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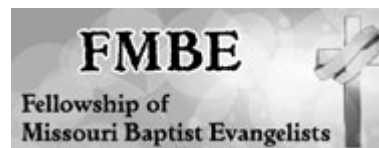
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Directory

# Officers of the Fellowship of Missouri Baptist Evangelists 2016-2017

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The elected officers of the Fellowship of Missouri Baptist Evangelists, from left to right: President-James Ogan, 1st Baptist, Shell Knob; Secretary-Diana Edwards, 1st Baptist, Mountain Grove; Vice President-Jarel Burnside, Harmony Heights Baptist Church, Joplin; Music Leader-Jimmy Harris, Victory Baptist Church, Ozark; Treasurer-Janis Shrum, Miner Baptist Church, Sikeston, Pastor Advisor-Dr. Larry Lewis, FBC, Centralia.



Dear Missouri Baptists,

The MBC is glad to partner with the gifted men and women you will find in the pages of this directory! There is a long-standing relationship between the Fellowship of Missouri Baptist Evangelists and the MBC as declaring and living out the good news remains our greatest privilege.

These men and women are uniquely called and gifted to preach, teach, sing and, in compelling ways, model the Great Commission! Leroy Eims wrote, "The commission of Jesus was to make disciples. He went a step further than just admonishing us to become disciples. So if we are to fall in step with the grand design of God, we must help people become disciples. To stop short of that is to fail to capture the genius of the commission of Christ."

Thom Rainer, citing LifeWay research, notes that there is high receptivity to the gospel in our country. Four out of ten non-Christians would welcome a conversation about Jesus with a Christian. However, the passion for evangelism appears to be waning and many church-going Christians will never share the good news with an unbeliever. Never. For that matter, further research indicated that 53 percent of senior pastors had not shared the gospel message one time in the previous six-month period.

The Fellowship you see here contains followers of Jesus who are personally committed to evangelism. We believe they can be of great benefit and encouragement to you as you seek to fulfill the Great Commission and as you lead others to embrace their call to do the same. I urge you to consider inviting these brothers and sisters to come alongside you, allowing God to use their ability and calling to inspire you and those you lead to love God and your neighbor!

...because of Jesus...

Matt Kearns  
Making Disciples Catalyst  
Missouri Baptist Convention



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*"He gave some, apostles; and some, prophets;  
and some, evangelists; and some pastors  
and teachers; for the perfecting of the  
saints, for the work of the ministry, for the  
edifying of the body of Christ."*

*—Ephesians 4:11-12*



Christ has given to the church people whom He has called to an itinerant evangelistic ministry. As president of the Fellowship of Missouri Baptist Evangelists, I count it a great honor and privilege to introduce some of these people to you.

Our membership is seeking to enhance the image and prove the integrity and credibility of our calling.

To facilitate this, active participation in a Southern Baptist Church and a written endorsement by the pastor of the evangelist's ministry are required in order to become a member.

Please take the opportunity to look through this booklet and prayerfully consider using the ministry of a vocational evangelist in your church.

In Christ,

James Ogan, President  
Fellowship of Missouri  
Baptist Evangelists

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### **A Word from the Office of the President of the Missouri Baptist Convention**

One of my great pleasures is to personally know many of the God-called men and women whose ministries you find represented in the following pages. Although there are several I have not yet met, I can assure you I already know two things about each and every one of them. First, they faithfully serve both inside our state and beyond, often travelling long dusty roads, many coming on faith that the Lord will provide without financial guarantees, only seeking to serve. And second, they all have the most beautiful feet you can ever imagine.

No, I have never asked any one of them to remove their shoes. (I don't plan on starting either as I would fully expect that after all the years of ministry on their feet, many a crooked toe and a misshapen heel would be found.) But, the Apostle Paul reminds all of us in Romans 10:13-15, *"For everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved. How then will they call on him in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in him of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone preaching? And how are they to preach unless they are sent? As it is written, 'How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news!'"*

These men and women have committed themselves to the preaching of that good news. Having heard the Lord's call much like Paul did, they have abandoned all to serve His church. What is unique about their call is they not only serve a single local church but make themselves available to all of His churches.

I hope you will take time and prayerfully consider the critical ministry of the evangelists in these pages, perhaps even inviting one or two to lead your church and your community in a gospel centered outreach event. At the very least, every one of us should keep a copy of this book and regularly prayer through it asking that many will call upon the Lord's name through their work.

I am thankful that God has called these dear evangelists to be with us on our journey here in Missouri.

Dr. Neil Franks  
Lead Pastor  
fbcBranson



### **A Word from the Pastor Advisor of the Missouri Baptist Evangelists**

It is a privilege and honor to serve as Pastor Advisor to Missouri evangelists. I do now, and have always believed in the special calling of God on men and women serving in this role. As a pastor I always, with very few exceptions, used professional God-called and God-anointed evangelist to lead our churches in at least two and sometimes three revivals every year. This is one reason, and an important one, why those churches nearly always led our association and often our state convention in baptisms and growth.

I believe every church, no matter how large or small, will profit from using full-time evangelists. I also believe God has gifted evangelists willing to go to any church that will invite them. I urge you to do so and I believe you will be greatly blessed!

