

I was born and raised in the Detroit area. I am so thankful that my parents were both committed Christians, and, my sister, Cathy, and I were given a strong Christian foundation and heritage. I was very involved in Pembroke Chapel's Sunday school and youth programs, yet at 10 years old, I knew it wasn't church attendance that mattered concerning where I stood with God. After a series of youth meetings, I decided to stay after to speak with the teacher regarding salvation in Jesus Christ. Frank Kierdorf sat down with me and showed me from the Bible verses that told me I was a sinner, but that the Good News was Jesus Christ made the provision for my sin. I recognized I needed a Savior, and that night I prayed to ask Jesus to forgive my sins – past-present and future and come into my life as my Lord and Savior. I didn't hear bells go off, but I knew I was different. I felt a love and acceptance in knowing I was clean before God.

My husband, Allan and I were married at Lake Pointe Bible Church, and I believe we were the third couple to get married at Lake Pointe. We have been involved at Lake Pointe for forty years now. We raised our two children, Audrey and Bradley, at Lake Pointe and are now raising our granddaughter, Gabby, at Lake Pointe.

My son, Brad and his wife Molly were also married at Lake Pointe in May of 2004. They have two precious children, Evan (4) and Alyssa (2). Evan is involved in our church Awana program.

I worked at General Motors Corporation in Detroit before having children. I took some night classes at that time. Then when my children were in elementary school, I was asked to help in the office at the church. I started out working two days a week and it has evolved into four days a week.