

Curriculum Vitae  
of  
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**Education**

Bachelor of Arts (B.A.)  
1973 Academic Honors, Cum Laude, Wilberforce University, Wilberforce, Ohio  
Major: Psychology  
Minor: Philosophy and Humanities

Master of Arts (M.A.)  
1974 University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois  
Major: Religion, Social Science and Policy Studies  
Thesis Title: "A Comparative Analysis of The Protestant Church's and Anti-Slavery Society's Views on Slavery."

Master of Divinity (\*) (M. Div.)  
1977 Scholastic Honors, Chicago Theological Seminary, Chicago, Illinois  
Major: Theology, Christian Education, and Social Ethics.  
Position Paper Title: "Ministry In A Technical Society."

Doctor of Ministry (D. Min.)  
1978 Scholastic Honors, Chicago Theological Seminary, Chicago, Illinois  
Major: Theology, Christian Education and Social Ethics  
Thesis Title: "Designing a Program of Education In A Local Black United Methodist Church."

Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)  
1982 Scholastic Honors, Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois  
Major: Ethics and Society, Sociology of Religion, Theology  
Dissertation Title: "A Comparative Analysis of Theological Ontology and Ethical Method in the Theologies of James H. Cone And Howard Thurman."

**Additional Training**

Hull University, England (1971-1972), William Wilberforce Scholar  
Oxford University, England (Summer, 1972), Special Seminar Fellow  
Detroit Community School of Music (1985-1986)  
Harvard University Divinity School (Spring, 1990) Merrill Fellow

**Areas of Qualifying Examinations**

1. *Philosophical Ethics*, with an emphasis on comparative methods and philosophical frameworks.
2. *Theological Ethics*, with an emphasis on economic and peace issues.
3. *Social Science Theory and Method in Ethics*, with an emphasis on major methodological options and analysis of social policy.
4. *Ethics and Black Theology*, with an emphasis on appropriate methodology and emerging issues.

**Special Areas of Research**

1. Social Ethics, Theological Ethics, Philosophical Ethics.
2. Social and Political Philosophy.
3. Philosophy of Religion.
4. Sociology of Religion.

**Lectures and Presentations**

Chicago Theological Seminary, Chicago, Illinois, 1982.

