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PERSONAL

Birthday: April 1969
Spouse: Ayemi Hall (married November 2010)
Children: Maxwell Hall (born August 2016) and Mandalay Hall (born June 2018)

EDUCATION

Ph.D. Systematic Theology (Minor: New Testament), **Southern Baptist Theological Seminary**, Louisville, KY (2017)
Th.M. Systematic Theology, **The Master's Seminary**, Sun Valley, CA (2008)
M.Div. Pastoral Ministry, **The Master's Seminary**, Sun Valley, CA (1996)
B.A. Biblical Studies: Theology & Apologetics, **The Master's University**, Santa Clarita, CA (1992)

MINISTRY JOB EXPERIENCE

Teacher, Biblical Essentials Certificate Program- Grace Church, Simi Valley, CA (2020-Present). Currently teach a seven-week course in Hermeneutics for the Biblical Essentials program at our church, providing the syllabus and weekly teaching.

Director of Student Ministries, Small Group Leader, and Pulpit Supply- Anchor Bible Church, Louisville, KY (2012–2018). Led the student ministry and staff in teaching and discipleship providing the teaching direction as well as ministry opportunities from missions to events (2015-18). I also led a small group weekly of 15-20 people and preached in the main service when needed (2012-2018).

Director of Programming and The Hub: For Youth & Family Ministry- Crossings Ministries, Louisville, KY (2016-2018). Administrated all the content of summer camps for junior high and high school students from Bible Study curriculum, speakers, bands, and theological direction as well as serving as a speaker at summer camp. Crossings Camp has over 14,000 students come to camp every summer. I also developed and oversaw a ministry to the churches that we served with The Hub: For Youth & Family Ministry (online resource) in providing equipping, encouragement, and edification through training videos, blog posts, podcasts, and events to those working in children's and youth ministry also overseeing 12 regional children's and youth ministry specialists.

High School Pastor- Riverpark Bible Church, Fresno, CA (2008–2012). Pastored a high school ministry of 100+ students and 35+ adult staff in teaching, discipleship, administration, counseling, missions/outreach, and in developing a vision for the ministry. This ministry had a big role in serving the parents and families of students in a large church. I also was involved with leadership on the elder board in casting a vision for the church as a whole and pulpit supply in the main services.

Pastor of College-Aged Ministries and Pastor of Student Ministries- Grace Church, Simi Valley, CA (2000–2004). Pastored the college ministry of 50+ students and 6+ leaders from 2000-2002 and then took over the student ministries that also included the junior high and high school ministries of 90+ students with a staff of 12+ from 2002-2004. My responsibilities included preaching/teaching, discipleship of both staff and students, administrating events and mission trips, ministering to parents and help in shepherding the people in the church as a whole which included preaching in the main service when needed.

High School Ministry Intern- Grace Community Church, Sun Valley, CA (1992–1996). Helped in leading discipleship groups, staff, as well as camps and missions' events in a ministry that had 300+ students and 60+ staff along with varying teaching responsibilities.

ACADEMIC JOB EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant for Christopher W. Morgan, Dean of the Department of Christian Ministries- California Baptist University (2019-Present). Help out with research and editing for Christopher Morgan's writing projects.

Bible Chair and Bible Teacher: Theology I & II, OT Survey, NT Survey, Critical Thinking & Writing- Grace Brethren High School, Simi Valley, CA (1996–2008; 2019-Present). Develop the direction of the Bible program and mentor as the Chair of the Bible Department while teaching & specifically developing the courses for Theology I for juniors and Theology II for seniors (2019-present). I also developed curriculum and taught Old Testament Survey (freshman), New Testament Survey (sophomores), and Critical Thinking and Writing (junior & seniors) (1996-2008). Helped revamp the Bible Department's direction in coordination with the department chair in

1998. I taught P.E. classes (1996-1998), coached varsity football (1996-2001), junior high baseball (1998-2000), and maintained the chapel ministry with speakers and discipleship of the student band (2004-2006).

