








**The 2017 Heaven's Family Reunion Directory
of Ministry Staff and Spouses**


	<p>Adiukwu, Charles</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Charles is married to Ugonma. They have 3 children: Charles Jr., Chinnoya, and Christopher. Charles Jr. is married to Bridget. • He and Ugonma have been residents of Houston, TX for over 14 years. • Charles is a minister of the gospel and an investment advisor with TransAmerica Financial Advisors Inc. He is also the link that God used to bring Ugonma to Heaven's Family. He was on David Servant's mailing list and forwarded her the e-mail David sent in search of a CFO.
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	<p>Adiukwu, Ugonma Chief Financial Officer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ugonma is married to Charles. They have 3 children: Charles Jr., Chinnoya, and Christopher. Charles Jr. is married to Bridget. • She lives in Houston, Texas. Before immigrating from Nigeria, Ugonma spent time in the Baltimore and Silver Spring areas of Maryland. • Ugonma is the Chief Financial Officer of Heaven's Family. She and Charles are very involved with teaching and missions and volunteer with Today Evangelical Ministries, Inc., a Houston, Texas based organization.
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	<p>Barker, Philip Orphan's Tear Ministry Myanmar Director</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • He is married to Sandie. • Philip is British and relocated to Myanmar in May 2016. • Philip manages a team who are working to safely reintegrate children who are living in orphanages, into family care. He is also a trustee of Heaven's Family in the United Kingdom.
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	<p>Barker, Sandie</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • She is married to Philip. • Sandie is British and moved to Myanmar in May 2016. • Sandie supports Philip in his role as Orphan's Tear Project Manager.
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	<p>Bradford, Homer Regional Representative</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • He is married to Beth and is the father of Thomas. • Homer lives in Indiana. • Homer has served the Church by leading a home fellowship and filling in as a pastor where his family currently attends worship. He has been blessed through Heaven's Family because of its faithfulness in making disciples of Jesus Christ.
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	<p>Collins, Bob Director of the Prison & Rehab Ministry</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bob has been married to the lovely and gracious Carole Collins for over 40 years. They have four children and ten grandchildren. • He lives in Lindale, Texas. The area is home to Mercy Ships, YWAM North America, World Challenge, and several smaller ministries. • The Lord has been opening doors for Bob to win souls and make disciples in Cameroon, Rwanda, Kenya, DR Congo, and Cuba through the Prison & Rehab Ministry. Bob also serves as a certified volunteer chaplain for the largest maximum security prison in Texas.
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	<p>Collins, Carole Director of the Leprosy Ministry</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Carole has been married to Bob for over 40 years, and they have ten grandchildren, the joy of their lives. • She and Bob live in the piney woods of east Texas where they are privileged to work with many friends from Mercy Ships and YWAM. • Carole finds the ministry she directs to be a rewarding avenue for serving some of the most rejected and destitute of the "least of these." Together, she and Bob have been youth pastors, associate pastors, marriage counselors, prison ministers, and pioneered two churches.
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	<p>Crandall, Jason</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jason is married to Kristin. • Jason lives in Virginia with his wife, Kristin, and their son Liam. He has also lived in Colorado and Tennessee with his family as a child. • He has received degrees in Theology and Business Administration, as well as earning a Bachelor's of Science in Accounting. He currently serves as the Regional Accountant of the Salvation Army's Southern Territory in Roanoke, Virginia.
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	<p>Crandall, Kristin Director of the Widows & Abandoned Women Ministry, Graphic Designer, Assistant Editor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kristin was born and raised in Pennsylvania. She now lives in Virginia with her husband Jason and their son Liam. • She received an Associates degree in Graphic Design from the Art Institute of Pittsburgh, and enjoys volunteering for those in need. • Kristin serves as Heaven's Family's graphic designer and Director of the Widows & Abandoned Women Ministry. She also serves as an editor, and often assists with web design.