Larry Lewis, Director of Missions,  
Mid Missouri Baptist Association  
Pastor Advisor for the Missouri  
Baptist Evangelists Association



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## Ron Adrian

*Touching People with  
the Love of Christ*

### Types of Ministry:

Revivals, Interim Pastor,  
Pulpit Supply,  
Missionary Evangelist

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Clever, MO 65631

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**Spouse:** Barbara

**Years in Ministry:** 51    **Years in Evangelism:** 9

**Home Church:** First Baptist Church, Anderson



*Ron has been a faithful pastor with one of the greatest passions and gifts in evangelism that I have ever seen. He shares Christ anywhere and everywhere.*

*He is tireless in his pursuit of ministering to people in all situations, desiring for them to know and grow in Christ. It has not been unusual for him to visit 30-40 homes on a given day to touch base with his flock. He has recently moved to the Springfield area. Though "retiring" to this area, everyone here knows that retirement is not in his DNA. He is looking for fresh opportunities to serve the savior as a pastor, interim preacher & evangelist.*

*He will faithfully and capably fill any of these opportunities. Any church will be blessed to have Bro. Ron and his wife Barbara, serve with them.*

*He is also a great encourager to the DOM and Association.*

*I heartily recommend him to you.*

**Mike Manning, Director of Missions  
Linn-Livingston Baptist Association**

## Roger Alford

*Walking With God Ministries*

### Types of Ministry:

Preaching, Revivals, Conferences,  
Soul Winning Clinics,  
Bi-lingual-English & Spanish

906 Fir Ave.  
Warrenton, MO 63383

**Phone:** 620-285-1102

**E-mail:** rgralford@yahoo.com

**Spouse:** Elaine

**Years in Ministry:** 44    **Years in Evangelism:** 44

**Home Church:** Fellowship Baptist Church, Warrenton



*"I have known Roger and his family since 1972. We first met at the outset of my second year in graduate school (Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary). Along with living next door to them in a seminary-provided duplex, I was also in one or more classes with Roger. At numerous times over the years, and in every church I have served, Roger was invited to be the main speaker. And whether it was Sunday worship, as a conference leader, revivalist, or as the evangelist on a mission trip to Mexico, he has always been one of the most Spirit-anointed speakers God has used in those settings. I heartily endorse him without any reservations!*

*I would also add that there have been times when God's Spirit has used Roger to give me "a word in due season" that had some bearing on my need to know God's will for my life. Indeed, he and his wife Elaine are, to me and my family, "friends for the journey." If you should have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me."*

*With Best Regards,*

**Dr. Dave Martin, Transitional Pastor-Ridgecrest Baptist Church  
1731 Zumbuhl Rd., St. Charles, MO 63303 - 314-808-2211 (cell)**

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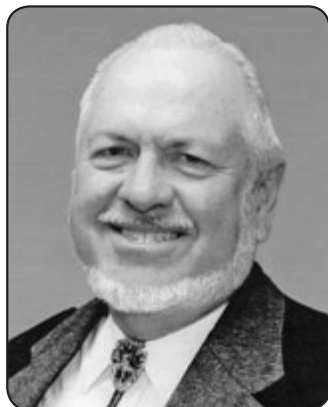
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## Sam Anderson

*Cowboy Evangelist*



### Types of Ministry:

Preaching, Cowboy  
“Round Up” Ministry

39008 E. Austerman Road  
Sibley, MO 64088

**Phone:** 816-289-7077

**E-mail:** samanderson092@yahoo.com

**Spouse:** Judy

**Years in Ministry:** 42    **Years in Evangelism:** 4

**Home Church:** 1st Baptist, Grain Valley

*“I would like to take the time to recommend Sam Anderson to the Missouri Evangelist Association. He is currently our evangelism director at First Baptist Church of Grain Valley, MO. He does a great job. He gets us ready for revival through prayer leadership. He is teaching an evangelism course, using the Share Jesus without Fear material. He is also going to be helping with our block party ministries.*

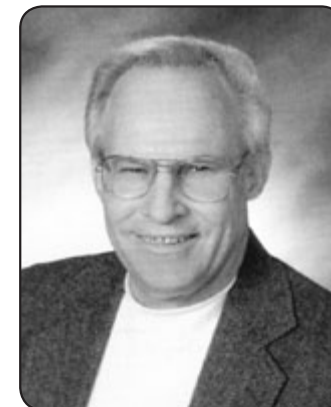
*Sam is a great man. He has a great heart for the Lord. He has lots of character and it is evident in the way he lives his life. His passion for the lost is also very evident in just the way he is always concerned with what we are doing to reach them. His passion for the lost can also be heard in his prayers. He is always praying for the lost and their need for a Savior. Sam Anderson would be a great addition to the Missouri Evangelism team.*

*He is a great encourager and shows great boldness in taking the gospel out to those who need it. With all that being said, I would highly recommend Sam Anderson to be a part of your evangelist team.”*

**Robert Strong, Pastor, First Baptist Church**  
– Grain Valley, MO 64029

## Winston Barnett

*Lifebuilders Ministries, Inc.*



### Types of Ministry:

Multi-Housing (Apt.) Church  
Planting, Church Neighborhood  
Outreach Seminars (“Tipping  
Point Evangelism”)

1942 S. Stewart  
Springfield, MO 65804

**Phone:** 417-873-9572

**Cell:** 417-830-4899

**Fax:** 417-865-7010

**E-mail:** winston.lbm@sbcglobal.net

**Website:** www.lifebuildersmin.org

**Spouse:** Sue

**Years in Ministry:** 41    **Years in Evangelism:** 4

**Home Church:** Ridgecrest Baptist Church, Springfield

*“One of the best lead voices I have ever heard, and personally committed to ministering the love of Christ to those in his path.”*

