

# Curriculum Vitae

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## ***PERSONAL DATA***

Birth Date: August 17, 1958  
Married: Karen Leigh Sisson, June 20, 1982  
The University of Memphis, Business Major  
Customer Service Representative, Erwin Insurance Agency, Covington, LA  
  
Children: Allison Whitney; Courtney Elizabeth; Emily Brooke  
Hobbies: Reading, woodworking, and pellet air rifles  
Organizations: ETS

## ***EDUCATION DATA***

High School: Valedictorian, Kirk Academy, Grenada, Mississippi, 1976  
B.B.A.: The University of Mississippi, 1979  
Mississippi College (1976-77)  
Cerritos College (German, 1986)  
M.Div.: Golden Gate Baptist Theological Seminary, 1987  
Ph.D.: Mid-America Baptist Theological Seminary, 1994  
Major: **Old Testament Literature and Languages** (2 years), studying Hebrew language, epigraphy, and philology in the light of Ugaritic and Akkadian.  
Minors: **New Testament**, with seminars on the language, hermeneutics, background, and theology of the *Pauline Corpus* and the *Synoptic Gospels*; **Theology**, with a seminar on the *Biblical Theology of the Old and New Testaments*; and **Middle Egyptian Language and Literature**, with a seminar in *Middle Egyptian Grammar* (taken at the University of Memphis, Memphis, Tennessee).  
Dissertation: "An Investigation of Resurrection Language and imagery in the Old Testament in the Light of Its Ancient Near Eastern Literary Background."  
Post-Ph.D.: The University of Memphis, 1994-1997  
(1) Completed two years of seminar work in *Middle Egyptian Grammar* of literary and non-literary Middle Kingdom texts under Edward Bleiberg, working through Erhard Graefe's "Standard-Theory."

- (2) Completed two additional seminars under Bill Murnane: *Ancient Near Eastern Historiography* and *Ancient Near Eastern Egyptian History: The Amarna Letters*
- (3) Completed one seminar with John Campbell in rhetorical history and theory, *The History of Rhetorical Thought*.

### ***PUBLICATION DATA***

Awards: 1<sup>st</sup> Place, Student Papers; Evangelical Theological Society SE Regional Meeting, 1993

Papers/Conference Presented:

“Hosea, A Prophet with Style: Rhetoric and the Prophetic Message” at the 1993 Nat’l Evangelical Theological Society Meeting in Washington, D.C.

“Literary Structure of the Book of Isaiah as the Hermeneutical Key To Understanding the Prophetic Message” at the 1994 Nat’l Evangelical Theological Society meeting in Chicago, Ill.

“Stemming the Tide of Ignorance: Empowering New Believers To Know Truth (Ephesians’ Use of Ezekiel 33-48),” at the 2001 Southeast Regional ETS meeting, Memphis, TN.

With Adam Harwood. "I Saw Satan Fall": A Biblical & Systematic Investigation of the Possible Intertextual Reference in Isaiah 14 and Ezekiel 27-28 to the Satanic/Adamic Fall” at Regional ETS, 2017, New Orleans, LA.

“What Can We Learn from Gender Issues in the Book of Ruth” at National ETS, Fall 2021, Fort Worth, TX.

Four lectures and two sermons for Baptist University of Florida in the Spring 2024 conference on “Old Testament Theology: ‘Does OT Theology Matter Anymore?’”

Book Reviews: Mid-America Theological Journal 17 (1993), 18 (1994), and 19 (1995).

Articles: “Hosea, A Prophet with Style: Rhetoric and the Prophetic Message,” Mid-America Theological Journal 17 (1993): 51-62.

“Hosea 13: Preparation for Contemporary Expository Preaching,” Mid-America Theological Journal 17 (1993): 63-78. (Co-authored with C. Lamar Frizzell).

“Amos Studies in the Twentieth Century,” Mid-America Theological Journal 19 (1995): 41-50.

