



Angie Fenimore was born in Phoenix, Arizona to Jerry and Jill Fenimore. Her younger sister was born less than two years later.

When the family moved to Las Vegas, Nevada just after Angie completed first grade, Angie's mother sought assistance for crippling phobias. She left the family to join an experimental psychological retreat deep in the recesses of Bryce Canyon, Utah, leaving Angie and her sister with their devastated father, who sought escape through drinking.

Angie subsequently suffered years of abuse that became the impetus for her involvement in legal change that stiffened penalties for violent sex offenders in

Washington State in 1990. She served as the president and co-vice chair of two coalitions whose work was responsible for passing legislation that became the model for other states and changed the legal landscape of the country.

When in 1991 her work triggered the recall of suppressed memories of abuse, she attempted suicide. She wrote the bestselling book **BEYOND THE DARKNESS** about her transformational Near-Death Experience.

Angie participated in the Landmark Forum in 2000. She went on to lead the Introduction Leaders Program for Landmark Worldwide in Salt Lake City, Utah, where she facilitated intensive training in empowering others to break through barriers to success in every aspect of their lives.

Angie now provides empathic healing, spiritual empowerment coaching and writing coaching. She facilitates Calliope Writing Coach writers' conferences and writing intensives. She has served as guest faculty for several writers' conferences, including Rick Frishman's Author 101 and New York Times bestselling authors M. Bridget Cook's Inspired Writer's Retreat and David Farland's Superstars Writing Seminars. **THE SPARROW'S LENS** is her second book.

Angie resides in South Jordan, Utah and has six children and six grandchildren. Angie's life's purpose is to bring forgiveness, love, empowerment and choice to others in the face of impossible circumstances.