

BIOGRAPICAL SKETCH



Jack was born in Orlando, Florida, July 8, 1937. A member of the Boy Scouts of America he was awarded the Eagle Scout badge. He graduated from The Citadel in 1959 and was commissioned as a 2nd Lt of Infantry in the US Army. In December 1979, he retired from the U. S. Army as a Lt. Col, after twenty years of service. He commanded parachute infantry units at platoon, company, and battalion levels where his last two assignments were as a Battalion Commander in the 82nd Airborne Division and finally, as Deputy Commander, 5th Special Forces (“Green Berets”). Jack was awarded the Silver Star for gallantry in action, the Legion of Merit, the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Bronze Star for Valor with six oak leaf Clusters, and the Purple Heart.

He has also earned Master’s Degrees from both American University and Central Michigan, served as a Certified Financial Planner (CFP), and as an Adjunct Professor at both Webster University and Campbell University. Jack served as the Executive Director of Men’s Ministries of the Pentecostal Holiness Church (IPHC), a position he held from 1985 to 2005. In 2006 he was awarded the Lifetime Achievement Award from the National Coalition of Men’s Ministries (NCMM). NCMM is a network of denominational and para church ministries which represents more than half of the churches in the United States, and the Commander Bill Linn Award from the Royal Ranger Ministry (IPHC) for shaping the lives of boys. His recent position has been as the Vice President of Advancement/Director of Development for Holmes Bible College from April 2007 to December 31, 2008. .

Jack and his wife, Lynn, are members of the Northwood Temple Church, where he served on the church staff from 1981 to 1985 as an Associate Pastor.

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