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## Carlos Garcia

## Chaplain/Board Member

Carlos was born in the Bronx Borough of New York to Puerto Rican parents. He grew up playing sports and attending Catholic schools. Upon graduation from High School, he went to boot camp. Carlos graduated Parris Island Marine Corps recruit depot in November of 1985. Carlos served with Marine Aircraft Group 12 and 1st Battalion 6th Marines both as a Supply Administration Clerk. At the end of his contract, Carlos was hired by the NYC Dept of Corrections. Carlos met his wife Barbara and they have four beautiful children, one granddaughter. Carlos son, Carlos Jr. just completed boot camp at Parris Island following in his Fathers footsteps in the United States Marines.. Carlos worked as a Corrections Officer on Rikers Island one of the most dangerous jail facilities in the nation. When Carlos retired, he heard a higher calling to serve the Lord. In 2011 Carlos was ordained a permanent Deacon for the Diocese of Brooklyn where he currently serves as Director of the Diocesan retreat center and Assistant Spiritual director of the Diocesan Hispanic youth group Jornada de Vida Cristiana. Carlos also serves as Chaplain to the Long Island chapter of the Leathernecks MC. Infinite Warrior Foundation is thrilled to welcome Carlos.