

Dale Jenkins

Preacher/Author/Encourager



STATEMENT

I am a minister. Period. We weren't made to do life alone. I believe that the gospel is God's power to save men and women and that everyone must hear it. Any teaching and preaching should always point people to Jesus. By the grace of God I have been blessed to preach for nearly 40 years. I have focused on the local church and the last 10 years have spent much time working with other ministers to grow, encourage and help equip them. I want to spend the rest of my life encouraging the preaching and teaching of the Word - growing ministers, training ministers, equipping leaders. I believe it's what God has equipped me to do.

EDUCATION

1980 | HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA

Jefferson Christian Academy, Birmingham, AL

1984 | BACHELOR OF ARTS (BIBLE)

Freed-Hardeman University

2017

MASTER OF ARTS | Amridge University

FAMILY

Wife:

The former Melanie Romine of Roanoke, AL. Her father, Gerald, has preached for the past 60 years for the Roanoke church. Melanie and Dale have been married since 1982

Children:

Philip, married to the former Laura Manning. Children: Lucas (age 6) and Holley (age 5). Philip is the Youth and Family Minister at the Mt. Juliet Church of Christ

Andrew, married to the former Kadee Barber. Child: Mamie Grace (age 2) Andrew is the Youth and Family Minister at the Woodson Chapel Church of Christ

PROFESSIONAL

1984-1988

EVA CHURCH OF CHRIST

Pulpit Minister | Eva, AL

1988-1997

HAMILTON CHURCH OF CHRIST

Pulpit Minister | Hamilton, AL

1997-2006

GRANNY WHITE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Pulpit Minister | Nashville, TN

PRESENT WORK

Pulpit Minister of the Spring Meadows Church of Christ since 2006 with this church plant of 40 members. Today the attendance averages over 400+.

Founder and officer with The Jenkins Institute. Mission Statement: "Serving God's Servants." Conducting BETTER (preaching, family, leadership) Conferences, do minister research, host podcasts, publish ON Magazine, publish 4youR Monday, run The Scoop Blog (we've helped over a thousand churches find their next minister), host Ministers and Mocha, conduct preacher counseling sessions and more

BOARDS & ORGANIZATIONS

Heritage Christian University

Maywood Christian Camp

Freed-Hardeman University Advisory Board

Brotherhood News
One Word Publications
Exposure Youth Camp
International Gospel Hour Advisory Board

AGAPE of North Alabama 1986-87
EQUIP Involvement Ministers' Workshop 2010-2012
Emcee of Challenge Youth Conference, a gathering of 15,000 Christians

Emcee of Exposure Youth Camp, a gathering of 2,100 young people
Keynoter at Freed-Hardeman University Lectureships Preacher Therapy

Director and Moderator of Middle Tennessee Ministry Luncheon

National Coordinator Winner's Circle Speech Lads to Leaders

MEDIA WORK

Speaker, Message of Love, one minute radio spots (2000-2007)

Speaker, Abundant Life, thirty second television spots (1998-2004)

Moments of Truth, radio program (1986, 87)

The Hamilton Herald, 15 minute daily radio program (1988-92)

Speaker, Abundant Life, Sunday evening television program (1997)

Host of Ministers and Mocha

Founder of TheEquipNetwork

Host of iPreach, Ministry Geek and The Jenkins Institute Podcast on Preaching and Ministry

PUBLICATIONS & BOOKS

Author:

Never Surrender

Never Had A Friend Like Him

Love Can Build A Bridge

Seven Habits of Highly Effective Spiritual People (unpublished)

Promise Publishers adult VBS material for 5 year

A Minister's Heart (published by 21st Century Christian)

A Youth Minister's Heart

A Mother's Heart

A Father's Heart

All I Ever Wanted to Do Was Preach

I Hope You Have To Pinch Yourself

Don't Quit On A Monday

The Preacher as Counselor

5 Secrets and A Decision

Centered: Marking Your Map in A Muddled World

Editor:

Power Points for New Life - 21st Century Christian Adult Curriculum

ON Preaching and Ministry by TJI

Published in:

The Words Of Truth, Vigil, The World Evangelist, The Deaf Disciple, Carolina Christian, Gospel Advocate, Journal Record, The Voice of Truth

MISSION WORK

Campaigns to:

Belize, Central America, 1980

Carricou, Grenada, 1985

Taylorville, IL, 1986, 87

Antigua, 1990, 92

Guyana, 1992

Barbados, 1991

Russia, Ukraine Director, 1992, 93, 94, 95

India, February 1996

Nigeria 2007

Guatemala 2010

Nigeria 2011

El Salvador 2014, 15, 16, 17

Tanzania 2015

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REFERENCES

Milton Sewell

Russ Blackwell

Billy Smith

Dan Winkler