

Spiritual Civics Manifesto (Short Version)

Spiritual Civics, a genre coined by Kevin “Gil” Gilbert, is the sacred art of belonging.

It is where civic courage meets inner truth. Where public life becomes an arena not just of discourse, but of devotion.

It is not about winning debates—it’s about repairing dignity. It’s not about uniformity—it’s about honoring difference as sacred ground.

In an age of division, *Spiritual Civics* calls us to co-create cultures of healing—where presence is power, and listening is a spiritual act.

This is not a political movement. It is a spiritual posture. A way of walking through conflict with integrity and reverence.

Spiritual Civics begins with one question: *What if healing our world is a sacred responsibility?*

Website Copy: What Is Spiritual Civics?

Spiritual Civics, a genre coined by Kevin “Gil” Gilbert, is a new field emerging at the intersection of inner transformation and community repair.

It blends the reflective depth of spiritual practice with the practical urgency of civic life. It's for people who want to engage the world—not through division or dogma, but through healing presence and sacred listening.

At its heart, *Spiritual Civics* is about restoring respect as a shared practice. It's about showing up across differences with courage, humility, and reverence.

Real Respect is one expression of *Spiritual Civics*. Through our books, workshops, and dialogue circles, we offer tools to help individuals and communities rediscover how to heal, how to listen, and how to belong.

This isn't about softening truth. It's about deepening trust.

Join us in building a culture where dialogue becomes devotion—and respect becomes real again.