**Hosea Bilyeu, Pastor, Ridgecrest Baptist Church**  
– Springfield, MO

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## David Bowden

*Preaching*

### Types of Ministry:

Revivals

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Ozark, MO 65721

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**Cell:** 417-844-0456

**E-mail (work):** dbowden@mocic.riss.net

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**Spouse:** Reba

**Years in Ministry:** 3      **Years in Evangelism:** 3

**Home Church:** FBC Ozark



## Jarel Burnside

### Types of Ministry:

Singing & Preaching

13121 County Lane 268  
Webb City, MO 64870

**Phone:** 417-846-7683

**E-mail:** jburnside@joplin.com

**Spouse:** Margaret

**Years in Ministry:** 52      **Years in Music:** 52

**Years in Preaching:** 19      **Years in Evangelism:** 6

**Home Church:** Harmony Heights Baptist Church, Joplin



*"I have known Jarel since 1957. We grew up together as young boys and have enjoyed ministering together over the last 54 years. Jarel has a heart to see people saved and to be involved in evangelistic meetings. Jarel is presently on our staff as a Staff Evangelist. Not only does Jarel have the ability to preach well, he also has a talent in singing and combines that with his meetings and is very effective. If you have any questions, you may contact me at 417-781-1700."*

**Charley Burnett, Pastor, Harmony Heights Baptist Church  
– Joplin, MO**

*"It is with great joy that I recommend to you the preaching and singing ministry of Jarel Burnside. Jarel preaches God's Word with power and is blessed with a wonderful singing voice. He has the heart of a pastor and a heart for pastors. I am confident that he will be a blessing to your church"*

**Randy Comer, Director of Missions  
Barry County Southern Baptist Association**



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## Charles Chatman

*Evangelism Association*

### Types of Ministry:

Preaching

101 Greenfield Rd.  
Winter Haven, FL 33884

**Phone:** 314-355-5444

**Cell:** 636-699-7159

**Fax:** 314-355-5444

**E-mail:** Ccea4him@aol.com

**Spouse:** Jean

**Years in Ministry:** 58    **Years in Evangelism:** 41

**Home Church:** FBC, Harvester



*"Bro Charles has seen over 20,000 receive Christ through his ministry...  
Bro. Charles opened the eyes of our church, not only to the lost in our  
neighborhoods, but to the world. We look forward to partnering with  
Charles in the future, and highly recommend him to your church."*

**Rev. Mark W. Emerson, Living Faith Baptist Church**  
– Sherman, IL

## Clyde Chiles

*Turning Point Evangelistic  
Association*

### Types of Ministry:

Preaching, Revivals, Crusades,  
Conferences

5696 S. Waterfront Dr. South  
Columbia, MO 65202

**Phone:** 573-474-2207

**Cell:** 573-489-4784

**E-mail:** uncled Clyde@mchsi.com

**Web Site:** www.clydechiles.com

**Spouse:** Betty

**Years In Ministry:** 60    **Years in Evangelism:** 60

**Home Church:** FBC, Centralia, MO



*"I invited Clyde to return to our church after reflecting on one changed life.  
There were many decisions, yet one man's life was so completely transformed,  
during one sermon that his life, his family, and his entire circle of influence  
will never be the same. This man happened to be a Christian who was  
struggling with a stronghold in his life. The message, "Stop Trying and Start  
Trusting" impacted him for the kingdom. In a moment, freedom was given  
to a struggling captive in the family of God. After years of trying, he was  
set free. Clyde Chiles is a sensitive servant with a tender heart for God,  
for God's people, and for those who are lost. When he ministers, he has  
a single purpose - the glory of God!"*

**Wesley Hammond, Pastor, First Baptist Church**  
– Paris, MO



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## Tim Clark

*With God All Things Are Possible*

### Types of Ministry:

Evangelism, Revivals, Testimonies

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Independence, MO 64055

**Phone:** 816-379-0575

**E-mail:** twclark95@att.net

**Web Site:** www.withgodallthings.net



**Years In Ministry:** 5    **Years in Evangelism:** 3

**Home Church:** Noland Road Baptist Church

*"Despite being born with only one arm and without legs, Tim Clark has gone on to live a life of victory in Christ. Tim's story of inspiration and courage is a gift to all who find themselves in difficult circumstances.*

*He is a man of faith, action, and perseverance. He was recently featured on Time Warner Cable's Metro Sports as a Hometown Hero. I highly recommend Tim as a speaker and believe his inspiring story and message will bless any church."*

**Francis O'Donnell, Pastor, Noland Road Baptist Church**

*"Tim Clark is a remarkable man with a remarkable story. He is living testimony that with God all things, indeed, are possible."*

**Jason K. Allen, President**  
**Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary**

## Danny Decker

### Types of Ministry:

Missionary Evangelist

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Bolivar, MO 65613

**Cell Phone:** 660-723-1269

**E-mail:** midnightmagic1950@gmail.com



**Spouse:** Christine

**Years In Ministry:** 47    **Years in Evangelism:** 1

**Home Church:** Pomme de Terre SBC, Pittsburg, MO

*"I have known Danny since 1971. He is an active member of our church. He and I have prayed about his call to be an evangelist. He is dedicated to our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. He has shared the Word of God faithfully and has a passion for seeing the lost come to know Jesus as Savior. He has been a blessing to our church and will be an asset to the Evangelist Fellowship."*

