

## **Labor Day Weekend Retreat 2016**



### **Biography**

#### **Rudy & Linda Benavides**

Rudy Benavides began leading worship in 1993 for the singles ministry at EV Free Church in Fullerton. Rudy has been a worship leader for 23 years, and currently plays with the Jesus Crew, the Rudy Benavides Band and Storm Shelter Worship Band.

Rudy led worship at Cleansing Stream at Faith Community with Pastor Jim Reeves, and was apart of the praise band.

Rudy, and his wife Linda, have been married for 17 years and met at a Bible study with their kids. Both know how to be single and were divorced and remarried with a blended family of 5 kids between them. Linda was married for 20 years and her husband left. Rudy was married for 6 years and his wife left.

Both Rudy and Linda had a strong relationship with the Lord when they met. They both had gone through Cleansing Stream and were spiritually in the same place and ready, rooted and grounded in Christ.

They believe a relationship with Christ is important and being strong in the Lord and doing God's will, and serving Him and it all comes into place. Proverbs 3:5-6.

Linda has a passion for prayer and ministry. The Benavides' serve on mission's trips together to Africa.