Virginia Union University, Richmond, Virginia, 1983.  
 Xavier University, Cincinnati, Ohio, 1983.  
 Harvard Divinity School, Cambridge, Massachusetts, 1983.  
 Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary, Evanston, Illinois, 1983.  
 Southfield Women's Club, Southfield, Michigan, 1985.  
 United Methodist Pastor's School, Ferris State College, Big Rapids, Michigan, 1985.  
 City of Southfield, Ethnic Awareness Day, Southfield, Michigan, 1988.  
 United Methodist School of Mission, Detroit Conference, Summer, 1989.  
 Guest, Community Forum, WXYZ Radio, May, 1991, "The Challenge of Diversified Education."  
 Presenter, Civilian Based Institute Conference on Non-Violence, Windsor, Canada, June, 1991.  
 Martin Center College, Indianapolis, Indiana, "The African Foundations of the Idea of the Holy,"  
 October, 1991.  
 University of South Florida, Howard Thurman Convocation. "The Realization of Oneness: The Idea of Community in "The  
 Thought of Howard Thurman." October, 1991.  
 Harvard Divinity School, Cambridge, Massachusetts, 1992 "Theological Education in the 21st Century."  
 Guest, "Face To Face," Continental Cablevision, February, 1992 "African American History."  
 Guest, "Expressions," Continental Cablevision, November, 1992 "Children of Divorce."  
 Multicultural Curriculum Competency, Spaulding Institute, February, 1992 "Strengths of The Black Church."  
 Weekly Radio Broadcast, WLQV, 1500 AM, 11:00 a.m., Sundays, January, 1993 - Present.  
 City of Southfield, Martin Luther King Day, January, 1994, "What Dr. King Would Say to Youth Today?"  
 University of Chicago Divinity School, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, January, 1995.  
 North Central Jurisdiction, BMCR, Minneapolis, Minnesota, November, 1995, "Black Pentecost: Black Folks on Fire for  
 Christ."  
 "The Homelitical Process: Insights into Sermon Preparation," Ecumenical Theological Seminary Preaching Conference,  
 Hartford Memorial Baptist Church., 1995  
 "African American Church Growth." Methodist Theological School, Columbus, Ohio, February, 1996.  
 "Achieving Spiritual Depth in Worship," BMCR, St. Louis, Missouri, March 1996.  
 "Black Methodism, Holiness and the Wesleyan Evangelical Tradition," Methodist Lectures, Garrett-Evangelical  
 Theological Seminary, 1996.  
 "Strengthening The Black Methodist Church For The Twenty First Century," Thirkield Jones Lectures, Gammon Theological  
 Seminary, Atlanta, Georgia, December, 1996.  
 "Revitalizing Established Churches," A.M.E. Zion Convocation, Fort Mills, S.C., April, 1997.  
 "The Church's Ministry to Those from the Neighborhoods and Street Corners," The King Urban Life Center, Buffalo, N.Y.,  
 May, 1997.  
 "Strengthening The Black Methodist Church For The Twenty First Century," Wesley Theological Seminary, Washington, D.C.,  
 October, 1997.  
 "Pastor as Preacher," Convocation of Pastors of African American Churches, Atlanta, Georgia, January 1999.  
 "Confronting Institutional Intolerance in the Academy and the Church: Celebrating Diversity and Appreciating Differences  
 Among the Sexes and Races," Vanderbilt University, Martin Luther King, Jr. Lecture, January, 1999.  
 Keynote Speaker, Leadership Academy, Cleveland, Ohio District, February, 1999.  
 Baccalaureate Speaker, Wilberforce University, Wilberforce, Ohio, May, 1999.  
 "Church Growth Through Spiritual Empowerment," Calvary Baptist Church, Detroit, Michigan, July, 1999.  
 "Wasteland or Promised Land: The Future of the Black United Methodist Church," Southfield, Michigan, February, 2000.  
 "Re-Energizing the United Methodist Church for The New Millennium," March, 2000.  
 "Keeping Alive A Passion for Ministry," United Methodist Ministers Conference, Dallas, Texas, January, 2001.  
 Keynote Speaker, Black Methodists For Church Renewal, Indianapolis, Indiana, November, 2001.  
 "What Place Do Godly Men Have In Society?" Milan State Prison, November, 2001.  
 "The Dream and the Nightmare," Morehouse College, Martin Luther King, Jr. International Chapel,  
 Atlanta, Georgia, January 2002.  
 "How Terrorist Violence Impacts Global Business, A Christian Perspective," Eastern Michigan University Business School,  
 Ypsilanti, Michigan, January, 2002.  
 "Share the Heritage, Claim the Power," BMCR, Indianapolis, Indiana, April, 2002.  
 "Reconciliation, Unity and Peace, Interfaith Clergy Dialog Group," Comcast/Media One Cable, Southfield, Michigan, May, 2002.  
 Keynote Speaker, "The Gubernatorial Inauguration Interfaith Community," Governor Jennifer Granholm, Detroit, Michigan,  
 January, 2003.  
 "The Color of Our Skin and the Content of Our Curriculum," Derby Middle School, Birmingham, Michigan, January, 2003.  
 Keynote Speaker, "The Annual Dr. Martin Luther King Remembrance Celebration," Birmingham, Michigan, January, 2003.  
 Keynote Speaker, "Making Peace In Arenas of Violence," Boards of Church and Society, United Methodist Church, March, 2003.  
 Keynote Speaker, "Martin Luther King Celebration," The Detroit Christian Methodist Episcopal Church, January, 2004.

Keynote Speaker, "World Sabbath," Christ Church Cranbrook, Beverly Hills, Michigan, February, 2004.  
 Keynote Speaker, "A Time for Peace and Reconciliation," Kalamazoo College, Kalamazoo, Michigan 2004, February, 2004.  
 "Putting the People First in Meeting Their Basic Needs," Bread For World Convocation, Detroit, Michigan, April, 2004.  
 Keynote Speaker, "Celebration of Life," Michigan Funeral, Directors of Michigan, Okemos, Michigan, May, 2004.  
 Keynote Speaker, "Upward Bound," Cranbrook Academy, Beverly Hills, Michigan, June, 2004.  
 "Renewing Our Commitment to Theology and Social Justice," Garrett Evangelical Theological Seminary, Evanston, Illinois, February 2005.  
 "Where Have All the Prophets Gone?" Oakland County Ministerial Alliance, Pontiac, Michigan, January, 2006.  
 "Democracy in Peril," Oakland County NAACP, Pontiac, Michigan, October, 2007.  
 "The Issue Is Still Freedom," American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, February, 2007.  
 "Recognizing the Importance of Culture in Growing the Local Church," Bishops Evangelism and Stewardship Conference, Southfield, Michigan, March, 2007.  
 "Religion and Politics," Freedom Institute, Detroit, Michigan, April, 2007.

