James Renford Powell has been a life-long student of the Bible. The eldest son of a Christian minister, he trained for the ministry and served as a missionary teacher in South Vietnam from 1966 to 1968. In his search for common ground with his students, he became a student of Eastern religions and philosophy. While he had been taught to look for the differences and to evangelize lost souls, his studies led him to the conclusion that there were certain principles common to all religions. All of his books and articles pertain to the Universal Laws which have always been in existence.

Renford remained abroad for 20 years, living and working in the Far East, the Middle East, and Europe. His books focus on the heart of religion and philosophy – the original principles taught by all the Great Masters. Each book deals with how they are alike as opposed to how they are different. He suggests the differences came about due to the organization builders who came after the Great Masters. These doctrines and dogmas are the result of traditions and the culture, they cannot be divorced from the politics of the time.

Renford was one of five speakers featured at the World UFO Festival in Memphis and in WKNO television's **UFOs Over Memphis.** Other featured guests were Captain Larmar Todd who was the Police Officer who witnessed up close the sighting in Memphis in 1977. Travis Walton was the man whose story was told in the movie *Fire in the Sky* and Peter Robbins was the author of *East of West Gate*, the story of the Rendalsham Forest incident, where a UFO landed between two US Air bases in England. These speakers talked about their experiences while Renford talked about the hybridization process that all the ancient text (including the Bible) have made reference to.

Renford is the author of the Renford Books, the founder of the Institute of Applied Metaphysics, Director of IAM-Press, Inc. creator of Lightways (E-Zine). Director of the Radio By Renford Network and the Renford Broadcast Network. He also hosts the Laws of Material Wealth Personal Development Program, and the Core Concepts Show. He was the host of the Book Man Show that aired on Comcast Cable Network. Channel 17, at 9:30pm weekly. Syndicated articles by James Renford Powell can be found online with such article centers as EzineArticles.com, Selfgrowth.com, ArticleCity.com and the Nashville Examiner.

Renford, along with the expertise of Cecil McDaniel has developed a network of radio shows called Radio by Renford. With a variety of fourteen shows per week and over thirty applicants for shows the decision was made to look at other platforms. From this effort came the development of the Hosts Association which will allow for expansion of the network and other facilities.

The Renford Broadcast Network oversees RBR as well as television shows and Youtube includes all media as and Lightways. The two main shows are *The Book Man Show* that aired on Comcast Cable Network Channel 17, and *Renford Revelations* which aired on Channel 31. *The Book Man Shows* were 30 minute interviews of authors and people who worked in publishing. *Core Concepts* has been a successful show featuring religious and spiritual leaders. It has a simple format that centers on the questions; What do you believe? Why do you believe this? How did you come to this belief? What are you doing with it and how is it working for you?

Guests on the Core Concepts shows have included a Jesuit Priest, a Tibetan Monk, a Phd from the US who lived in primitive conditions for over a year in Africa to become a Sangoma, an African Shaman. We have had faith healers, ministers, an Agnostic, and a Wiccans on the show. You can find almost anything you want about a religion on the Internet but on this show we have had people you would not be aware of to look for.

There are numerous videos, radio shows, and lectures by James Renford Powell. You may consider the value of having him speak to your church, school, corporation or foundation. You discuss with him the needs of your group. Call him at 901-487-9365 or email him at iamrenford@gmail.com. You may also inquire about being on one of the shows in the RBR Network. Renford has developed five Power Point Presentations that he has presented in a variety of groups.

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**The Laws of Material Wealth:** A personal development program applying the Universal Laws to creating a business.

**The Father Confusors**: A presentation illustrating strong theme of alien intervention from the Bible, Mahabarata, and the Sumerian Cuniform Tets.

The Unity Principles—An analysis of the teachings of Charles Fillmore and Emily Cady illustrating the thirteen principles.

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