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# OVERLAND PARK Kansas



## Lynn Garrison

BLUE VALLEY CHURCH



Find out how you can

**Pray.**

**Participate.**

**Provide.**

### PRAY.

Pray for boldness to share the gospel and open hearts among the people to whom I minister.

Pray for people to come to saving faith in Jesus.

Pray for more to become missionaries and chaplains.

### PARTICIPATE

Commit to long-term prayer support. Chaplains serve as an extension of the local church in places that other church members and staff sometimes cannot go. Explore the opportunities to extend the reach of your church by becoming a chaplain. Support and pray for chaplains and their families.

### 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)).

## About the Family

I am a Jesus follower and the husband and best friend of Valarie A. Garrison, my wife of 45 years. Val and I grew up in the Lake of the Ozarks area of Missouri and went to high school in the small town of Versailles, Mo., where we still have extended family.

Val got her degree at State Fair Community College, and I went to Missouri University in Columbia and received engineering degrees in electrical and biomedical engineering. I spent most of my vocational career in the railroad industry, mostly in applied research and development and corporate management.

We currently live in Overland Park, Kan., and volunteer in various community organizations, especially in musical roles. We are members of a wonderful church that preaches the Word—Blue Valley Church of Overland Park.

## About My Ministry

I serve as an SBC volunteer chaplain in hospital and disaster relief ministries. I minister at Overland Park Regional Medical Center (OPRMC), which is a 350 bed, Level II trauma center. OPRMC does not have paid chaplains on staff, and my ministry is as PRN on-call. Much of the time it involves a crisis of some sort, but occasionally I will make normal rounds. Disaster relief ministry is coordinated through the Kansas-Nebraska Convention of Southern Baptists (KNCSB) and the Kansas City Kansas Baptist Association (KCKBA).

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