

Aurelio Denasha



Creator...

Who is Aurelio

Aurelio is a Native American, of the Ojibwe Nation, born in Chicago along with his 11 siblings into a poor family.

A family on welfare, having to steal from drunks to survive, a bit like Oliver Twist; and during his childhood years, moving constantly between foster homes, boarding schools and jails. Gaining along the way addictions with alcohol and drugs; all destructive and dysfunctional behaviours that are a direct result of his upbringing and

not knowing - "What is a Family?"

Aurelio has overcome these behaviours because of primal fears and the fundamental question - "What am I doing with my life?"

As a result of this fear; the support from his community's Elders, Spiritual Leaders, and Friends; and the tools learned through them; he has changed his life for the better. He survives to be a role model and to tell his story.

It is with this life experience; tools and skills that he counsels others. He speaks from his heart and experience.

He has done many sacred cultural runs and walks around the world; such as a relay run from Alaska to Mexico; indigenous sacred runs and walks across both Japan and Australia. Participating in the "World Peace and Prayer Day" along with other cultural leaders. He has been living in Australia now for the past 10 years.

He is a story teller, dancer and singer of his traditional tribal ways.

In spite of his journey, he is still human, frail and searching, trying still to figure out "who he is" and "who his 'spiritual being' is", using the tools of his culture and those he has learned on his life's journey.

His purpose in life is to help people to smile and laugh; to plant a seed of hope in people's hearts where they can be the best of who they can be.

I may or may not be your messenger, but it is always up to you as to whether you choose to listen or not. Thank you for taking the time out of your life to be here.

Hey, just smile 😊

Counselling Services

- Men's Group Counselling
 - ↪ Roles of Men?
 - ↪ What is it to be male?
 - ↪ How do we support our women?
- Drug & Alcohol Addiction
- Dysfunctional behaviours
- Talking Circles
- Suicide
- Youth Discussions

Aurelia is available for:

- Corporate functions—Performances
- Personal Appearances / Performances
- Workshops / Lectures
- Sittings for Artists or Photography
- Counselling

For more information please
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Workshops & Groups

- Storytelling
- Singing
- Drumming
- Dancing
- Counselling

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➤ Storytelling

Storytelling is the ancient art of conveying events in words, images, and sounds often by improvisation or embellishment.

Stories or narratives have been shared in every culture and in every land as a means of entertainment, education, preservation of culture and in order to instil moral values.

Aurelio brings a Native American contemporary Story Telling to his audience; *"What Life Can Bring"*

➤ Singing

Learn the meaning of our traditional songs and learn to sing them yourself.

Familiar Pow-wow songs include honour songs, intertribal songs, crow-hops, sneak-up songs, welcome songs, going-home songs, and 49'ers.

➤ Dancing

Aurelio demonstrates and teaches traditional Native American styled dances; that you can learn in an easy and relaxed forum.

➤ Drumming

Understand where our Drum comes from and why.

In Native American tradition, the understanding of the drum's relationship to the spirit world is anything but an arbitrary metaphor - rather, the spirit world is concretely perceived in the drum itself.

The sound and rhythm of a drum's vibration is known to have a profound effect on our consciousness and physical wellbeing, regulating our heartbeat and breathing to the more cellular levels of our biorhythms. Just like a mother's heartbeat calms an anxious baby, drumming is, in effect, going back to a sound and pulsation we have known since conception.

➤ Sittings for Artists

Aurelio is available for portrait sittings for Artists.



Art by: Terri-Anne



Photo's by: Pananda



➤ Counselling

A way to be heard and validated in your power to take your rightful spot to lead the world.

Aurelio's uses a variety of counselling methods to work through issues pertinent to his client.

Co-counselling is a grassroots, low-cost method of personal change based on reciprocal peer counselling. It uses simple methods that can be seen as a refinement of "you tell me your problems and I'll tell you mine". In particular, time is shared equally and the essential requirement of the person taking their turn in the role of counsellor is to do their best to listen and give their full attention to the other person.

It is not a discussion; the aim is to support the person in the client role to work through their own issues in a mainly self-directed way.

Aurelio is qualified to teach the Co-counselling technique. Please enquire if you wish to learn more about learning.

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