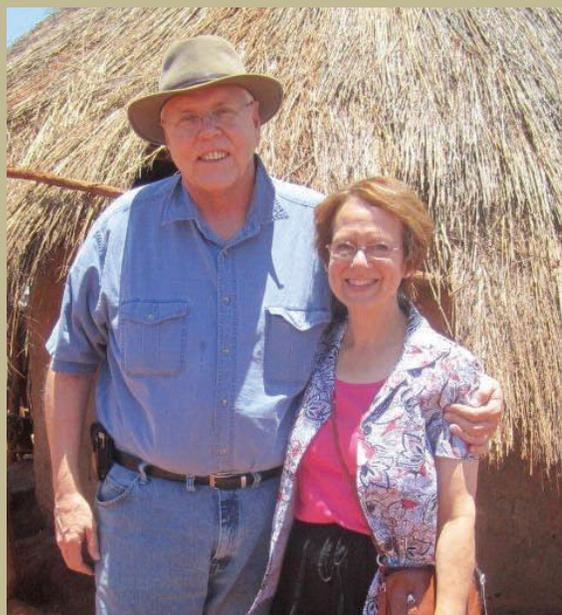


Steve and Toby Hopper with Global Training Network, Texas

Steve and Toby established their family in 1974 and have been in ministry throughout their marriage. The Hoppers are empty-nesters and proud parents of three sons, two daughters-in-law and three grandsons.

Their story started in Mississippi teaching Bible in a Christian high school. From there, they traveled to Kentucky where Steve graduated from Asbury Seminary in 1977. Directly after graduation they began their pastoral ministry in the beautiful Pacific Northwest pastoring two churches in Washington and Idaho. After 6 years they returned to Steve's spiritual roots in MO where they were on the pastoral staff in his home church for 10 years. Following this pastorate they joined the staff of Crossroads Fellowship where they ministered for 14 years in various roles.



In 2004, Toby and Steve went to Ukraine on a short-term mission trip with Global Aid Network, (GAIN) the relief and development arm of Campus Crusade for Christ/Cru. They had always dreamed of being on the mission field together but that wasn't what God had planned for them until 2005 when they became missionaries with GAIN, making their home in Dallas, Texas at the GAIN USA office. Both of them traveled extensively several times a year ministering to people and supporting churches.

Throughout their ministry as a pastor and missionaries they have had a great heart for training, mentoring, resourcing and encouraging pastors, and their wives. Steve has been involved training pastors and helping leaders internationally to become all they can be in Christ so that they can win others, build up the Body of Christ and help the church support their communities. Toby has a wonderful heart for people and has been nurturing pastor's wives and other women throughout their entire marriage as well as pastor's wives overseas. In 2013, Steve and Toby felt called to Global Training Network which focuses on developing leaders who will be able to fulfill 2 Tim. 2:2, "And the things that you have heard me say in the presence of many witnesses entrust to faithful men who will be able to teach others also."

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