

About the Author

Background

Johanna Carroll was born in Connecticut to a traditional Catholic family. She attended parochial schools most of her life in Hamden, Connecticut. Married at a young age, she became a mother of two sons, Scot and David, in her early twenties. She lived a very traditional New England housewife type of life until her divorce at age 36. It was during this time she went to see a psychic who told her, "you should be reading for me. You are very gifted. I see you going to California and becoming a healer and teacher using all your gifts for many people throughout the world." At the time, Johanna did not realize how prophetic that message was. She did indeed move to California in 1986 and from the moment she arrived, her spiritual teachers were placed in her path.

How She Started

She began to have a connection with the world of spirit at a young age, with a burning desire to talk to God and to have God respond back to her questions. Fortunately, she was in an open spiritual environment that supported this quest and desire. Johanna began a course of study with metaphysical teachers who trained her in the art of developing her intuition and after a short time, clients showed up in her life asking for psychic readings.

"It all started by accident," Johanna stated. "I was dating a man in San Diego and he had told a friend of his about my psychic gifts. She had called and wanted me to do a reading and I told her I didn't do that. She was persistent. We scheduled a time and Jan basically told me how this was going to work. She would call me, I would receive messages, tell her what the guidance was saying and she would pay me for the hour. I told her I couldn't take the money but she insisted. The rest is history.

In the reading, I was guided to tell her that the man she was married to was a bigamist and that she needed to hire a detective to verify this. She did and he was! Then her attorney called me for information on the divorce. Oddly enough, I am now in the law case records in the County of San Diego!" Following this, Johanna, Jan and her attorney Jean were invited to be on a TV show in LA called "The Other Side." From that day on, Johanna embraced being a professional psychic.

The Transition

Johanna also worked in the field of finance management for two large hospital systems in San Diego while conducting psychic sessions at nights and on weekends. She decided to leave her corporate position and devote her life to her spiritual path.

"I took a leap of faith and the more I opened my heart and soul to the messages of God, Spirit, and Universe the more magic showed up in my life.

I encourage anyone who wants to make a change to let go of your fear, create a simple plan that will work and go for it. You will look back one day and ask yourself why it took you so long."

Training & Professional Accreditations

Johanna is trained in the psychic art of channeling. This includes understanding the quantum physics and energy models that occurred when opening up body, mind and spirit to allow a higher power of divinity to work through her.

"The first time I started to feel the flow of another presence coming into me and flowing through me, was incredible," she said. "My entire body was filled

with electricity. The classes were facilitated by another teacher who really encouraged me to go the distance. There was a small group of about six people who did this training for well over a year and a half. At the end of our training, we would sit and watch as someone would almost go into trance and start to speak.

It was beautiful and uplifting to receive such incredible wisdom beyond our imagination. The second book I wrote, 'A Dialogue with Divinity' was completely done through channeling and automatic writing. It's an intense discussion from three divine beings who worked through me."

Johanna's professional credentials are extensive. She currently resides in Sedona, Arizona and La Costa, California. *My Greatest Love / My Greatest Sorrow* is her third book.

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Publicity & Events

Print:

- Accomplished author of three books, *The Queen Who Lost Her Castle*, *A Dialogue with Divinity* and *My Greatest Love / My Greatest Sorrow*.
- She is featured in the well-known psychological study *The Sixth Sense*, published by Harpers/San Francisco.
- She is featured in a new release, *Suicide: What Really Happens in the Afterlife* by Atlantic Books.
- Column writer for *Sedona Good Times / Sedona Vortex Connection* for two years.

Television:

- Frequent guest on talk radio / TV specials: VH1; Focus Past Life Regression; TV Tokyo, Japan; Vision Network / Special on *Guides and Gurus*, Canada
- Former television host of her own TV talk show San Diego. *Women in Motion*.

Healer:

- Participant/healer in the long distance effects of healing prayer on AIDS patients / California Pacific Medical Center.
- Participant/healer in diagnostic remote viewing of patients / Duke University – Department of Radiology.
- Remote Viewing Team Member, The Nevada Remote Viewing Group, Inc. assisting in remote viewing projects for business clients.

Facilitator/Group Leader:

- Originator of the first women's spiritual networking group in San Diego, *Women of the New Age*.
- Facilitator with the Elderhostel Programs of Arizona State University / Sedona, Arizona.
- Instructor at Yavapai College / Sedona, Arizona.

Featured Speaker

San Diego Regional Conference for Women / San Diego, CA

NOETIC Society Conference on New Business Paradigms / Denver, CO

Spirit of Business – Creating New Models, San Diego, CA

Elderhostel Programs / Sedona, Arizona

Royal Cruise Lines: New Beginnings Tours based in South America / Brazil

Carnival Cruise Lines: In Search of Spirit at Sea / Tour of Mayan

Joy Travel: Embodying the Essence of Life / Costa Rica

Joy Travel: Mary Magdalene Tour in France / Southern France

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