

David and Becky Pitts



Dave and Becky were both born into families that were active in The Church of the Nazarene. Several of Dave's extended family have served in ministry and in missions in the Church of the Nazarene. Becky's father was an ordained minister.

Dave was in the USAF when they met on River Street in Bourbonnais, Illinois, as Becky was walking home from summer classes at Olivet Nazarene University. They were introduced by Becky's co-worker (who was also Dave's sister-in-law) at Riverside Hospital in Kankakee where she worked as an LPN. They married in 1968 after Dave completed a tour of duty in Taiwan. The following summer he was assigned a tour of duty in Viet Nam.

After completing service in the USAF, and returning to his preservice employment, both Dave and Becky felt that God was calling them to dedicate their lives to some area of ministry. This led to Dave attending and graduating from Nazarene Bible College, Colorado Springs, Colorado.

Dave served as an Associate Minister in Ohio, Colorado, Illinois, and Alabama. He was ordained as a Deacon in the Church of the Nazarene by the North Alabama District in 1986. He retired from Gardendale (Alabama) Church of the Nazarene in 2012 where he served since 1979. Becky served in many areas in the Gardendale Church: Sunday School teacher, Board Member, and was NMI president for 13 years. She was involved in the Alabama North District NMI Council for many years. Both Dave and Becky have been on Work & Witness trips with Dave going on 17 trips and Becky on 3. Their membership remains with the Gardendale Church.

After their move to Alabama, Becky returned to school to become an RN. She retired from nursing in 2006 after working in areas of nursing for 42 years, 25 of those years as a RN at Medical Center East, Birmingham, Alabama.

Dave and Becky have been married for 51 years and have 2 adult children and 3 adult grandchildren. They joined ROAM in 2018 and have served at both Indian Lake Nazarene Camp and Lake Placid Camp and Conference Center. The Pitts live full time in a 5th wheel RV, and they plan on continuing with ROAM as God gives the health and strength to do so.