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NORTHSIDE CHURCH ELDER

I grew up in Eugene, Oregon. As the middle child of five boys, my upbringing consisted mostly of playing sports, hunting, fishing, and laughing (usually at the expense of one of the brothers). I am very fortunate to have grown up in a Christian home where I never had to question whether I was loved or where my identity came from. A few of the childhood lessons that my parents taught and that I carry with me today are, (1) “Nobody can take your integrity away, only you can compromise it”, (2) “A good reputation is hard to earn, but very easy to lose”,

and (3) “The most important relationships in life are with God, your spouse, and your family...in that order”.

I attended Oregon State University where I studied accounting and have now been working as a CPA for over twelve years. In 2019, I was given the opportunity to move from Eugene and become a partner in my firm’s Corvallis office. I have served in many leadership positions throughout both my professional and personal life.

My wife, Elizabeth, and I have been married for fifteen years and have three children, Micah (age 11), Josie (age 9), and Emmett (age 6). Our family enjoys spending time with friends and family, camping, being outdoors, sports, hiking, music, reading, golf, and good food.