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## PERSONAL

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Born: 1979 - Kansas City, Missouri

Interests: Ministry, Missions, Reading, Boat Building, Woodworking, Fishing, and Hunting.

Wife: Christa R. Wilson, 1979 - Savannah, Georgia

Christa was born and raised in southeast Georgia; we met in Louisville at Southern Seminary where she studied music education. Christa is a busy mom to six, and when she's not spending time changing diapers, managing the home, and home schooling the children, she likes to sit quietly with a cup of coffee and a book. If she gets an extra hour or two she enjoys photography, talking to other moms about being a godly wife and mother, and spending time getting to know other ladies in the church.

Married: July 6, 2002 - Louisville, Kentucky

Children: Kyla Grace Wilson: 2003 – Louisville, Kentucky

Lydia Karis Wilson: 2005 – Louisville, Kentucky

Grant James Haddon Wilson: 2006 – Detroit, Michigan

Jonathan Isaac Wilson: 2008 – Fallon, Nevada

Hannah Joy Wilson: 2009 – Fallon, Nevada

Cole Thomas Wilson: 2009 – Fallon, Nevada

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## MINISTERIAL EXPERIENCE

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First Southern Baptist Church  
*Senior Pastor*

Hawthorne, Nevada

2008-Current

My principal focus at First Southern is to the ministry of the Word through preaching, biblical teaching, counseling, and prayer. During my time in Hawthorne I have preached verse by verse through the Gospel of Mark, Acts, Galatians, James, and Genesis. Additionally I have taught on various other biblical subjects such as: evangelism, worldviews, basic Christian doctrines, and the importance of healthy church participation. I also lead the church in corporate worship in which we have transitioned to a blended live music service. I assist in leading our Youth Outreach by teaching and leading weekly worship gatherings. Additionally I serve the church by providing biblical counseling for members and the community dealing with spiritual, marital, family, and sin issues. Other areas of ministerial leadership include administration, evangelism, visitation, assimilation of new members, and spiritual guidance and care for our church body and community.

Mount Vernon Baptist Church                      Redford, Michigan    2006-2007  
*Senior Pastor*

Serving as pastor I sought to ground believers in foundational doctrines by teaching Scripture through expositional preaching. At the same time, I placed a renewed emphasis on personal holiness and prioritizing corporate and personal worship by working specifically in the areas of prayer, scripture, missions, evangelism, and community outreach. During my time at Mount Vernon the church transitioned from a white only church in an African American community to become more ethnically balanced in worship. Evangelism was elevated as a priority, and as such God blessed the church with new believers, and growth from transfers.

Moose Pass Baptist Church                      Moose Pass, Alaska    2001  
*Missions Pastor*

Served as summer pastor to a small mission church. I ministered to the community through preaching and visitation, and led worship to adults, youth, and children. While I was at Moose Pass God allowed attendance to grow and stabilize.

International Mission Board                      Kunming, China    2000  
*Summer Missionary Assistant*

Worked with field missionaries to locate, survey, and report on areas of unreached people groups. Assisted in leading short-term groups in their assignments, and leading them in Bible studies. I cooperated with IMB field staff to create friendly relationships with the minority indigenous people in the Myanmar and China boarder area for evangelistic outreach.

#### OTHER EMPLOYMENT

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Mineral County School                      Hawthorne, Nevada    2008-Current  
District  
*Substitute Teacher*

Priority Metrics Group                      Roebuck, South Carolina    2007-2008  
*Market Analyst*

Primarily responsible for conducting interviews, gathering data, and presenting findings for large industry specific studies and publications.

R L Wilson Trading                      Louisville, Kentucky    2003-2006  
*Owner*

Self-started internet based wholesale product trading company for which I was responsible for all operations including domestic and international purchasing, sales and delivery.

#### PERSONAL STATEMENT

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God saved me by His grace and mercy at the age of fifteen. He has taught me to make my greatest priority passionately pursuing and glorifying Him through personal godliness, modeling Christ-likeness in our family, and fulfilling God's unique call for my life to feed His

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sheep. My strengths are preaching, teaching, evangelism, team building, counseling, encouraging, administration, and vision casting. I am in full agreement with the Baptists Faith and Message 2000, and supportive of the Cooperative Program, state and associational ministries of the Southern Baptist Convention.

I envision God leading our family long term to a community of believers that desire to know God, understand His word, live obediently to Him, and seek to make Jesus known by their lives and actions. My desire is to minister in a church devoted to personal and corporate worship emphasizing the Scriptures and Gospel in all areas of life, discipleship of young and immature believers as well as continued growth and opportunities for service for all believers, committed to a genuine loving and encouraging community within the body, and dedicated to evangelism locally and throughout the world.

For a complete doctrinal statement, video and audio sermons, philosophy of ministry, and other resources please visit my website at [www.rlwilson2.com](http://www.rlwilson2.com).

## EDUCATION

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2006-2007                      The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary Louisville, Kentucky  
*Master of Divinity in Theology* (36 hours completed towards degree)

2005    The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Boyce College Louisville, Kentucky  
*Bachelor of Arts Biblical and Theological Studies*

1998                              Kansas City Christian Academy                              Kansas City, Kansas  
*Diploma*

## License/Ordination

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*Licensed:* November, 1998 - Faith Bible Church - Kansas City, Kansas

*Ordained:* February, 1999 – Faith Bible Church – Kansas City, Kansas

## REFERENCES

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Dr. Robert Cheong  
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- Previous Sunday school leader / mentor.

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Dr. Chad Brand  
The Southern Baptist Theological  
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- Professor for church history and theology.

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