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## **About Richard Rohr**

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Richard Rohr is the Dean of the Living School for Action and Contemplation at the Rohr Institute in Albuquerque, New Mexico. A Franciscan priest for more than 40 years, Father Richard Rohr is a globally recognized ecumenical teacher bearing witness to the universal awakening within mystical and transformational traditions. His many popular books on everything from scripture to the Enneagram to the Twelve Steps have sold many hundreds of thousands of copies.

He founded the Center for Action and Contemplation (CAC) in Albuquerque, New Mexico, home of the Rohr Institute, to support a new reformation—from the inside, to confirm people's deeper spiritual intuitions and to encourage actions of justice rooted in prayer, with a new appreciation for, and cooperation with, other denominations, religions, and cultures.

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