Publications: Editor of *Holman Illustrated Bible Dictionary*, 2003

*The Eerdmans Bible Dictionary*, 1987, s.v. “Hophni” and “Phinehas.”

Holman Christian Standard Bible. Book of Nehemiah. Hebrew translator.

Broadman and Holman, 2003.

Modern English Bible. Ezra, Nehemiah, and Esther. Hebrew translator and section editor. Passio Press (Charisma House), 2014.

Chapter in “Anchored to the Text: A Tribute to Richard R. Melick, Jr.: “The Righteous, by HIS Faithfulness, Will Live’: Habakkuk 2:4 Re-examined.”

“Introduction to the Book of Amos,” in *The Hebrew Scriptures* (Magahan Publishing), 2020.

“Obadiah: Introduction and Commentary” in the NET Bible project, Thomas Nelson, forthcoming, 2023.

“Jonah: Introduction and Commemoration” in the NET Bible project, Thomas Nelson, forthcoming, 2023.

Served as the revising editor for the NET Notes project, Thomas Nelson, forthcoming, for “Judges, 1-2 Samuel, 1-2 Kings, and 1-2 Chronicles, 2024.

### ***MINISTRY DATA***

#### **Pastor:**

2009-2024	Pastor, Grace Community Baptist Church, Mandeville, LA
2005-2009	FBC, Marrero, LA (Co-Pastor)
1994-1997	Pastor, Salem Baptist Church, Henning, TN (Bi-Vocational)
1990-1994	Belen Baptist Church, Belen, MS
1988-1989	Pastor, Blythe Creek Baptist Church, Mathiston, MS
1985-1987	Pastor, First Southern Baptist Church, Cudahy, CA

#### **Interim Pastor & Extended Supply:**

2004-2005	Immanuel Baptist Church, Hammond, Louisiana
2003	First Baptist Church, Marrero, LA
1998	Jackson Memorial Baptist Church, Campobello, SC
1998-2000	Camp Creek Baptist Church, Taylors, SC
1998	Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church, Landrum, SC
1990.	Hillside Baptist Church, La Puente, CA

#### **Staff Positions:**

1982-1984	Worship Intern for Preschool Dept., Bellevue Baptist Church, Memphis, TN
1982	Evangelism Assistant, East Park Baptist Church

### ***TEACHING EXPERIENCE DATA***

New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, New Orleans, LA

2007-2024 Professor of Old Testament and Hebrew (J. Wash Watts Chair)

2018-2021 Divisional Associate Dean, Biblical Studies Division

2001-2006 Associate Professor of Old Testament and Hebrew (J. Wash Watts Chair)

North Greenville University, Tigerville, SC

2001. Associate Professor, Christian Studies Division

1999. Assistant Professor, Christian Studies Division

Mid-America Baptist Theological Seminary, Memphis, TN

1995-1997, Adjunct Instructor, Old Testament/Research and Writing

1994-1995, Adjunct Instructor, Old Testament Department

1993-1994, Adjunct Instructor, Old Testament Department

1992-1993, Supervised teaching, fulfilling Doctoral Program requirements

1991-1994, Teaching Assistant for Dr. Larry L. Walker, OT and Semitic Studies

1991-1992, Teaching Assistant for Dr. Richard R. Melick, Jr., New Testament and Greek

University of Arkansas, Little Rock, AR (Guest Lecturer, Philosophy and Religion Dept.)

1993-1994, "World of the New Testament" (Fall, 1993)

Leffingwell Christian High School, Norwalk, CA 1986-88; 1989-90

Teacher in Math, English, and Bible

### ***OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE DATA***

1990-1997, Askew Properties (Realty Leasing), Leasing and Property Management

1982-1986, Christian Discount Book Center, Clerk...Assistant Manager

1980-1981, First Tennessee Bank, Internal Audit Division, Staff Accountant

1979-1981, Ernst and Young, C.P.A. Firm, Staff Accountant (formerly, Ernst and Ernst)