**Eric Lawrence, Pastor, Pomme de Terre SBC**  
**– Pittsburg, MO**

*"I have known Bro. Decker for several years as have many of you. I have seen his dedication to our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ and his passion for the lost. As both a Pastor and an evangelist – he has preached the Word of God faithfully and ably, and has demonstrated a heartfelt concern for the lost. Truly, Bro. Decker will be both an asset and a blessing for our organization."*

**James Ogan, fellow pastor and friend**



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## Gene & Diana Edwards

*Couples in Service, Individuals in Service, Women's Ministries, Men's Ministries*

### Types of Ministry:

After 40 years as Pastor & Wife we are available to serve you in many areas to reach people for Christ. We lead Revivals and Retreats together or individually as a Preacher/Music Team; lead Conferences for Marriage, Divorce Care, Prayer, Bible Studies, Outreach (F.A.I.T.H.) Patriotic & Holiday Programs, Motivational & Christian Humor, Sportsman's Events (we dress in camouflage) telling our "Hunting & Fishing for Souls" stories. Diana leads Women's Ministries, Concerts, Teen & Children's Rallies. We can write a program to your theme of interest for any age.

P.O. Box 421, Mountain Grove, MO 65711

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**Cell:** Gene 417-926-2876 / Diana 417-547-3357

**Gene E-mail:** revgene@gmail.com / **Diana E-mail:** dising4god@hotmail.com

**Web Site:** www.dianaroseedwards.blogspot.com

**Years in Ministry:** 40 **Years in Evangelism:** 30

**Home Church:** First Baptist Church, Mountain Grove

*"Get ready to be blessed. Gene and Diana Edwards are now available full-time to help minister to you and your congregation. Gene and Diana are a dynamic ministry duo. I have worked with Diana in a revival, and have known of Gene's work among Missouri Baptists for many years. They are both the real deal. They are beginning a new phase in their ministry. They can now do preaching, teaching, and music as a team for revivals, plus lead marriage conferences, and Sportsmen's programs for hunters and fishers. Yes they both love to hunt and fish; they know the sports, and know how to minister to people who have a passion for the outdoors. You would be hard pressed to find a ministry Gene and Diana could not help you with -- they can bless seniors, singles, and young adults. They are skilled in divorce care, and in talking about purity to teens. Patriotic services, motivational rallies, comedy nights -- you name it, they can do it. Best of all. Gene and Diana have a squeaky clean reputation. In these troubled times, that is a priceless commodity. Diana still does concerts, leads Women's Conferences and a variety of Women's Ministries. I urge you to use Gene and Diana. You won't regret doing so."*

**Dr. John 3:16 Marshall, Pastor, Second Baptist Church**  
**311 E. Battlefield Rd., Springfield, MO 65804**  
**417-887-3111 x110 • Twitter and FB: john316marshall**



## Richard Green

*Richard Green Ministries*

### Types of Ministry:

Preaching, International Evangelist, Bible Teacher, Revivals, Bible Conferences

P.O. Box 28574

St. Louis, MO 63146

**Phone:** 636-458-0231

**Cell:** 314-614-6307

**E-Mail:** rgreenmins@hotmail.com

**Spouse:** Gael Heather

**Years in Ministry:** 62 **Years in Evangelism:** 55

**Home Church:** Westport Community Church



*Originally from Johannesburg, South Africa,  
 Richard has preached in over 60 countries and all across the U.S.*



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## Scott Hamby

*Preaching Evangelist*

### Types of Ministry:

Preaching, Revivals, Retreats,  
Conferences, Camps

2109 Red Oak Lane  
Liberty, MO 64068

**Cell:** 816-520-5343

**E-Mail:** scotthambyevelingism@gmail.com

**Spouse:** Julie

**Years in Ministry:** 12    **Years in Evangelism:** 12

**Home Church:** Providence Baptist Church, Kansas City, MO



*"I have sought to be a disciple and a discipler of the Lord Jesus for over 60 years. I have special joy when I see young men catching the "God picture" of what it means to creatively communicate the gospel of our Lord's mind, heart, cross, mission and resurrection. I joyfully and confidently recommend Scott to you as such an agent and proclaimer of this message."*

**Dr. H.D. McCarty, Ph.D., Brigadier General, Pastor Emeritus**  
– Fayetteville, AR  
Ventures For Christ

*"It is my honor to recommend Scott Hamby for your next revival. Scott has a biblical worldview that is above reproach and teaches your congregation to follow God's leading in their lives. In the fall of 2015, we had Scott come to 1st Baptist Murphy, in Fenton, MO. He led our Church through a series of messages that produced fruit long after he was gone. Still today we are seeing people come to a saving knowledge of Jesus Christ. Scott's commitment of God's word and its truth is refreshing in a day where it seems "anything goes for evangelism." Scott teaches, and preaches Christ ... Him crucified as well as our walk with Him in this life ... I cannot say enough about the quick response and relationship of our people built with Scott and his time here at Murphy. We will be using his gifts again, and pray that his ministry would continue to promote the magnificent name of our Lord Jesus Christ."*

**John McCaherty, Pastor, First Baptist Church Murphy**  
– Fenton, MO

Missouri State Representative, District 97

## Philip Hamilton

*Phil Hamilton Ministries*

### Types of Ministry:

Music & Preaching

2159 Denmark Road  
Union, MO 63084

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**E-Mail:** karenbakerhamilton@gmail.com

