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Christian Piatt speaks, preaches and facilitates workshops nationally on congregational transformation, young adult spirituality, church and technology, faith and culture and postmodern spirituality. He consults with religious and educational institutions on communications, social media and public relations. He is a musician, spoken word artist and co-founder of Milagro Christian Church in Pueblo, Colorado.

Christian Piatt is the author of *Lost: A Search for Meaning*, *MySpace to Sacred Space: God for a New Generation*, which he co-authored with his wife, Amy Piatt. He co-authored Chalice Press' Lenten Meditation booklet for 2008. Piatt is a Managing Editor for *PULP*, a publication for southern Colorado, and he is series co-creator and co-editor of the new *WTF? (Where's the Faith?)* book series for Chalice Press. He is also creator and editor of the *Banned Questions* series.

## **Excuse me, Christian... Can you tell us five interesting, obscure, funny or weird things about you??**

- I once had a job cleaning out condemned apartment buildings.
- In college I was the lead singer for several rock bands and had hair down to my waist.
- The tendon in my left pinky finger is too short, which makes my finger permanently crooked.
- My middle name is Damien.
- I met my wife on a blind date.



## **How about sharing some of your favorite quotes??**

- *Truly, I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of these my brothers, you did it to me.* -Matthew 25:40
- *Be the change you want to see in the world.* -Mahatma Ghandi
- *If there is a problem and there is something you can do about it, don't worry about it; if there is a problem and there is nothing you can do about it, don't worry about it.* - Buddhist proverb