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	<p>Croft, Ben Director of the North Korean Christians Ministry, Director of the Persecuted Christians Ministry</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ben is married to Laura. • Ben lives in Colorado. • He is the co-founder of the online Christian magazine, <i>Emmaus Mag</i>. Ben and Laura lead worship and record music together. He has a passion to aid those in need and is grateful for the opportunity to coordinate rescue efforts as a Heaven's Family ministry director.
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	<p>Forney, Burt</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Burt is married to Patty. Burt and Patty have been married for 32 years and have 7 grandchildren. • Burt has lived in Texas most of his life and has been blessed to be in relationships with the multiple ministries in the Lindale area. • Burt has served in many leadership capacities at the church he and Patty attend, Community Christian Fellowship. He has traveled often with Paul Baloche and lately with evangelist Chuck Perez. He is happy to be connected with Heaven's Family through his wife, Patty.
	<p>Forney, Patty <i>Director of the Victims of Sexual Violence Ministry</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Patty has been married to Burt, the kindest man on the planet, for 32 years. They were engaged in South Africa while on a mission trip! • Patty and Burt live in Garden Valley, Texas. • She was in Agape Force for 7 years, singing with Candle and Silverwind. Patty is blessed to be the director of Victims of Sexual Violence Ministry and hopes to help bring healing to those who have suffered in this way.
	<p>Haught, Ryan <i>Marketing Assistant</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ryan is the third oldest of six siblings. • He grew up in New Jersey and has lived in Eastern Pennsylvania for the past several years. • Ryan is passionate about using the web to help Christian nonprofits become more effective. Ryan works with C.J. to strengthen Heaven's Family's online outreach.
	<p>Janke, Kurt <i>Regional Representative</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kurt is married to Stephanie. • He manages and operates Kurt Janke Construction in Mesa, Arizona. • Kurt and Stephanie gave their lives to the Lord in 1993 and were baptized together. They have served with various ministries, participating in church planting, prison ministry, life group leadership, marriage ministries, and short-term mission building efforts with Heaven's Family.
	<p>Janke, Stephanie <i>Regional Representative</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stephanie is married to Kurt. • Stephanie and Kurt have lived in Mesa, Arizona since 2004. • She and Kurt have had a heart for global missions since their first trip abroad. Stephanie has traveled to and ministered to cross-cultural workers in the Middle East, Asia, South America, and Africa. She is a certified life coach and enjoys mentoring and discipling women.
	<p>Jefferson, Jerry <i>Assistant Director of the Farming God's Way Ministry</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jerry is married to Taquiya and they have four children, twin girls and two boys. • Jerry aka "Stay Humble" is a Christian hip hop artist and teacher. • Jerry grew up in New Kensington, PA and has a heart to impact his neighborhood for God's glory.
	<p>Jefferson, Taquiya</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Taquiya has been married to Jerry Jefferson since 2003. • Taquiya is very passionate about her family and loves being a mom and wife. • Taquiya believes that her testimony and life experience will be the key to her helping many other women and young girls with experiences like hers one day.
	<p>Kowalke, Steve <i>Chief Operating Officer, Heaven's Family Board of Trustees</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Steve is married to Karen, and his children are Alex, Madison, Nicole, and Holden. • He lives in Minneapolis, Minnesota. • Steve consults with a number of nonprofit and ministry organizations. He has been involved with Sonscape Retreats, MindShift, Blessing House Ministries, and his church.
	<p>Liberati, Jenna <i>Micro-Loan Ministry Financial Associate</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jenna is the proud, fun aunt to three adorable nephews and one precious niece. • She was raised and currently resides in Pittsburgh. • Jenna completed a Discipleship Training Program with YWAM, where she served and built relationships with refugees in Greece and local believers in Turkey. Locally, she recently served with PRISM, welcoming and sharing the love of Jesus with international women.
	<p>Matthews, Michelle</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Michelle is married to Todd, and they have six children. • Michelle lives in Pennsylvania. • God has used Michelle to bring healing, comfort, and encouragement to the many people she has ministered to in churches world wide. She is a great communicator who loves to tell people about the Kingdom.