**Spouse:** Karen

**Years In Ministry:** 34    **Years in Evangelism:** 22

**Home Church:** FBC, Union



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## Jimmy Harriss



### Types of Ministry:

Preaching, Teaching, Singing

808 E. Diane St.  
Ozark, MO 65721

**Cell:** 417-839-5265

**E-Mail:** james.harriss@yahoo.com

**Spouse:** Velda

**Years in Ministry:** 22    **Years in Evangelism:** 11

**Home Church:** Victory Baptist Church, Ozark, MO

*"I am pleased to recommend Jimmy Harriss to your church as an evangelist. His life experience makes him uniquely qualified. Jimmy is an active member of the Victory Baptist Church of Ozark, MO He has a heartfelt burden for lost people. I have always found him to be sound in doctrine, and his love for the Lord is without question. He has a sincere desire to serve the Lord and the church through his ministry. You will find him a willing vessel of God's grace. I believe you will see God work in your church through his singing and preaching."*

**Bob Long, Pastor, Victory Baptist Church  
– Ozark, MO**

## John Hill

*The Message in Magic*



### Types of Ministry:

Preaching, Revivals,  
Camps, Magic Shows,  
Retreats

2005 Candace St.  
Ozark, MO 65721

**Cell Phone:** 417-496-8891

**E-Mail:** gospelmagic@gmail.com

**Web Site:** www.outofmyhat.blogspot.com

**Spouse:** Chris

**Years in Ministry:** 17    **Years In Evangelism:** 17

**Home Church:** Hopedale Baptist Church

*"John Hill is a favorite in the Tri-County Baptist Association. It has been my privilege to worship with him in ... children's camp, church fall festival and the MBC Evangelism Conference. He holds the attention of young and old as he shares the good news of Jesus Christ."*

**Janet Robertson, Business Administrator  
Tri-County Baptist Association**



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## Ed Horner

### Types of Ministry:

Revivals, Pulpit Supply

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Fenton, MO 63026

**Cell:** 636-575-7706

**E-Mail:** hornersinmo@aol.com

**Spouse:** Judy

**Years In Ministry:** 15    **Years In Evangelism:** 1

**Home Church:** First Baptist Church of Murphy, Fenton, MO



*"Ed has been a faithful member of FBC Murphy for many years now and has supported the ministry here by leading in evangelistic efforts, serving as a Deacon, and filling the pulpit when needed. Ed left for a few years to pastor Harmony Baptist Church, but eventually came back to FBC Murphy after some health issues. Ed's heart is for people! He wants to see people saved, revived, and used by God. My prayer is that God will lead Ed and that Ed would be obedient in following Jesus. Ed is never afraid to ask questions, seek guidance, and confess his own mistakes. Anything he may lack, he makes up for in passion and loving the people of God. It is an honor to recommend him to the Missouri Baptist Evangelist team, may he learn and grow with you and serve God well."*

**John McCaherty, Pastor, First Baptist Church Murphy**  
– Fenton, MO

## Ron & Haven Howard

*Ron & Haven*

### Types of Ministry:

Music, Preaching (Concerts, Revivals); available for concerts, revivals & supply preaching

301 Willowbrooke  
Branson, MO 65616

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**E-Mail:** ronhoward640@gmail.com

**Web Site:** www.ronandhaven.com



**Years In Ministry:** 46    **Years In Evangelism:** 22

**Home Church:** First Baptist Church, Branson

*"Ron & Haven's musical abilities are incredible. Their vocal blend is great, and their choice of music is always uplifting. Each time that they share in music, they help bring the congregation to the throne of God."*

**Jeff Wilcox, Minister of Music, First Baptist Church**  
– Branson, MO



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## Bud & Barbara Lee

*Bud & Barbara Lee  
Ministries, Inc.*

### Types of Ministry:

Concerts, Revivals,  
Biblical Health Seminars

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**Web Site:** www.bblee.org

**Years In Ministry:** 43    **Years in Evangelism:** 29

**Home Church:** Calvary Baptist, Blue Springs

*"Bud & Barbara Lee are wonderful evangelists!  
The character of Christ is so evident in their preaching and  
teaching, their sweet spirits and their love for people.  
You will be blessed by their ministry of music and the Word."  
Toby Frost, NAMB, SBC*



## Robert Long

### Types of Ministry:

Preaching Evangelist,  
Pulpit Supply

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**Spouse:** Tenah

**Years In Ministry:** 1    **Years in Evangelism:** 1

**Home Church:** 1st Central Highlandville, Highlandville

*"I have known Robert Long for more than 25 years. During this time he  
has demonstrated a love for Jesus by living a spirit filled life.*

*Robert has lived to serve the Lord in many capacities. I have observed  
him as a friend, leader and a member of our church. His Bible knowledge  
is unsurpassed. He is clear and concise in his teaching and always brings  
Jesus to the center of every lesson or sermon. He has been anointed by  
the Lord to fulfill an earthly vocation to teach and lead others to Christ.*

**Randy Milnes**  
– Springfield, MO



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## Harold Mathena

**Types of Ministry:**  
Preaching Evangelist

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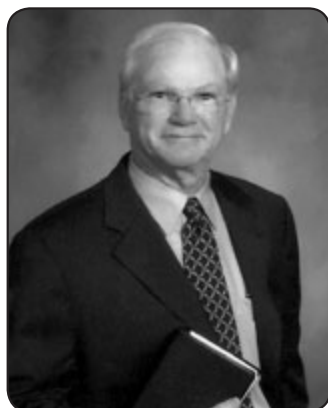
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**Spouse:** Patricia

