

Ernie & Lori Nicholas

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Ernie was born into a Church of God pastor's home in Wisconsin and grew up in Minnesota. His first involvement in missions came in his senior year of high school serving with Project Partner in Antigua. He attended Warner Pacific College, where he met Lori, and they were married in 1980. He earned both a bachelor of arts and a master of religion degree and served congregations in Washington and Iowa.

Lori was born and raised in Casper, Wyoming. She was invited as a teen to become involved in the Highland Park Community Church, where she accepted the Lord and was nurtured by youth leaders. She attended Warner Pacific College, where she earned an associate's degree in early childhood education. After marriage and the birth of three sons, she earned an associate's degree in nursing and worked in family practice in Iowa.

Ernie and Lori have three adult sons and multiple grandchildren.

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