### **Positions-Administrative, Teaching, Community Service**

1. Assistant Director of Education, Peoples Community Church, Detroit, Michigan (Summer, 1971).
2. Lecturer in Sociology, Loyola University, Chicago, Illinois (1974-1975). Course Title: Introduction to Sociology.
3. Assistant Pastor and Director of Education, Southlawn United Methodist Church, Chicago, Illinois (1975-78).
4. Teaching Assistant, Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary, Evanston, Illinois (1980), Course Title: Church and Society: Basic Analysis.
5. Associate Pastor, Englewood United Methodist Church, Chicago, Illinois (1980-1983).
6. Research Fellow, Center for Urban Affairs, Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois (1980-1983).
7. Teaching Associate, Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary, Evanston, Illinois (1982). Course Title: The Theology of Howard Thurman.
8. Research Assistant, Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary, Evanston, Illinois (1982). Course Title: Ethics of the New Testament.
9. Instructor in Ethics and Society, Garrett- Evangelical Theological Seminary, Evanston, Illinois (1982-1983)
10. Director, Leiffer Bureau of Social and Religious Research, Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary, Evanston, Illinois (1982-1983).
11. Assistant to Pastor, Second Baptist Church, Evanston, Illinois (1983).
12. Pastor, Hope United Methodist Church, Southfield, Michigan (1983-present).
13. Co-founder, Metro-Youth Black Scholarship Committee, Detroit Conference, United Methodist Church, (1985).
14. Committee for the Convocation on the Urban Church (1984).
15. Vice-President of Ministry, District Council on Ministries, Detroit Conference, United Methodist Church (1984-1985).
16. Member, Urban Strategies Commission (1985).
17. Assistant Professor of Ethics, Mercy College, Detroit, Michigan (1986).
18. Member, Urban Task Force, United Methodist Church (1986).
19. Co-founder, Citizens Against Violence, Detroit, Michigan (1986).
20. Mayoral Appointee, Sesquicentennial Commission, City of Southfield, Michigan (1986-1987).
21. Member, Board of Church and Society, Detroit Conference, United Methodist Church (1986).
22. Member, Coalition on the Homeless, Detroit, Michigan (1987).
23. Assistant Professor of Philosophy, Wayne County Community College, Detroit, Michigan (1986).
24. Assistant Professor of Philosophy, College of Lifelong Learning, Wayne State University, Detroit, Michigan (1987).
25. Founder, Executive Director, United Ecumenical Peace Coalition, Detroit, Michigan (1987).
26. Member, Parent-Youth Guidance Commission, Southfield, Michigan (1987).
27. Foster Care Clinical Therapist, Children's Center of Wayne County (1988-1990).
28. Consultant, Hartford Biblical Institute, Detroit, Michigan (1988).
29. Instructor, United Methodist School of Mission, Detroit Conference (July, 1989).
30. Founder, (SEAC) Southfield Education Action Committee (1991).
31. Co-founder, (AAPC) African-American Political Coalition, City of Southfield (1990).
32. Founder, National African-American Youth League (1992).
33. Founder, Spiritual Life Center, Hope United Methodist Church, Southfield, Michigan (1991).
34. Founder, The Imani Institute, Hope United Methodist Church, Southfield, Michigan (1991).
35. Member, Multicultural Coalition, City of Southfield (1991-present).
36. Member, Spaulding Institute For Children (1991-1994).
37. Member, Martin Luther King Task Force (1991-present).
38. Member, Council on Liberal Religion (1991-present).
39. Executive Board Member, South Oakland County, NAACP (1992-1993).
40. Member, Interfaith Alliance (1990-present).

41. Member, Health Care Committee. Providence Hospital, Southfield, Michigan (1990).
42. Member, Civilian Based Defense Institute (1990).
43. Member, Executive Board, United Methodist Union, (1993-1994).
44. Chair, Board of Higher Education and Campus Ministry, Promotion and Publicity Committee, (1993).
45. Member, Clergy Ownership Committee, "Pass It On" Campaign, Detroit Conference, United Methodist Church (1993-1994).
46. Founder, Editor "Transformer News," Southfield, Michigan (1994).
47. Sermon Illustrator, Emphasis Magazine, Lima, Ohio (1994).
48. Columnist, Observer-Eccentric Newspaper (1995).
49. Doctoral Field Advisor, Drew Theological Seminary, Madison, New Jersey (1991).
50. Doctoral Field Advisor, Ashland Theological Seminary, Detroit, Michigan (1994-1995).
51. Doctoral Advisor, United Theological Seminary, Dayton, Ohio (1995-1997).
52. Doctoral Field Advisor, Ecumenical Theological Seminary (1995).
54. Board of Ordained Ministry, Detroit Conference United Methodist Church (1996).
55. Commissioned Scholar, The Project on the Public Influences of African-American Churches, Morehouse College Leadership Center, Atlanta, Georgia (1999-2001).
56. Doctoral Field Advisor, Drew Theological Seminary (2001).
57. Member, Clergy and Community, One Michigan, Governor Granholm, Detroit, Michigan, March, 2003.
58. NAACP, Oakland County Clergy Press Release, "Affirmative Action," Southfield, Michigan, March, 2003.
59. Honorary Chairperson, NAACP, Oakland County Chapter, Southfield, Michigan, March, 2003.
60. Member, High Potential Metro Church Research Project, General Board of Discipleship, United Methodist Church, Nashville, Tennessee, April 2003.
61. Chairperson, African American Task Force For Church Renewal, January, 2004.
62. Member, Advisory Board, Michigan Coalition for Human Rights, 2006 – present
63. Board of Trustees, Garrett Evangelical Theological Seminary, Evanston, Illinois, 2003 – present.

