



Gary L. Richardson

About the Author

Articulate, intelligent, captivating — Gary Richardson is a man worth listening to.

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Gary L Richardson has earned a reputation as a fearless, hard-fighting courtroom competitor, powerful negotiator, and crusader against corruption. While you might not recognize his name immediately, you would definitely recognize some of the cases he's been involved in.

In 1984 he founded a successful plaintiff's law firm specializing in winning justice for average, working man. With a practice limited almost exclusively to civil cases, and an occasional white-collar federal criminal case, Gary Richardson always represents the "little guy" against the "power structure."

He is credited with winning the largest slander jury verdict ever awarded in United States history. He also won what is believed to be the largest verdict ever given in Oklahoma for wrongful termination. Jury verdicts for his clients have set records for the largest awards in eleven different counties in Texas and Oklahoma.

A 1963 graduate of Bethany Nazarene College (now Southern Nazarene University) in Bethany, Oklahoma, Richardson first built a successful career in insurance, eventually serving for two years as assistant insurance commissioner for the State of Oklahoma. He graduated from South Houston College of law in 1972.

Licensed in Oklahoma, Texas, and Colorado, Richardson has practiced law since 1974. He has been listed in numerous publications as a top trial lawyer — and for ten years straight in the prestigious publication *The Best Trial Lawyers in America*.

Richardson served two years as assistant district attorney in Muskogee County, Oklahoma, before being appointed in 1981 by President Ronald Reagan to serve as U. S. Attorney for the Eastern District of Oklahoma.

During his four years in that position, FBI agents dubbed him "The Smiling Surgeon" because of his mild-mannered demeanor in the courtroom and skill in dissecting hostile witnesses' testimony during cross-examination while cutting straight to the heart of the case.

In addition to his competitive spirit, Gary Richardson has a unique ability to keep fear out of his thought process — something he says gives him the freedom to think clearly on his feet in the face of adversity.

Now he has a new passion — teaching people the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth about fear. A Bible study teacher since 1996, Richardson now leads seminars across the country, teaching people how to break free from the destructive power of fear in their lives.



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