractor, a high school/middle school science teacher, a youth and high school swim coach, a data analyst for a major telephone company and a program manager. He was fortunate to work as the program manager for the Multimedia Support Center at the Naval Academy from 2006 to 2017 and served as the president of the Annapolis Chapter of the Alumni Association from 2009 to 2011.

In 2010, after many years of struggle and desperation, Rich's son went into treatment for addiction to drugs and alcohol. Discovering that addiction was truly a family disease Rich and his wife worked with their son's counselors to contribute to a recovery plan that involved a twelve-step program (Nar-Anon) and intense family therapy. It was during this period that Rich found the desire and courage to explore his faith. Through a great deal of inner reflection and personal growth he made an amazing discovery. God's grace is there for everyone. We just need the gift of humility to finally surrender and accept it.

Rich and his wife Heidi are congregants of the U.S. Naval Academy Chapel and live in Severna Park.

Come and bring a friend!

Date & Time: Friday, November 3, 2017

Networking and Breakfast 7:00 AM

Program ends promptly at 8:30 AM

Place: Eggcellence, a Breakfast Brunchery

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