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Employment

10/13-pres *Church of the Oaks*, 841 Rosita Rd., Del Rey Oaks CA 93940. Senior Pastor (also Associate Pastor 06/00-07/04, 10/10-10/13). Ordained Congregational Minister, adult Sunday School teacher. Officiated at weddings and funerals, baptisms, the Lord's Supper. Pulpit supply at this church and at others. Have preached in California, in Oregon, in England, and in Hungary.

07/98-10/13 *Monterey Bay Christian School*, 1184 Hilby Ave., Seaside CA 93955. Teacher of English, speech, Spanish, Latin, mathematics, history, Bible. ACSI lifetime Professional Educator's Certificate (English, Bible, Spanish).

01/06-10/07 *Lighthouse Baptist Church*, 1030 Hilby Ave., Seaside. Minister of Education. (Interim Pastor 7/06-10/07.) Small-group leader. Sunday School teacher.

06/05-07/05 *Barnstaple Methodist Circuit*, Barnstaple, North Devon, England. Supply Preacher. Preached seven times at five different churches over 5 Sundays.

12/76-12/97 *Social Security Administration*, Branch Office 067, Carmel CA. Claims Representative. Retired 12/30/97.

Other experience: Graduate Fellow (seminary grader), substitute teacher, school janitor, substitute custodian, census-taker, registration assistant, firefighter, ambulance attendant, dishwasher, busboy, stockboy, houseboy, paperboy.

Military Service

04/68-01/72 *U.S. Navy*. Communications Technician: clerical and other duties in military communications field. (Inactive Reserve 12/67-3/68 and 2/72-12/73.) Honorable discharge. (Member, American Legion Post 591.)

02/11-06/15 *California State Military Reserve*. Chaplain (captain).

Education

03/03-11/10 *Trinity Theological Seminary*, Newburgh, Indiana. Doctor of Ministry, 11/10. Member, National Omicron-Psi Honor Society.

09/95-06/00 *Western Seminary*, San Jose. M.Div., 6/2000. Grad. with highest honors.

09/72-06/75 *San José State University*. BA English, 6/74. Graduated with great distinction. (Elected to The Honor Society of ΦΚΦ.) California Standard Teaching Credential (secondary English), 6/75.

07/68-06/69 *Defense Language Institute*, Monterey. Graduated with honors.

02/98-12/98 *Piedmont College*, Demorest, Georgia. Congregational History and Polity, 3 graduate units.

09/65-06/67 *University of California*, Santa Cruz. 75 quarter units.

Community Activities

*Community Emergency Response Team (CERT)* Member (10/12-present).

*Church of the Oaks* (1/08-10/10): Assisting Minister.

*Monterey Care Center* (8/04-6/08): Volunteer Protestant Chaplain. Conducted worship 3-4 Sundays per month. Was available on call as needed.

*Hilltop United Methodist Church*, Seaside (1982-1997): Annual Conference member, worship leader, choir member, newsletter editor, children's Sunday School teacher, Pastor-Parish Relations chairman, Trustees president, church historian, membership secretary, Certified Lay Speaker, Class Leader, evangelism-team member, Energizing Lay Ministry (ELM) graduate [Conference Lay Ministry Program].

- Newspaper columnist four years (1989-1993) with *Seaside Sentinel*, published author.
- Economic Development Commission, City of Seaside (9/85-6/88).
- Candidate for City Council twice (1988, 1990).
- Adult volunteer, Boy Scout Troops 618 and 80; Assistant Cubmaster, Pack 80 (1979-1992).
- Deputy Governor, Monterey Bay Colony, Society of Mayflower Descendants (1995).

Languages

Lived in Spain, read and speak Spanish adequately. Studied French: good reading comprehension.

Family: Married, two grown sons.