

Meet Ivan A. Rogers

Biography



Ivan A. Rogers graduated from a college of theology in June 1952 and was ordained to Christian ministry the following year. He, then, together with his wife, Elsie, served as pastor of several churches for the next 15 years. In 1968, Ivan was called by his church denomination to serve as World Evangelism Coordinator. Later, Ivan accepted a call to become the administrator of a large nursing and retirement community. During this time, Ivan completed courses in Gerontology and Nursing Home Administration at the University of Iowa and successfully completed the required exam as a qualified

and licensed NH Administrator.

In 1973 Ivan was elected as executive director of an eight-state area of churches, a position he held until 1994. Concurrently he also accepted the additional assignment to serve as president of a denominational Bible College ('73-'78). Ivan has served many other offices, boards and ministries over the years, including: President of Iowa Association of Evangelicals ('80-'82); Chairman of Christian Service Foundation, and as founder and president of Good Report Ministries. Ivan is also respected in the field of Jewish-Christian relations. He continues to serve as emeritus member of the executive committee of the National Christian Leadership Conference for Israel (1986 to the present).

Though supposedly retired in 1994, Ivan and Elsie have remained very active in ministry. In January 2005, Ivan accepted the call to become staff chaplain of a large nursing and retirement community, a position he served for five years. He is also the published author of three books: *Judas Iscariot Revisited and Restored* (2008); *Dropping Hell and Embracing Grace* (2012); and, *Grace Nuggets Uncovered* (2016). All books available from Amazon.com and Kindle ready.

Ivan and Elsie have been married 66 years and are parents to three sons and a daughter; nine grandchildren and twenty great-grandchildren.

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