	Matthews, Todd Director of the Unreached People Groups Ministry
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Todd is married to Michelle, and they have six children. • He lives in Pennsylvania. • Todd lived in China for 13 years as a missionary. He is dedicated to bringing the gospel to unreached people groups, such as the A-Che of China, as Director of both the Unreached People Groups Ministry of Heaven's Family and the His Feet International ministry.


	McDaniel, Charity
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Charity is married to C.J. and they have two sons, Liam and Declan, and a daughter, Eliana. • She has lived in Pennsylvania all of her life. • Charity graduated with degrees in Photography and Graphic Design. She applied her gifts to develop the first websites and photography for the ministry that would become Heaven's Family.


	McDaniel, C.J. Director of Web and Marketing
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • He is married to Charity and they have two sons, Liam and Declan, and a daughter, Eliana. • C.J. has lived in Pennsylvania for ten years but is originally from the great state of Texas. • He manages Heaven's Family's web, email marketing, and design teams making sure that its work and mission are well -communicated to thousands of existing and potential donors every month. He is also a consultant in the fields of design, marketing and author publishing.


	Parise, Carmen Director of the Disabilities Ministry, Vice President of Ministries, Heaven's Family Board of Trustees
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Carmen is married to Cheryl. They have three grown children. • He lives in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania but previously lived in Lancaster, Pennsylvania, Virginia and Kentucky. • Carmen glorifies the Lord for blessing him beyond belief in his three decades as an airline pilot. His prayer, out of gratitude to God, is to be led to share abundance with those in need.


	Parise, Cheryl
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cheryl is married to Carmen, and they have three grown children. • She lives in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania but has lived in Lancaster, Pennsylvania, Virginia and Kentucky. • God has given Cheryl a heart to share her faith through working with disabled children and the elderly. She is a special education teacher and volunteers at a nursing home where she runs social activities.

	Posti, Chris Heaven's Family Board of Trustees
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chris is married to Dave Walls. Her daughter, Elizabeth, is married to Dan Mazzei. • She lives in Pennsylvania and has also lived in California and Switzerland. • Chris is attending the International School of Ministry, is active in her church as a greeter, street witness, and an Angel Tree gift deliverer. She is self-employed as an executive coach, outplacement provider, and career counselor, all of which are part of her ministry.

	Walls, Dave
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dave is married to Chris Posti. • He lives in Pennsylvania, and has also lived in Germany. • He owns The Carriage Inn, a restaurant and catering business in Elizabeth, PA, as well as rental properties. His ministries involve helping the needy in his community, providing meals for various events at his church, and donating labor and materials for maintenance projects.

	Rychcik, Phil Donor and Staff Relations Specialist
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Phil is married to Charissa. • He lives in Pennsylvania and has resided in Missouri and Oregon. • Phil leads a life group and is a volunteer at the church he attends. Among his roles at Heaven's Family are personal assistant to David Servant, ministry representative for the Donor Relations Department, and technical writer for the Human Resources Department.

	Samuels, Dick Director of the Farming God's Way Ministry
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dick is married to Patti, and they have six children, 17 grandchildren, and one great grandchild. • He and Patti both grew up in eastern Ohio and live in Lower Burrell, Pennsylvania. • Dick and Patti began serving the "least of these" shortly after they were born again. Their home has been opened to foster kids, homeless men and women, recovering addicts, refugees, and others in need of a safe haven. Dick is a church pastor and an urban street minister.

	Samuels, Patti
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Patti is married to Dick. They have six children, 17 grandchildren, and one great grandchild. • Patti and Dick both grew up in eastern Ohio and live in Lower Burrell, Pennsylvania. • She has served as the Program Director for TryLife, a faith-based pregnancy resource center, and was a Heaven's Family ministry director. Patti and Dick opened their home and hearts to the "least of these" after being born again.

