

## Seminar for Men and Teen Boys By PCA Men's Coach, Dr. Gary Yagel



### Rediscovering Biblical Manhood

**Get your guys discussing how we should respond to our culture, which is deconstructing God's design of male and female**

***"Be strong, show yourself a man, and observe what the LORD your God requires."* 1 Kings 2:2-3**

*Take a fresh look at the glory of God's male/female design. Be challenged to put a biblical lens over your own stereotypes. Be inspired by a fresh look at Jesus, God's portrait of true manhood. Leave with a renewed passion to show our broken world the glory of grace-centered, Christ-empowered, redeemed manhood. This seminar is intended to mix generations—to include all the men of your church from pre-teens through seniors.*

#### Topics Covered

##### The Masculine Design (Creation)

- Overcoming stereotypes and pressing back to a biblical understanding of male and female identities and roles
- Celebrating the glory of God's complementary design

##### Fallen Manhood: Male energy turned inward (Fall)

- The abuses of self-centered masculinity, controlling masculinity, and passive masculinity
- Responding with biblical truth and gospel grace to gender identity confusion and egalitarian marriage constructs

##### Godly Manhood Restored: Male energy turned outward (Redemption)

- Creation identity and roles restored
- A fresh look at Jesus, God's portrait of true manhood

#### Scheduling the Seminar

Create Momentum In Your Men's Ministry: This seminar will draw many of your men, the discussion groups will help them build closer relationships, and most importantly, it will equip the rising generation to be confident of their own masculinity and know how to respond to others with grace and truth in their gender-confused world.

Time: Saturday Morning 8:30-12:00 usually works best.

Low Cost: \$29/man, \$35/father and sons, boys without fathers free (Minimum 25 men. Church may subsidize cost.)

Only additional cost is whatever food is provided plus transportation expense for over 50 miles from Olney, MD.

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#### Speaker

Dr. Gary Yagel, a former church planter in the PCA, is the Executive Director of Forging Bonds of Brotherhood, teaches as a visiting professor at RTS DC, and serves part as the denomination's men's ministry advisor. He has served as a presenter of Man In the Mirror's seminar on effective men's ministry, *No Man Left Behind*, and authored numerous men's seminars and studies. He received his doctorate from RTS Orlando where his dissertation was, *"Discipling the Heart of a Man."* He has been married over thirty-five years and has five adult children.

#### Testimonials

***"Great having you here! Have heard many encouraging comments among our men!"*** TE Camper Mundy, Grace Covenant, Williamsburg, VA

***"The evaluations we got back after having about 85 guys attend the seminar averaged nearly 9 out of 10, which is a fantastic response. We highly recommend this seminar."*** Nevin Gish, Men's Ministry Director, Westminster PCA, Lancaster, PA

***"This seminar is fantastic. What can I do to help you take it to every one of our PCA churches."*** TE John Kuebler, Covenant Presbyterian Church, Harrisonburg, VA.

***"I would highly recommend this seminar"*** Matt Carr, Youth Pastor, Grace Pres, Dalton, GA.

***"This is a very helpful, practical seminar rooted in Biblical truth that will encourage your men in their various challenges."*** TE Paul Bankson, Houston Lake PCA, Kathleen, GA.