



# New Hope Christian Church

Disciples Making Disciples

My wife Debbie and I have been happily married for 42 years, and live just west of Whitestown. We have 2 sons, Jayson and Nick, who grew up attending New Hope. They are both married and live in central Indiana. At this time, we have the honor of having Debbie's 91 year old mother live with us, and we love creating memories with her and our 3 grandchildren.

Prior to coming to New Hope in 1990, Debbie and I were members and active with the ministry at Heritage Christian Church in Mooresville, Indiana. At New Hope, I have served as a deacon, elder, adult Sunday school teacher, small group leader, and as chairman of the finance team. All of these areas of service have allowed me to grow in my spiritual walk with the Lord, and I have truly enjoyed the special relationships the positions have generated with other Godly leaders and staff.

I recently retired, as a General Manager of Operations, after 18 years from Texon, a petroleum blending company based out of Houston, Texas. Before Texon, I worked for 24 years with Indiana Gas (Vectren). I consider myself blessed to be serving in a church that is very much alive with His spirit.

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