	<p>Scott, Diane Fulfillment Services, Director of the Food Ministry, Director of the Safe Water Ministry</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diane was led to the Lord by David Servant. • Diane lives in Pennsylvania. • Diane's first mission trip was to Haiti with a church David Servant pastored. She has since traveled extensively in the name of Jesus to bring sustenance and salvation through the Food and Safe Water Ministries to the "least of these."
	<p>Servant, Becky Director of the Refugee Ministry</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Becky is married to David. They have three children: Charity, Stephen, and Elisabeth and seven grandchildren. • She lives in Pennsylvania. • Becky has served in ministry alongside David planting and pastoring churches and developing the ministry of Heaven's Family. She has a heart for the plight of refugees and has assisted with their resettlement in the Pittsburgh area for over 15 years.
	<p>Servant, David Founder and President of Heaven's Family, Heaven's Family Board of Trustees</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • David is married to Becky. They have three children: Charity, Stephen, and Elisabeth and seven grandchildren. • David lives in Pennsylvania. • A former pastor, David planted three churches in the Pittsburgh area. He has traveled the world to serve the "least of these" referred to in Matthew 25. David has authored several books.
	<p>Servant, Israel (Daisy)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Daisy is married to Stephen. They have two sons, Christopher and Joshua. • She is from Myanmar. • Daisy speaks three languages and has a Bible school degree in Theology. She has been a volunteer with Heaven's Family in the past, but she now focuses her time on raising Christopher and Joshua.
	<p>Servant, Stephen Director of Information and Technology, Director of Orphan's Tear Ministry</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stephen is married to Daisy. They have two sons, Christopher and Joshua. • Stephen lives in Pennsylvania. • Stephen has been with Heaven's Family for over ten years. He is self-educated in videography. He met his wife Daisy while on his first trip to Myanmar.
	<p>Shepherd, Isaac Regional Director of the Micro-Loan Ministry</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Isaac is married to Sarah. • He is previously from São Paulo, Brazil. • Isaac grew up among street boys as a missionary kid in São Paulo, Brazil, where he lived for 15 years. He graduated from Wheaton College with his wife, Sarah, in 2014. He directs Heaven's Family's use of micro-finance in outreach to the "least of these."
	<p>Shepherd, Sarah Regional Director of the Micro-Loan Ministry</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sarah is married to Isaac. • She grew up in Pittsburgh. • Sarah worked at the Sargent Shriver National Center on Poverty Law for a year with Americorps VISTA. She now serves Heaven's Family as a Regional Director of the Micro-Loan Ministry alongside Isaac.
	<p>Smith, Terry Director of Human Resources and Accounts Payable</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Terry is the smitten mother of Kathryn, Rachel and Daniel Smith. • She was born in West Virginia, lived and vacations in Fort Lauderdale and Jacksonville, Florida, and happily lives in Mogadore, Ohio. • Terry has served with her administrative gifting as an overseer, business consultant and administrator of local churches, worldwide ministries, and Christian small businesses. She has served the church in various positions in pursuit of God and the outpouring of His love.
	<p>Steward, Dan Director of the Micro-Loan Ministry, Heaven's Family Board of Trustees</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dan is married to Terry. They are blessed with four children, two wonderful sons-in-law, and two incredible grandchildren. • He and Terry live in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. They enjoyed a three year work assignment living in Shanghai, China from 2009-2012. • Dan worked 33 years in two large international companies. After his Shanghai assignment, he and Terry felt called to retire early and join the staff at Heaven's Family. Being able to work in missions side-by-side in the Micro-Loan Ministry is an answer to prayer for them.
	<p>Steward, Terry Training and Education Director of the Micro-Loan Ministry</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Terry is married to Dan. They are blessed with four children, two wonderful sons-in-law, and two incredible grandchildren. • She and Dan live in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. They enjoyed a three year work assignment living in Shanghai, China from 2009-2012. • Terry has served for 30 years in volunteer and nonprofit ministry opportunities. She joined Heaven's Family's staff in February of 2013 as Director of the Widows & Abandoned Women Ministry. In 2015, Terry joined Dan as an assistant to the Micro-Loan Ministry.

**Biak, Chin Tial (Chin Chin)**

- Chin Chin is married to Joney.
- She resides in Yangon, Myanmar.
- She graduated from Dagon University, Myanmar with a Bachelor Degree in Economics. Chin Chin is a personal assistant to Joney and is serving as a treasurer for Heaven's Family and Orphan's Tear in Yangon. She is a caregiver at Mercy Home and teaches children there.

**Thawng Hup, Joney Orphan's Tear Ministry Supervisor**

- Joney [Jo-nee] is married to Chin Chin.
- He resides in Yangon, Myanmar.
- Joney has a Doctor of Ministry degree (Philippines) and has taught in several Bible schools. He is Director of Life Concern Orphanage and a micro-banker with Heaven's Family. Joney serves as a team leader of social workers integrating children from orphanages into families.

**Trotter, Jeff Director of the Disaster Relief Ministry, Co-Director of the Human Trafficking & Slavery Ministry, Editor**

- He is married to Karin. They have six awesome grown boys—two of whom have joined them on mission trips.
- Jeff, a resident of Pennsylvania, has also lived in New Jersey, Florida, Tennessee, Illinois, and Oklahoma.
- Jeff worked as a technical and copy writer, editor and graphic designer in the environmental industry prior to joining Heaven's Family. He now serves as editor-in-chief of the Heaven's Family Magazine and other publications, a senior photo-journalist, and director of ministries.

