

## BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

NAME: Ben Campbell Johnson

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### SERVICE:

July 1995 - Present

Professor of Spirituality - Columbia Theological Seminary; Decatur, Georgia

1981 - 1995

Professor of Evangelism & Church Growth - Columbia Theological Seminary

Fall 1988 - Spring 1990

Interim Preacher - North Avenue Presbyterian Church; Atlanta, Georgia

1979 - 1980

Interim Supply - Salem Presbyterian Church; Lithonia, Georgia

1963 - 1980

Founder and Executive Director - Institute of Church Renewal; Atlanta, GA

1952 - 1963

Pastor - United Methodist Church (Kentucky & Alabama)

FAMILY: Married to Nan Baird formerly of St. Petersburg, Florida.

5 grown children: Ginger, Jim, Mark, Holly, and Christopher;

7 grandchildren

BIRTHPLACE: Elba, Alabama

FORMAL EDUCATION: Asbury College, BA - 1953  
Asbury Seminary, BD - 1955  
Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Th.M. - 1957  
San Francisco Theological Seminary, D. Min. - 1978  
Emory University, Ph.D. - 1980

MINISTERIAL STANDING: Ordained Minister of Word and Sacrament – Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)  
Presbytery of Greater Atlanta

BOOKS: An Evangelism Primer (John Knox Press, 1983)  
Rethinking Evangelism (Westminster Press, 1987)  
To Will God's Will (Westminster Press, 1987)  
To Pray God's Will (Westminster Press, 1987)  
Pastoral Spirituality (Westminster Press, 1988)  
Discerning God's Will (Westminster/JKP, 1990)  
Speaking of God (Westminster/JKP, 1991)  
Living the Christian Life (Westminster/JKP, 1992)  
95 Theses for the Church (CTS Press, 1995)  
New Day, New Church (CTS Press, 1995)  
Calming the Restless Spirit (Upper Room Books, 1997)  
Listening for God (Paulist Press, 1997)  
Imagining a Church in the Spirit (Wm. B. Eerdmans, 1999)