### **Courses Taught**

Central City Issues and The Institutional Church  
 Introduction to Ministry  
 Field Education  
 Theological Ethics  
 Church and Society: Basic Analysis  
 The Theology of Howard Thurman  
 Introduction to Sociology  
 Research Methods Seminar  
 An Inquiry into the Writings of Selected Black Theologians  
 Business Ethics  
 The Theology and Ethics of Non-Violent Movements  
 Religious and Ethical Themes in Modern Literature  
 African-American Culture  
 Introduction to Philosophy  
 Introduction to Logic  
 Spiritual Leadership/Spiritual Growth  
 Spiritual Growth Seminar  
 Dimensions of Black and White Culture  
 Philosophical Ethics  
 African American Church Growth  
 Doctoral Seminar, Ecumenical Theological Seminary, (2002)  
 Black Church Studies  
 Ethics and the Black Church  
 African American Spirituality  
 Urban Evangelism

### **Workshops Conducted**

"Back To the Future Church Growth Workshop," Detroit BMCR, October, 1993.  
 "Imani 2000, Evangelism and Black Church Growth," National BMCR, Philadelphia, PA (March, 1994).  
 "Evangelism and Church Growth," Detroit Conference, United Methodist Church, April, 1994.  
 "Vision 2000, Church Growth," Canton, Ohio, October, 1995.

- “Church Growth Workshop,” Hope-Kensington United Methodist Church, Buffalo, N. Y., November 1995, (West New York Conference).
- “Church Growth Workshop,” Centenary United Methodist Church, Memphis, Tennessee, December, 1995.
- “Church Growth Consultation, Northern Indiana Conference, December, 1995.
- “Church Growth Workshop,” Methodist Theological School of Ohio, February, 1996.
- “Spiritual Growth Workshop,” Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary, April, 1996.
- “Church Growth Workshop,” Detroit Annual Conference, The United Methodist Church, May, 1996.
- “Church Growth Workshop,” Louisville Conference, The United Methodist Church, July, 1996.
- “Church Growth Workshop,” Howard Divinity School, September, 1996.
- “Church Growth Workshop,” A.M.E. Zion Convocation, April 1997.
- “Church Growth Workshop,” Urban Ministries Convocation, Chicago, IL, October, 1996, 1997.
- “Church Growth Workshop,” Wesley Theological Seminary, Washington, D.C., October, 1997.
- “Church Growth Workshop for Church Renewal,” Chicago, IL., November, 1997.
- “Church Growth Workshop,” Cleveland District Leadership Academy, Cleveland, Ohio, February, 1999.
- “Leadership and Discipleship,” Texas Annual Conference, Houston, Texas, October, 1999.
- “Worship Workshop,” Strengthening the Black Church for the 21st Century, Hope United Methodist Church, Southfield, Michigan, February, 2000.
- “4<sup>th</sup> Annual Christian Fellowship Seminar and Workshop Series,” Manhood in the Image of God, Milan Federal Correction Facility, November, 2001.
- “The Empowerment Church,” Christian Methodist Episcopal Church, Inkster, Michigan, January, 2002.
- “Revitalization of our Churches,” The Union Of Black Episcopalians, Beverly Hills, Michigan, May, 2004

### **Society Memberships Past and Present**

American Center for International Leadership  
 Society of Biblical Literature  
 American Academy of Religion  
 American Association of Christian Counselors  
 Biblical Institute for Social Change  
 Wesleyan Theological Society