**Years in Ministry:** 53    **Years in Evangelism:** 28

**Home Church:** Quail Springs Baptist, Oklahoma City, OK



*Harold Mathena is a true blessing in my life; and, I know he will bless you too. He is a tender, tried and true servant of the Lord Jesus. Harold's heart is tender. He is sensitive to people and to the Holy Spirit. When the Spirit lays someone on his heart, he takes action. I have seen him moved to share a few dollars with a person in need and share the Gospel with an empty soul. He will come passionate for lost souls and prepared to follow the Lord's leading.*

*Brother Mathena has followed Jesus for many years. Like Paul, he has served in poverty and abundance, in face of praise and rejection, large churches and small — he can do all things through Christ Who gives him strength. I find Harold to be a reservoir of practical wisdom.*

*His experience is a tremendous asset.*

*Harold Mathena lives as a true servant of the Lord. He is true to the Word of God, true to his family, true to the local church, true to the pastor and true to his calling. He is indeed an Israelite in who there is no guile, above reproach as a man of God. You will be proud to have him in your pulpit. As you can see, I hold Harold Mathena in highest regard. It is an honor to be his pastor. I recommend him to you with great enthusiasm and confidence.*

**Dr. D. Hance Dilbeck, Jr., Sr. Pastor, Quail Springs Baptist Church**  
—Oklahoma City, OK

## John McBride

**Types of Ministry:**  
Gospel Outreach Events, Revivals,  
Guest Preaching, Youth Ministry,  
Men's Retreats, Men's Encounters,  
Prison Ministry, Jail Ministry,  
Hospital Chaplain

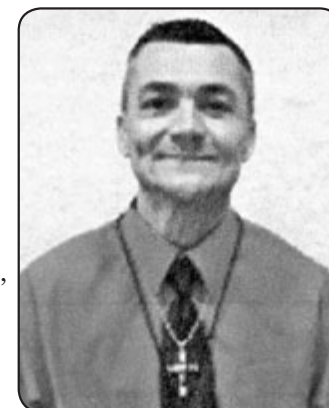
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**Website:** johnnyraymcbride.com



**Spouse:** Widowed

**Years in Ministry:** 12    **Years in Evangelism:** 1

**Home Church:** First Baptist Church, Branson, MO

*John is new to our body at First Baptist Church Branson, having joined only in the last couple of months. He is eager to be of service and make himself available to the Misouri Baptists. He is very faithful in his attendance on Sundays, has joined my men's Bible study and is serving in our parking lot ministry. he is quick to encourage and point people to Jesus. I believe he has much potential and could be one of our finest evangelists.*

**Dr. Neil Franks, Lead Pastor, First Baptist Church**  
—Branson, MO

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## Jim McNiel

*Evangelistic Association*

### Types of Ministry:

Preaching Evangelist

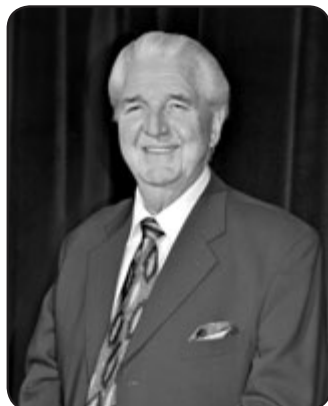
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**Years in Ministry:** 50    **Years in Evangelism:** 50

**Home Church:** Tower Grove Baptist, St. Louis

*"Evangelist Jim McNiel proclaims God's Word ... in context ... by memory. My wife says that he is a combination of Alexander Scourby and Lawrence Olivier. To the next generation, I tell you that Jim McNiel is 'Google personified.' He makes whole books of the Bible come to life!"*

**Bruce McCoy, D. Min, Southwestern Seminary**

**– Fort Worth, TX**

MBC President, 2008-2010

## Ron Mills

*Ron Mills Ministries, Inc.*

### Types of Ministry:

Preaching Evangelist

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**Web Site:** www.ruhbm.com



**Spouse:** Cheryl

**Years in Ministry:** 35    **Years in Evangelism:** 33

**Home Church:** 1st Baptist, Blue Springs

*"Ron Mills is one of the great, great witnesses for Christ in our culture today. His effectiveness in sharing Truth is only rivaled by his consistent integrity and character. I have never failed to see Jesus 'lifted high' in his word and deed. It is easy to see why so many people come to know Jesus as the Forgiver and Leader of their lives after having encountered Ron Mills and his ministry. Ron has and fully understands the local church, the call to be 'difference makers' as followers of Jesus and the joy of being a pastor. He certainly understands, supports and enhances the role of a 'shepherd' in the local church. He was God's man for the day years ago, he is incredibly effective today and will continue to be used by God in a tremendous manner for many years that follow in leading all ages to know Jesus as Savior and Lord. My respect and honor of Ron Mills really knows no bounds."*

**Randall Stotts, Senior Pastor, First Baptist Church**

**– Blue Springs, MO**



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## Sam Moore

### Types of Ministry:

Preaching, Revivals, Crusades & Harvest Days



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**Spouse:** Annette

**Years in Ministry:** 29    **Years in Evangelism:** 7

**Home Church:** FBC, Bentonville, AR

*"Bro. Sam is a Red-Headed and Hot-Hearted Gospel Preacher. When Sam preaches, folks get saved. I have worked with Sam for several years while he was a Pastor and Church Planter and now as the Staff Evangelist of our church. I have known Sam as a fellow pastor, hunting buddy, and as one of my best friends. He definitely has the calling and gift of an evangelist and, as his pastor, I highly recommend Bro. Sam and I know that he will be a blessing to any church."*

**Phillip W. Smith, Senior Pastor, First Baptist Church**  
– Bentonville, AR

## Robert Newberry

### Types of Ministry:

Preaching, Revivals, Music, Domestic Missions (work with homeless and addicted), Bikers Ministry, Executive Director Co-Founder of Trinity Resources, Lay Ministry motivation and encouragement in finding and following their calling. I am looking forward to serving the churches in Missouri after serving as a missionary in the oil fields of North Dakota for 4 years.



