



## Pastor Myra Bell – Biographical Sketch

Pastor Myra Bell and her husband, Apostle R. Christopher Bell, are the founders and Senior Pastors of Living Way Christian Fellowship Church in Pittsburgh, PA.

Myra has served the Body of Christ in several capacities for over 50 years. For 25 of those years, she served in numerous capacities at Miracle Church of God in Christ in Aliquippa, PA, under the leadership of the late Rev. Dr. David Armstead. Pastor Myra has been in the teaching and music ministries for several years. Through these avenues, many doors of ministry opened in Myra's life. She served nine years as the Pittsburgh Chapter Leader for the Edwin Hawkins Music & Arts Seminar national organization. She conducted musical workshops and church services at several PA State Corrections Institutions over 24 years. For six years she taught a Gospel music course at California University of Pennsylvania and served as Minister of Music for the Young & Gifted Gospel Choir at the university.

Pastor Myra retired into full time pastoral ministry in 2001 after working 25 years for Port Authority Transit in Pittsburgh. After establishing the church, Myra and her husband established and developed the curriculum for a Ministerial Training Institute, preparing ministers for their own ministries.

In addition to pastoring, she has also done volunteer work in Pittsburgh Public Schools, serving on a Harvard University Project Team for "Emerging Links"; served as the Executive Director for the faith-based Pathways to SUCCESS program; and as Executive Producer for the church's radio broadcast, "Living Way Today".

In 2014, Myra began providing music for the "Real Life Signs & Wonders" program on Cornerstone TV and later became a part of the ministry team. Currently, she is one of the hosts for Cornerstone TV's "Move Your Mountain" weekly program.

Myra and her husband will celebrate 25 years of marriage and 23 years of ministry together. Chris is proud to be the case study in Myra's book, "The Honeymoon Is Over: Secrets of a Happy Marriage, Even When It Doesn't Feel Like One." They have been featured on LeSea Broadcasting "The Harvest Show" in South Bend, IN, the Good Life 45 program, "The Good Life" in Orlando FL, and Cornerstone Television's "Focus 4" in Pittsburgh. Myra has been interviewed about her book on the Sirius XM Catholic Channel and the Jesse Lee Peterson radio program .