### **Publications**

1. “Who Is God?” *Chicago Daily News*, 25-26, June, 1977.
2. “Struggling With What It Means,” *President’s Newsletter*, Chicago Theological Seminary, Winter 1978.
3. “Energy Strategies For Churches: An Analysis of Energy Uses, Costs and Impacts in Fifteen Black Churches in Chicago,” *The Leiffer Bureau of Social and Religious Research*, Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary, 1982.
4. “The Concept of Liberation in the Thought of Howard Thurman,” *God and Human Freedom: A Festschrift in Honor of Howard Thurman*, ed., by Henry Young, Friends United Press, 1983.
5. “The Method of Correlation in the Theology of James H. Cone,” Howard University Press. *Journal of Religious Thought*, Fall-Winter, 1983.
6. “The Legacy of Howard Thurman,” *Church and Black Experience Newsletter*, Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary, Fall-Winter, 1982-1983.
7. “Church Must Address AIDS Problem From The Pulpit.” *Michigan Chronicle*, May, 1987, Vol. 50, No. 34
8. “The Perils of Apartheid,” *Michigan Christian Advocate*, February 15, 1988.
9. “Revitalizing The Urban Black United Methodist Church,” *Michigan Christian Advocate*, January, 1990.
10. “A Call To Action,” *African-American Pioneer News*, Vol. 1, No. 2, November, 1990.
11. “Developing a Closer Relationship With God” (Spiritual Consciousness), Part 1, *Michigan Sentinel*, November, 1991.
12. “Developing A Closer Relationship With God” (Spiritual Discipline), Part II
13. “The Realization of Oneness: The Thurman Ideal of Human Community,” *The Human Search*, ed. Mozella Mitchell, Peter Lang Publishers, San Francisco, 1992.
14. “African Foundations of Christianity,” *Michigan Sentinel*, February, 1993.
15. “Strengths of The Black Church,” *Michigan Sentinel*, May, 1993.
16. “Do More Than Pray About It,” *Michigan Sentinel*, October, 1993.
17. “Developing Our Spiritual Strengths,” *Transformer News*, Vol. 1, No. 1, January, 1994.
18. “What’s Killing Our Youths?” *Transformer News*, Vol. 1, No. 2, February, 1994.
19. “What’s Killing Our Youths? Part II” *Transformer News*, Vol. 1, No. 3, March, 1994.
20. “African Contributions To World Civilization” *Transformer News*, Vol. 1, No. 4, June, 1994.
21. “African Contributions To Science and Technology” *Transformer News*, Vol. 1, No. 7, July, 1994.
22. “Sermon Illustrations”, *Emphasis Magazine*, 1995.

23. "The Triumph of Job" (Sermon) How I Got Over: Testimonies of African-Americans- Reflections On The Books of Job and Psalms, ed. Colleen Birchett, Urban Ministries, Chicago, 1994.
24. "Early African Influences in Medical Science." *Transformer News*, Vol. 1, No. 8, August, 1994.
25. "The Spiritual Foundations of African Science and Engineering." *Transformer News*, Vol. 1, No. 10, October, 1994.
26. "Back To The Future Model For Church Growth." *Offering Christ Today*, Vol. 4, Summer, 1994.
27. "The Church As Empowerment Center." *Hope United Methodist Church, Newsletter*, Vol. 5, No. 5, November, 1994.
28. "Strengths Of A Great City." *Native Detroit*, 8200 E. Jefferson, Detroit, MI., December, 1994.
29. "Spiritual Values Underscore Preciousness of Life." *Observer-Eccentric Newspaper*, January 5, 1995.
30. "Building Relationships with Black Males." *Circuit Rider*, April, 1995, Vol. 19, No. 3, United Methodist Publishing House.
31. "African Contributions to World Civilization," Part II, *Transformer News*, Vol. 2, No. 2, February, 1995.
32. "The Search for Meaning: A Perpetual Process." *Southfield Eccentric*, March 2, 1995.
33. "African Contributions to World Civilization," Part III, *Transformer News*, Vol. 2, No. 4, April, 1995.
34. "Help Elevate Religion To A Life Enhancing Level." *Southfield Eccentric*, April 6, 1995.
35. "Was Abraham Lincoln of African Descent?" *Transformer News*, Vol. 2, No. 5, May, 1995.
36. "Recognize Feelings To Help Diffuse Anger." *Southfield Eccentric*, May 4, 1995.
37. "Yes, Beethoven Was A Brother!" *Transformer News*, Vol. 2, No. 6, June, 1995.
38. "God Indeed Wants Us To Put A Lighter Spin On Life." *Southfield Eccentric*, June 1, 1995.
39. "Justice Theologically Hinges On Justice Socially." *Southfield Eccentric*, August 3, 1995.
40. "Divine Spirit Colors Your Religious, Scientific Beliefs." *Southfield Eccentric*, September 7, 1995.
41. "Being There. That's What God Is For Us - Pastor." *Southfield Eccentric*, October 12, 1995.
42. "God's Will and the Throne of Kings: Lections From The Book Of Samuel." *Quarterly Review*, United Methodist Publishing House, Spring, 1997.
43. "Who's Preaching This Sunday?" *Circuit Rider Magazine*, United Methodist Publishing House, Summer, 1997.
44. "Perspectives on African-American Christian Worship," Urban Ministries, Chicago, Ill., 1999.
45. "Perspectives on African-American Christian Worship," Urban Ministries, Chicago, Ill., 2000.
46. "Evangelism for Social Justice," *Circuit Rider Magazine*, United Methodist Publishing House, Winter, 2002.
47. "Why Do Clergy Experience Burnout?" *Quarterly Review*, United Methodist Publishing House, Spring 2003.