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**Spouse:** Stephanie

**Years in Ministry:** 14    **Years in Evangelism:** 9

**Home Church:** FBC, El Dorado Springs (471-876-3543)

*"I would like to commend to you Robert Newberry as an evangelist. Robert's life testimony is a true example of the power of God that changes lives. He has a true heart for God and a passion to share the love of Jesus with the world. As Robert's pastor, I can attest to his ability to preach and share the gospel effectively with people from all walks of life. He has proven these abilities through various mission trips to work with the homeless and inner-city people, his work in jailhouse ministries as well as with Trinity Resources and other ministries in the Kansas City area, and his work in our community as the Celebrate Recovery leader in our church. I know few people who are more dedicated or harder working than Robert. His gifting and skills are clear, being evidenced through the powerful ways that God has used him in the lives of so many people. If you are looking for someone to help motivate church people to move beyond the pew to impact their neighborhoods and communities for Christ, Robert is your man. Please give serious consideration to Robert Newberry as the evangelist for your next revival or evangelistic event."*

**Rev. Ron G. Marsh, Sr. Pastor, 1st Baptist Church**  
– El Dorado Springs, MO

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**James H. Ogan**  
*Ogan Ministries*



**Types of Ministry:**  
Preaching Evangelist,  
Gospel Music Specials

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Shell Knob, MO 65747

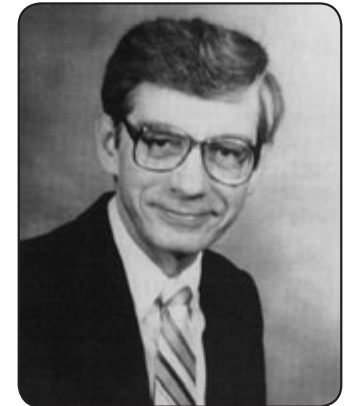
**Phone:** 417-858-6566  
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**Spouse:** Suzy  
**Years in Ministry:** 33    **Years in Evangelism:** 33  
**Home Church:** FBC, Shell Knob

*"I have had the honor of being Brother James Ogan's pastor for 16 years. I have known Brother James Ogan for over 17 years and he is a true Man of God. James has been a member of First Baptist Church of Shell Knob, Missouri for over 22 years, where he is actively involved in teaching and filling the pulpit when time allows him. Brother James Ogan has a burden for evangelism for lost souls. Not only does he preach the Word, he also has a singing voice that will calm the soul. It is an honor to recommend*

*Brother James Ogan to your church."*  
**Bob Gaddis, Pastor, 1st Baptist Church**  
**– Shell Knob, MO**

**Dr. Robert Payne**  
*Midwest Evangelism*



**Types of Ministry:**  
Preaching, Music,  
Bible Conferences

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Columbia, MO 65203

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**Spouse:** Phyllis  
**Years in Ministry:** 57    **Years in Evangelism:** 28  
**Home Church:** Concord Baptist, Jefferson City, MO

*"Bob Payne is the kind of evangelist needed in our day ... His preaching is sound and balanced. Our people were stirred, convicted and blessed by his ministry among us. You and your church will be blessed as God uses him in your midst."*

**Dr. Robert F. Curtis, Former Pastor, Ballwin Baptist Church**  
**– Ballwin, MO**  
Former President of the Missouri Baptist Convention



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## Ron & Janis Shrum

*Ron Shrum Evangelistic Association*



### Types of Ministry:

Revivals, Bible & Evangelism  
Conferences, Church Growth  
Seminars & Music

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**Spouse:** Janis - Concerts, Lead Music in Worship, Specials

**Years in Ministry:** 58    **Years in Evangelism:** 11

**Home Church:** Miner Baptist Church, Sikeston, MO

*"Ron is a wonderful preacher and a great servant of the Lord.  
I recommend him to you wholeheartedly."*

**Mitchell Jackson, Pastor, Miner Baptist Church**  
– Miner, MO

## Bob & JoAnn Tolliver



### Types of Ministry:

Global Preaching, Evangelism &  
Missions

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JoAnn: grandma12@pobox.com

**Spouse:** JoAnn

**Years in Ministry:** 60    **Years In Evangelism:** 36

**Home Church:** Wellspring Baptist Fellowship, Bolivar, MO

*"Bob Tolliver is a gifted communicator as speaker & writer,  
having a rich deposit of understanding born out of a deep well of  
experience with the Lord & in church life, from which he offers the  
living water of truth. I have known him for 48 years & know His walk  
with the Lord is profound, & faithfulness to the Lord consistent with the  
message he shares with today's church. Use him and be blessed!"*

**Jim Hylton, Fort Worth, TX Conference speaker, Pastor Advisor**

*"Karen and I have personally known & have been directly involved in  
supporting "Life Unlimited Ministries" over the past years. Bob  
has ministered in churches where I have served and has always been  
a great blessing to them. I encourage any pastor to have Bob &  
JoAnn Tolliver in their church. Your church will be blessed!"*  
**Norm Howell, Branson, MO Skyline Church, former missionary**

