

Real Conversations: Removing Our Masks, Mastering Our Emotions, Manifesting Our Manhood

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Germantown Campus | 20200 Observation Drive, Germantown, MD 20876



Keynote Speaker

Jorge A. Sierra is a motivational speaker and self-change advocate who takes audiences by storm with his transparent and inspiring story of triumph and perseverance.

Due to his former affiliation with gangs, he was gunned down—leaving him a paraplegic at the age of 17. Over the next 24 years, he dedicated himself to changing his mindset and environment. He threw himself into his craft, becoming a licensed master barber and class I cosmetologist. He is also an instructor and evaluator in multiple states.

As a member of the ETA Certified Speakers program, he studies under the tutelage of Dr. Eric Thomas, a world-renowned motivational speaker and author, whom he credits for changing his life. The series of changes he made allowed him to release himself to his mental wheelchair, as well as his physical wheelchair.

He now uses his life experience to motivate and guide students to destroy their own mental wheelchairs. He is helping them see past their physical and mental challenges so they can walk in their purpose. He shares his message with schools and organizations—and has even spoken to the NFL's Carolina Panthers.

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