### Books

1. "God, Being and Liberation: A Comparative Analysis of the Theologies and Ethics of James H. Cone and Howard Thurman," University Press of America, Lanham, Md., 1989.
2. "African-American Church Growth: 12 Principles for Prophetic Ministry," Abingdon Press, Nashville, 1994.
3. "Street Corner Theology: Indigenous Reflections on the Reality of God in the African-American Experience," John Winston Publishers, Nashville, 1996.
4. "Joy Songs, Trumpet Blasts and Hallelujah Shouts: Sermons in the African-American Preaching Tradition," CSS Publishing, Lima, Ohio, 1997.
5. "How Long Will You Limp? Sermons on Pentecost I," CSS Publishing, Lima, Ohio, 1997.
6. "Sankofa: African Based Celebrations For The African American Church," United Church Press, Cleveland, Ohio, 1997.
7. "Soul Survivors: An African American Spirituality," John Knox Press, Louisville, 1997.
8. "Black Spirituality & Black Consciousness: Soul Force, Culture and Freedom in the African-American Experience," Africa World Press, Trenton, New Jersey, 1999.
9. "Deformed, Disfigured and Despised," CSS Publishing, Lima, Ohio, 2000.
10. "The Empowerment Church: Speaking a New Language for Church Growth," Abingdon Press, Nashville, Tennessee, May, 2001.
11. "Reclaiming What Was Lost," Abingdon Press, Nashville, Tennessee, 2003
12. "Growing the African American Church," ed. Abingdon Press, Nashville, Tennessee, 2006.
13. "Growing Your Church Through Racial, Culture and Size Transitions," Abingdon Press, Nashville, Tennessee (2008).

### Books in Process

- "The African Foundations of Christianity"
- "King and Gandhi: A Comparison of Nonviolent Ethics"
- "Codes of the Spiritual Warrior"
- "Strategies of Spiritual Warfare"
- "Silence Is Not Required"

### **Published Video Taped Presentations**

- “African-American Culture: A Perspective From History and Child Welfare.” Spaulding for Children Cultural Competence Speaker Series 1, 1994.
- “Walking By Faith” Hope United Methodist Church, Adult Ministries, June, 1994.
- “Tribute to Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.,” Birmingham, Michigan Public Schools, January, 2003
- “Oakland County NAACP Affirmative Action Press Conference” New Hope Baptist Church, March, 2003
- “Making Peace” Church and Society Ministries, Comcast Cable Studio, April, 2003
- “Affirmative Action” Church and Society Ministries, Comcast Cable Studio, May, 2003
- “Anniversary of Nagasaki” Detroit West District Peace Center, April, 2006
- “African American Leadership” Street Beat, February 2007

### **Unpublished Articles/Booklets/Manuals**

- “The Revaluation Ethical Motif in the Theology of James H. Cone,” 1983.
- “The Concept of the Absurd and the Ethics of Revolt in the Thought of Albert Camus,” 1984.
- “Toward a Concept of Theometry”: An Inquiry Into the Ontological Implications of Einstein’s Theory of Relativity for Traditional Theism,” 1985.
- “Jesus: Paradigm For The New Humanity,” 1985.
- “Relational Incarnation and the Practice of Ministry,” 1986.
- “Religion and Higher Consciousness,” 1986.
- “Black Theology, Free Jazz and Black Power,” 1987.
- “Black Theology and The Black Church: Co-Intentionality in the Liberation of African Peoples,” 1989.
- “African Foundations of Christianity,” 1991.
- “African-American Church Growth Leadership Manual,” 1995.
- “The Need For A New Leadership Paradigm in The Black United Methodist Church,” 1995.

### **Musical Compositions**

- “Our God We Praise” 1986
- “Broken Treaty” 1986
- “He Helped Me Find My Way,” 2000
- (Additional unpublished compositions)

### **Plays**

- “Death and Resurrection” 1977
- “Motion for the Defense” 1978
- “Promises of the Kingdom” 1980
- “Every Good Bye Ain’t Gone” 1985

### **Honors and Listings**

- Freshman Award, Outstanding Academic Achievement, Wilberforce University, 1969.
- William Wilberforce Scholar, Hull University, England (1971-1972).
- Special Seminar Fellow, Oxford University, England (1972).
- Sons of Wilberforce Honor Society, Wilberforce University (1972).
- Alpha Kappa Mu Scholastic Honor Society, Wilberforce University (1971, 1972, 1973).
- Outstanding Student Award, Wilberforce University (1972).
- Fulbright Fellow, University of Ghana, Institute of International Education (1973) **(Declined)**.
- Graduate Student Fellow, University of Chicago (1973).
- Award for Ministry, Peoples Community Church (1976).
- Loder Scholar, United Methodist Church (1976, 1977).
- Benjamin E. Mays Fellow (Fund for Theological Education) Chicago Theological Seminary (1976, 1977, 1978).
- Distinguished Service Award, Special Programs for Americans (1977).
- Rockefeller Fellow (Fund for Theological Education) Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary, Northwestern University (1978, 1979, 1980).
- Founders Day Speakers Award, Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity (1978).
- Outstanding Young Men of America (1981).
- Crusade Scholar, United Methodist Church (1980, 1981, 1982).
- Center for Urban Affairs Fellow, Northwestern University (1980, 1981, 1982).
- Nominated Fellow, National Endowment for the Humanities (Summer 1983).
- Distinguished Service Award, Metropolitan Detroit Black United Methodist Youth Scholarship Fund (1986) .
- Research Fellow, Yale University (Winter, 1987) **(Declined)**.