**Trotter, Karin Co-Director of the Human Trafficking & Slavery Ministry**

- Karin is married to Jeff. Together they have raised six boys and currently enjoy two awesome grandchildren.
- Karin was born and raised in Pittsburgh and now lives in Amish country—Mercer, Pennsylvania.
- She has 20 years of experience as a corporate administrator. Since 2009 Karin has served Heaven's Family as a regional representative, ministry director, and fundraising coordinator. She has helped with marketing, relationship building, and the organization of mission trips.

**Walker, Elisabeth**

- Elisabeth is married to Jody. She has a son named Jonathan and a foster child named Richard.
- She lives in Pennsylvania.
- Elisabeth is fluent in Spanish and a skilled photographer. Before becoming a full-time mother she served in a number of capacities at Heaven's Family, including Director of Orphan's Tear, Director of the Compassion Club, and Ministry Coach.

**Walker, Jody Director of Donor Relations**

- He is married to Elisabeth. Together they have a son named Jonathan and a foster child named Richard.
- Jody has worked and studied in Kentucky and Texas and resides in his home state of Pennsylvania.
- Jody was a volunteer with several nonprofit ministries before joining Heaven's Family. His roles and passions are providing exceptional care to Heaven's Family's investors and friends and innovative tools to Heaven's Family's ministry directors.

**Ware, Becca**

- Becca is married to J.; they have three sons: Ben, Andrew, and Jaden, and two daughters: London and Liberty.
- Becca grew up in Ohio down the street from her husband, J.
- Becca (Rebecca) went on three international mission trips during high school and college. She was drawn to social work and serving the Lord through sharing the gospel, and recently, serving as she can with J., while raising their five children.

**Ware, J. Director of the Education Ministry, Director of the National Missionary Ministry**

- J. is married to Becca; they have three sons: Ben, Andrew, and Jaden, and two daughters: London and Liberty.
- J. grew up in Ohio down the street from his wife, Becca.
- J. (John) always wanted to be a pastor. He was a Christian camp counselor for three summers, a youth pastor for ten years, and recently felt a call to missions. The stirring of the Holy Spirit led J. and Becca to step out in faith and serve the Lord through Heaven's Family.

**Warnock, David**

- David is married to Nora. They have four children, Grant, Shane, Dana and Glory.
- David was born and raised in Western Pennsylvania.
- David's family has been involved with coaching, running, and officiating meets and finals for the Assemblies of God Bible Quiz ministry. He has served as a ministry director and the Director of Human Resources for Heaven's Family.

**Warnock, Nora Sponsorship Administrator**

- Nora is married to David. They have four wonderful children.
- She's always lived in Pennsylvania.
- Nora enjoys planning church and family events. She has been involved with Bible Quiz for over ten years. She joined Heaven's Family as the Sponsorship Administrator for Orphan's Tear, the Leprosy Ministry and the Education Ministry.



Wray, Lisa

- Lisa is married to Peter. They have three married children—Linsey, Erin, and Mark, and four grandchildren.
- She lives in Pennsylvania but was originally from upstate New York; She grew up on a fruit farm known predominantly for growing grapes.
- Lisa has sung in Christian choirs. Presently, she sings for the South Hills Chorale. She has assisted Peter with home group leadership. She works as an administrative assistant for a Pittsburgh firm, which has enabled Peter to work full-time at Heaven's Family.



Wray, Peter Director of the Strategic Bibles Ministry, Director of the Books for Discipleship Ministry

- He is married to Lisa. They have three married children—Linsey, Erin, and Mark, and four grandchildren.
- A lifelong resident of PA, Peter currently lives five minutes from the Servant estate.
- Peter's first ministry work was with national missionary Setan Lee, a survivor of the Cambodian "Killing Fields." Since joining Heaven's Family his mission has been about bringing God's Word to those without it.



Wright, Tom Heaven's Family Board of Trustees

- Tom is married to Yi Wright and is the father of Lydia, Chapin, Andrew, and Olivia.
- He lives in Upper St. Clair, Pennsylvania and previously resided in the area of New York City, New York.
- Tom is involved in leadership with Community Bible Study. He went to middle school with David Servant's brother, Stephen, who was the fastest kid in the class!



Wright, Yi

- Yi is married to Tom Wright and is the mother of Lydia, Chapin, Andrew, and Olivia.
- She has lived in Upper St. Clair, Pennsylvania since 1999 and previously lived near New York City, New York and in Shanghai, China.
- Yi is heavily involved in both the morning and evening Community Bible Study classes in the Pittsburgh area. She is passionate about world travel and has traveled with Tom on mission trips.