



## Luis Rivera

Luis Rivera is a retired U.S. Navy SEAL Senior Chief with 24 years of active duty service. Luis enlisted in the U.S. Navy in 1990 at 17 years old. Luis served on two Fast Attack Submarines from 1992-2000. Then he attended Basic Underwater Demolition/SEAL School in 2000 and graduated as Class Honorman with Class 234. Then he served as a Special Operator at SEAL Team Three from 2001-2006 in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. He then served as Tactical Ground Mobility Chief at Training Detachment One for two years. Luis' final deployment was with SEAL Team Three in support of Operation Enduring Freedom from 2009 to 2010.

Luis served his remaining four years as a SEAL instructor at SEAL Qualification Training Land Warfare and Senior Enlisted Advisor at Naval Special Warfare Orientation.

Luis and his wife Cristina have been married for 17 years and he has three children ages 24, 23, and 20. Luis attended Mighty Oaks Warrior Program in 2016 and is now the organization's Operations Manager, where he has

found a new purpose by serving others through his passion for Jesus Christ as a witness to those who have struggled with similar challenges such as PTSD and life trauma. His passion is connecting with veterans that are losing hope and need a brother to come alongside.