Award for Christian Teaching, Hope United Methodist Church (June, 1987).  
 Nominated for Circuit Rider Award, United Methodist Church (1987).  
 Outstanding Clinical Therapist, Children's Center of Wayne County (1988)  
 City of Southfield, "Dr. Carlyle Fielding Stewart, III Day" (May 22, 1989).  
 State of Michigan "Citation of Merit for Outstanding Community Service" (June 7, 1989).  
 Merrill Fellow, Harvard Divinity School (Spring 1990).  
 Visiting Scholar, Harvard Divinity School (Spring 1991) (**Declined**).  
 Outstanding Male Programs, East-Central Jurisdiction, Black Methodist for Church Renewal (December, 1991)  
 Directory of African-American Religious Bodies (African-American Religious Scholars) Howard University  
 School of Divinity, 1991 ed. Wardell Payne, p. 193.  
 Outstanding Message Award, Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity (1992).  
 Church Growth Award, Detroit Conference, United Methodist Church, 1991.  
 Church Growth Award, Detroit Conference, United Methodist Church, 1992.  
 Outstanding Community Service, State of Michigan, Governor John Engler, 1997.  
 Circuit Rider Award, United Methodist Publishing House, 1993.  
 Black Theology: A Documentary History Volume Two: 1980-1982, James Cone, Gayraud Wilmore, eds. Orbis Books, 1993.  
 Church Growth Award, Detroit Conference, United Methodist Church, 1993.  
 South Oakland County NAACP, "Outstanding Community Service Award," 1993-1994.  
 Outstanding Speakers Award, Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, 1994.  
 Dictionary of International Biography, 1994.  
 International Who's Who of Intellectuals, 1994.  
 "Who's Who of Contemporary Achievement," 1994.  
 Founders Award - Detroit Black United Methodist Youth Scholarship Fund, 1994.  
 Church Growth Award, Detroit Conference, United Methodist Church, 1994.  
 Church Growth Award, Detroit Annual Conference, 1995.  
 Church Growth Award, Detroit Annual Conference, 1996, 1997, 1998.  
 Harry A. Denman Award For Evangelism, The United Methodist Church, 1996.  
 Congressional Citation, United States Congress, Rep. John Conyers, 1996.  
 Congressional Citation, United States Congress, Rep. Sander Levin, 1996.  
 David L. White Laity Award, National Black Methodists for Church Renewal, Baltimore, MD, March 1999.  
 Carlyle Fielding Stewart, III Scholarship, Garrett Evangelical Theological Seminary, Evanston, Illinois, 2000.  
 Martin Luther King, Jr. Board of Preachers, Morehouse College, Atlanta, Georgia, Spring, 2000.  
 Martin Luther King, Jr. Drum Major for Justice Award, Detroit East West Districts, United Methodist Church, 2002.  
 Gandhi, King, Ikeda Award, Michigan State University, Morehouse College, March 2002.  
 Directory of American Scholars, 2003  
 Order of the Eagle, 2005  
 Martin Luther King, Jr, Award, AFSCME, February, 2007  
 Oxford Roundtable, Oxford, England, March, 2007

### **Language Reading Facility**

German, French, Greek, Hebrew, Latin

### **Guest Preacher**

Englewood United Methodist Church, Chicago, Illinois. 1983  
 St. James AME Church, Chicago, Illinois. 1983  
 Southlawn United Methodist Church, Chicago, Illinois. 1984  
 Union Missionary Baptist Church, Danville, Illinois. 1984  
 Second Baptist Church, Evanston, Illinois. 1985  
 Hartford Memorial Baptist Church, Detroit, Michigan. 1985  
 Vernon Chapel AME Church, Detroit, Michigan. 1985  
 St. Stephens AME Church, Detroit, Michigan. 1985  
 Ebenezer AME Church, Detroit, Michigan. 1986