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## Donald F. Walton



**Types of Ministry:**  
Preaching

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**Spouse:** Lauren

**Years In Ministry:** 44    **Years In Evangelism:** 23

**Home Church:** Broadway Baptist Church, Oak Grove, MO

*"Don Walton is an evangelist whom I can gladly recommend to any pastor or church. Weeks after our revival services people were still giving thanks to God in our prayer meeting for Bro. Don's ministry to our church."*

**Rev. Brian Law, Pastor, Parkview Baptist Church  
– DeSoto, MO**

## Christian Watchman



**Types of Ministry:**  
Revivals, Preaching,  
Discipleship

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**Spouse:** Ashley

**Years in Ministry:** 4    **Years in Evangelism:** 1

**Home Church:** Crossway Baptist Church, Springfield

*"I would like to recommend Christian Watchman to you. He is a member of the church I pastor and I've had the opportunity to observe him over the last few years. He is a fine Christian man, husband and father. He was a faithful member of the Crossway Equip class which is a class for young men who have felt the call to ministry. He's been involved in several outreach events sponsored by our church. I truly sense his genuine call to teach and preach the good news of the Gospel."*

**Dr. Eddie Bumpers, Pastor, Crossway Baptist Church  
– Springfield, MO**

*"It is my honor to recommend Christian Watchman to become a part of your organization. Christian is a faithful and vibrant servant in our church fellowship. He is a great preacher/teacher of the Word and has a heart for lost souls. He has made his calling to evangelism known to our church and it is obvious God's hand is on this young man."*

**Pastor Paul Scheaffer, Minister of Discipleship & Missions,  
Crossway Baptist Church  
– Springfield, MO**



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## Bob & Millie White

*White Evangelistic Ministries*

### Types of Ministry:

Music, Drama, Preaching, Bible Conferences

### Bible Conference Topics:

Prophecy, Prayer & Acts 1:8

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**Cell:** 417-545-1492

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**Spouse:** Millie - Drama, Music

**Years in Ministry:** 42   **Years in Evangelism:** 18

**Home Church:** FBC, Hollister

We have a trailer for housing, we will need a water hookup & a 30 amp connection for electricity.

*"Bob is a preacher of the gospel, a student of the Word, and a man of prayer who relates well to people of all ages. I think God will use him to bless any church."*

**James Locke, Pastor, First Baptist Church**  
– Forsyth, MO



## Jacob Willard

*Preaching, Teaching Evangelist*

### Types of Ministry:

Revivals, Conferences, Evangelism Training/Consultation

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**Spouse:** Kristin

**Years In Ministry:** 2   **Years In Evangelism:** 2

**Home Church:** Antioch Bible Baptist

*"Jake Willard is a humble servant of the Lord. His ministry will surely bless any church or group. He is a faithful evangelist on the street, door-to-door, and in the pulpit, in addition to the classroom and the study. I heartily recommend him to you for revivals, personal evangelism training, teaching and leading evangelism, and even historical workshops on evangelists! You will be blessed if you invite him to speak in your setting."*

**Dr. Tom Johnston, Professor of Evangelism**  
– **Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary**

*"Without reservation, I wholeheartedly recommend Jacob Willard for membership in the Fellowship of Missouri Baptist Evangelists. Jacob is a faithful and active member at Antioch Bible Baptist Church. He definitely has a passion for the lost and a desire to reach them with the gospel of Jesus Christ. Presently, Jacob serves as our part-time Evangelism Director leading door-to-door teams and various outreach events to advance the gospel. He coordinated our Easter Weekend guest follow-up and is leading a new believers group. Over the years, Jacob and his wife Kristin have served in Children's Ministry and Jacob served a three year term as a deacon. Kristin is also supportive of Jacob's call to ministry and evangelism. If you have any questions or desire clarification, you may contact me at 816-213-8428 or bobbai@abb.org."*

**Robert A. Baier, Antioch Bible Baptist Church**  
– Gladstone, MO



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## *Some things to consider...*

### *Why have an itinerant evangelist?*

The New Testament gives us the first century church's endorsement and precedent for the ministry of itinerant evangelism (Ephesians 4:11-16). The evangelist himself testifies to God's call on his life to do the work of an evangelist. An evangelist's experience and expertise gained through many revivals in different situations can be of great help and value to a church.

### *What benefit can an evangelist offer?*

Most evangelists have materials available to help your church prepare for a revival. Ask them if they have promotional media and preparation packets.

### *How do I schedule an evangelist?*

Every aspect of the revival should be discussed during the initial contact in an open and up front manner. Discuss the dates you wish to book, travel arrangements, meals, housing, and financial policies. The best way to avoid a misunderstanding is to have a clear understanding from the beginning.



### *Can our church afford an evangelist?*

Most evangelists will come on a love offering basis. This should consist of offering people an opportunity to give in each service throughout the week.

It is very helpful to the evangelist if the Pastor will include the following facts before the offering is collected:

- Most evangelists do not receive allowances and benefits that are normally part of a church staff member's salary package. They do not receive housing, utilities, health or hospital insurance, a retirement program, or travel expenses.
- Most evangelists support their families through love offerings.
- Most evangelists are only in 20-30 meetings a year.

The love offering is an expression of love given from the people to the evangelist. It should not be used to pay for revival expenses, publicity and preparation, fellowship meals, lodging, or meals for the evangelist. If the church has more than one evangelist for the week, make sure both parties have a clear understanding at the time of the initial contact, how the love offering is to be divided.

If your church has a specific financial policy other than a love offering basis, be sure to explain all details during the initial contact with the evangelist.

