



# Kenneth Herman

AVONDALE FIRST SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH

## About the Family

My family and I spent 20 years traveling with “Uncle Sam” before transitioning to civilian life then graduating from Gateway Seminary (Arizona Campus). As a mid-western farm child, life was a balance of chores and playing in wooded areas. I learned to enjoy the outdoors with hunting and fishing being part of farm life.

My passion for hunting and fishing is still there, but it is tempered with family needs and ministry needs. Riding motorcycles became a passion in college, my wife Christine and I have ridden together for more than 43 years.

Christine is a retired special education school teacher who helps with our special needs grandchildren and the special needs ministry at Avondale Baptist Church.

## About My Ministry

I have served in various ministry opportunities and most recently I retired as a chaplain from the Arizona Department of Corrections. I now serve with the Arizona SBC as a chaplain ministering to the needs of recognized Southern Baptist chaplains and our SBC-endorsed chaplains throughout the state. This ministry focus is on the chaplain and their family to encourage, strengthen and provide them with ministry tools to strengthen their work.

Find out how you can

**Pray.**

**Participate.**

**Provide.**

### PRAY.

Pray for the needs of Southern Baptist chaplains serving those in the state.  
Pray for people to come to saving faith in Jesus through the work of chaplains.  
Pray for more to become missionaries and chaplains.  
Pray for chaplains and their families.

### PARTICIPATE

Commit to long-term prayer support. Explore the opportunities to extend the reach of your church by becoming a chaplain. Be involved in supporting chaplains and their families. Send notes of encouragement. Talk with a chaplain about his or her ministry context. Send resources that support a chaplain's ministry.

### PROVIDE

NAMB does not provide compensation for SBC endorsed chaplains. However, a general fund is available to receive donations in support of the ministry and pastoral care to SBC endorsed chaplains. To donate, please visit Support Chaplaincy ([missionaries.namb.net/projects/full/chaplaincy](http://missionaries.namb.net/projects/full/chaplaincy)).