Original New Grace Baptist Church, Detroit, Michigan, 1986,1987,1988.  
 Grosse Pointe United Methodist Church, Grosse Pointe, Michigan, 1986.  
 St. Johns United Methodist Church, Pontiac, Michigan, 1986.  
 Calvary United Methodist Church, Detroit Michigan, 1986.  
 John Wesley United Methodist Church, River Rouge, Michigan, 1986.  
 Peoples Community Church, Detroit Michigan, 1986.  
 Scott United Methodist Church, Detroit Michigan, 1987.  
 Calvary Baptist Church, Detroit, Michigan, 1987.  
 Second Baptist Church, Detroit Michigan, 1987.  
 Harvard Divinity School, Cambridge, Massachusetts. 1989  
 Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary, Evanston, Illinois. 1989  
 St. James United Methodist Church, Detroit, Michigan. 1989  
 Trinity United Methodist Church, Detroit Michigan. 1990  
 Magnolia United Methodist Church, Southfield, Michigan. 1990  
 Resurrection United Methodist Church, Detroit, Michigan. 1991  
 Clarenceville United Methodist Church, Livonia, Michigan. 1991  
 Engleside-Whitfield United Methodist Church, Chicago, Illinois. 1991  
 Gresham-United Methodist Church, Chicago, Illinois. 1991  
 NCJ, BMCR, Detroit, Michigan October, 1991.  
 NCJ, BMCR, Chicago, Illinois, November, 1992.  
 Victory Community Church, Pomona, California, July, 1993.  
 Southlawn United Methodist Church, Chicago, Illinois, September, 1993.  
 Conant Avenue United Methodist Church, Detroit, Michigan, September, 1993, September, 1994.  
 Fellowship Chapel, Detroit, Michigan, October, 1993, September, 1994.  
 St. Paul United Methodist Church, Detroit, Michigan, November, 1994.  
 Greater Christ Missionary Baptist Church, Detroit, Michigan, June, 1994.  
 Resurrection United Methodist Church, Detroit, Michigan, September, 1994.  
 University of Chicago Divinity School, January, 1995.  
 Central United Methodist Church, Detroit, Michigan , February, 1995.  
 Mt. Vernon United Methodist Church, Houston, Texas, April, 1995.  
 Hope-Kensington United Methodist Church, Buffalo, New York, November, 1995.  
 First Baptist Church of Chatham, Chatham, Ontario, December, 1995.  
 Centenary United Methodist Church, Memphis, Tennessee, December, 1995.  
 Methodist Theological School, Columbus, Ohio, February, 1996.  
 St. John's Presbyterian Church, Detroit, Michigan, March, 1996.  
 Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary, Evanston, Illinois, April, 1996.  
 St. Mark's United Methodist Church, Chicago, Illinois, May, 1996.  
 Detroit Annual Conference, Adrian, Michigan, June, 1996.  
 Louisville Conference, Louisville, Kentucky, July, 1996.  
 Asbury United Methodist Church, Washington, D.C., September, 1996.  
 Scott Memorial United Methodist Church, Detroit, Michigan, 1997.  
 Simpson Memorial United Methodist Church, Jacksonville, Florida, March, 1998.  
 St. John's United Methodist Church, Pontiac, Michigan, April, 1998.  
 People's United Methodist Church, Detroit, Michigan, September, 1999.  
 St. Luke's United Methodist Church, Houston, Texas, October, 1999.  
 Metropolitan United Methodist Church, Detroit, Michigan, April, 2000.  
 Simpson Memorial United Methodist Church, Jacksonville, Florida, February, 2001.  
 St. Luke's Community United Methodist Church, Dallas, Texas, October, 2001.  
 Little Rock Baptist Church, Detroit, Michigan, November, 2001.  
 Morehouse College, Atlanta, Georgia, Chapel Preacher Founder's Day, Atlanta, Georgia, February, 2002.  
 Drew Theological Seminary, Madison, New Jersey, February, 2002.  
 Henderson Memorial United Methodist Church, Detroit, Michigan, March, 2002.  
 Simpson United Methodist Church, Jacksonville, Florida, March, 2002.  
 Henderson United Methodist Church, Detroit, Michigan, March, 2002.  
 National Black Methodist For Church Renewal, Indianapolis, Indiana, April, 2002.  
 Open Door Ministries, Milan Federal Correction Institute, Milan Michigan, May, 2002.  
 Northwest Unity Missionary Baptist Church, Detroit, Michigan, October, 2002.  
 Resurrection United Methodist Church, Detroit, Michigan, February, 2003.  
 The British Methodist Church of Canada, Windsor, Ontario, March, 2003

Second Grace United Methodist Church, Detroit, Michigan, November, 2003  
Grace Christian Methodist Episcopal Church, Detroit, Michigan, January, 2004  
Christ Church Cranbrook, Bloomfield Hills, Michigan, January, 2004  
Kalamazoo College, Kalamazoo, Michigan, February, 2004  
New Galilee Missionary Baptist Church, Detroit, Michigan, March, 2004.  
Central Christian Methodist Episcopal Church, March, 2004.  
Ebenezer Baptist Church, Atlanta, Georgia, March, 2005.  
People's Community Church, Detroit, Michigan, November, 2005.  
Centennial United Methodist Church, Kansas City, Missouri, March, 2007.  
Tabernacle Baptist Church, Detroit, Michigan, April, 2007.  
Dozier Memorial CME Church, Flint, Michigan, May, 2007.

References furnished upon request.

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