Adjunct Professor: Exegetical Analysis of the Gospels- Indiana Wesleyan University, Global Campus (2016). Taught "An Exegetical Analysis of the Gospels" to Master of Theology students, the program accredited through Indiana Wesleyan University, made up of mostly Baptist pastors in Haiti at the main campus of Baptist Haiti Mission developing the syllabus, assignments, and class lectures.

Assistant to the Director of Research Doctoral Studies- Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, KY (2016). Helped in the administration, development, and growth of the Th.M., Ed.D., and Ph.D. programs in the Research Doctoral Studies department as Dr. Jonathan Pennington's assistant, also working with students from the application process through graduation. I led entrance exams and comprehensive exams. I helped in the acceptance process as well in the evaluation and development of the research programs with the Research Doctoral Studies team.

Research Expert: Systematic Theology- Boyce Library at Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, KY (2013-2016). Served students in the library helping them find theological resources and in structuring and writing papers at the bachelor's, master's, and doctoral levels. I also taught and developed seminars on research and writing.

Garrett Fellow- Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, KY (2012). Administered, graded, and corresponded with students as a teaching assistant in Dr. Gregg Allison's M.Div. level Theology I class.

Adjunct Professor: 1 Corinthians- Eternity Bible College, Simi Valley, CA (2006). Taught students in a core class dealing with the book of 1 Corinthians in understanding ministry and the local church. I developed both the syllabus and coursework to help students understand key theological issues in the text and the real-world application of those truths in ministry.

DISSERTATION and THESIS

"Jonathan Edwards and Sanctification: The Pursuit of Happiness Found in Union and Obedience." Ph.D. Dissertation. The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary (2017).

"Perspicuity in a Postmodern Age." Th.M. Thesis. The Master's Seminary (2008).

PRESENTATIONS

"The Atonement: Jonathan Edwards and Union with Christ." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Evangelical Theological Society, National Conference. San Diego, CA, November 22, 2019.

"Jonathan Edwards and the Sanctification Debate: Three Key Undercurrents in the Christian Life." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Evangelical Theological Society, National Conference. Denver, CO, November 15, 2018.

"Jonathan Edwards and Sanctification: Union, Evangelical Obedience, and Happiness." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Evangelical Theological Society, National Conference. Atlanta, GA, November 17, 2015.

"A History of Interpretation: The Beatitudes, Happiness, and Jonathan Edwards." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of The Evangelical Theological Society, National Conference. San Diego, CA, November 21, 2014.

PUBLICATIONS

"Our Witness," in *Standing for Truth: An Introduction to Apologetics*. Ed. Matt Damico, 124-33. Crossings Press: Louisville, KY, 2018.

"Sanctification," in *The Jonathan Edwards Encyclopedia*. Eds. Harry S. Stout, Kenneth P. Minkema, and Adriaan C. Neele, 507-08. Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 2017.

"The One Who Creates," in *Crossing to Christ*. Ed. Matt Damico, 31-36. Crossings Press: Louisville, KY, 2017.

RESEARCH LANGUAGES

Biblical Hebrew

New Testament Greek

Theological French

Ecclesiastical Latin

SOCIETY AFFILIATIONS

Member of the Evangelical Theological Society (1998-Present)

HONORS

Graduated *Summa Cum Laude* (Th.M.), The Master's Seminary (2008)

Teacher of the Year, Grace Brethren High School (2006-2007)

REFERENCES

Dr. Stephen J. Wellum, Professor of Christian Theology, Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, KY (swellum@sbts.edu)

Dr. Christopher W. Morgan, Dean: School of Christian Ministries, Professor of Theology, California Baptist University, Riverside, CA (cmorgan@calbaptist.edu)

Dr. Jack Hughes, Head Pastor, Anchor Bible Church, Louisville, KY (anchorbiblelou@gmail.com)