



# Craig & Sharon Cerrito

*Local missionaries  
Tampa, FL*

## Ministry Background

Pastor Craig and Sharon Cerrito have been in fulltime ministry for many years. They formerly served as missionaries in the inner-city Philadelphia neighborhood of Kensington. There they worked with children and youth, the homeless, the addicted and nearly every population on the American urban mission field. Craig was also Associate Pastor of Calvary Chapel of Kensington, where Sharon served in the church's women's ministry as a Bible teacher, counselor and program organizer.

## Serving in Tampa

Here in Florida, they are continuing their work in urban missions. Through the **Faith Action Ministry Alliance**, they are serving children, residents and the homeless in a number of Tampa's underprivileged neighborhoods. They are also ministering to the homeless and impoverished at Amazing Love Ministries, providing material and spiritual support for those on the streets. These are Christ-centered ministries focused on sharing the Gospel.

Based on their experience in Philadelphia, Craig and Sharon have started a unique chaplaincy program here in Tampa. Through their services, the homeless and addicted can access treatment, sheltering and long-term assistance. They provide personalized guidance for each person served as they navigate through the process of housing and recovery to independent living.

Craig and Sharon have also planted **Suncoast Church**, a **Calvary Chapel-style** fellowship in East Tampa. Their vibrant congregation is made up of a wide variety of people, including some of the homeless in the area.

Above all, Craig and Sharon want to honor the Lord by serving some of Tampa's most vulnerable. They are deeply grateful for the opportunity to share the Gospel in Tampa's urban neighborhoods as they stand on the words of Jesus.

*"Inasmuch as you did it to one of the least of these My brethren,  
you did it to Me" (Matthew 25:40)*