



Jimmy and Janie Aldridge served as church planters in Kou and Bondoukou from 1962-1984. They left the field to work in the Mission office. The couple retired to Alabama in 1999 and serve as ambassadors for the Mission.



Verlin and Debbie Anderson use CHE (Community Health and Evangelism) to plant churches. Since 1997 the family has worked in Gouméré and Bouna and is currently based in Bondoukou.



Robert and Judy Bryan's (1975-2002) multi-faceted ministry included serving as dorm parents at ICA, church planting, and Christian publishing in Bouna, Bouaké, Tanda, and Abidjan. The Bryans are missionaries in France.



Frank and Marie Cousineau were church planters in Gouméré and Nassian from 1968-1973. Marie lives in Texas; Frank is deceased.



Mike and Deleen Cousineau's diverse ministry included business manager at ICA, teaching in the Bible institute, and church planting in Bouna and Bouaké. They currently minister to unreached peoples through The Hanna Project.



Paul and Rhoda Creech served as dorm parents at ICA in Bouaké from 1989-2001. They reside in Georgia where Paul pastors.



Allan and LaRue Crowson were church planters in Bondoukou and Nassian from 1975-1980. They transferred to France in 1982 where they served until 1994. They now live in Tennessee.



Mark and Donna Daniel were church planters from 1983-1992. They moved to Kentucky after resigning.



Shane Davison served short-term as a teacher at ICA in Bouaké from 2000-2002. He and his wife Joy work in France.



Patrick and Susan Dickens served in Bondoukou and Damé as church planters from 1975-1985. They minister to the elderly in Arkansas.



Dr. Kenneth & Rejane Eagleton served in Doropo from 1984-2004. Their ministries ranged from medical to church planting to teaching in the Bible institute. They transferred to Brazil in 2004.



Ken Sr. and Marvis Eagleton served as ICA dorm parents in 1958. They then served 32 years in Brazil. After their return to the States, Ken conceptualized and directed TEAM, a cross-cultural teen missions program. Ken died in 1999; Marvis joined him in 2003.

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Since work in Ivory Coast first began in 1958 among the Koulongo tribe in the area of Gouméré, it has expanded mightily. Medical missionaries opened a hospital in the Lobi-land of Doropo that is now operated by Ivorians. A three-year Bible institute has graduated 32 students, and is led by graduates of an early class. Over 70 churches and mission works preach the gospel each week.

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Traci Epps taught from 1995-2001 at ICA in Bouaké. She lives in Oklahoma.



Ledgel and Sharon Ferguson served in Gouméré, Tanda, and Agnibilekrou as church planters from 1977-1989. The couple are currently involved in a short-term ministry in France.



David and Sharon Filkins served from 1983-1987 as church planters in Tanda. They reside in Oklahoma.



Howard and Joan Filkins served from 1980-1982 as ICA dorm parents in Bouaké and as builders in Doropo. They live in Oklahoma.



Howard and Willie Gage served as builders in Doropo and Nassian from 1966-1973. Willie lives in Oklahoma; Howard is deceased.



Dr. Paul and Tammy Gentuso worked in Doropo as medical staff and church planters from 1991-2000. They live in Tennessee.



Neil and Sheila Gilliland served as ICA dorm parents from 1980-1988. After receiving his doctorate in psychology, Neil was hired to serve as director of member care for the mission.



Dr. Ruby Griffin served as a medical missionary from 1965 to 1968. She lives in Mississippi.



Ginger Harrison was approved as a medical missionary in 1996. She pursued training in tropical medicine, but due to unrest in Ivory Coast never made it to the field. She lives in Missouri.



Tanya Hart taught at ICA in Bouaké from 1993-1997. She lives in North Carolina.



Ernest and Elaine Holland served in Doropo and Bondoukou as church planters from 1984-2003. Elaine served as a nurse at the Doropo medical station from 1979-1983. They live in Oklahoma.



Dan and Nina Huddleston served as maintenance missionaries in Doropo from 1989-1990. They live in Oklahoma.



Bill and Joy Jones planted churches in Koun Fao from 1959-1969. Bill served in the Mission office from 1970-1971, and on the Mission board for a total of 24 years. They reside in Oklahoma.



Glenda Leatherbury served as a medical missionary in Doropo from 1985-1994. She died on the field.



Sherwood and Vada Lee served in Doropo and Bouna as medical and church-planting missionaries from 1966-1993. Sherwood is a member of the Mission board. They reside in South Carolina.



Jalayn Martens served as a medical missionary and worked with women, children, and youth ministries from 1985-1995 in Doropo and Bondoukou. She lives in California.



Archie and Sarah Mayhew served from 1963-1981 as church planters in Bondoukou, Gouméré, and Tanda. Sarah lives in California; Archie died in 1997.



Dan and Margaret Merkh served as church builders in Doropo, Gouméré, and Laoudi-ba from 1957-1965. They transferred to France where they served until 1975. Margaret lives in Virginia; Dan died in 2002.



Dr. LaVerne and Lorene Miley served as medical and church-planting missionaries in Doropo from 1960-1979. Upon leaving the field, the Mileys served in a variety of ministries, including medical consultant for the Mission. Dr. Miley died in 2005; Lorene lives in Tennessee.



Lynn and Ramona Miley served as church planters in Doropo from 1973-1986. They transferred to France where they served from 1980-1986. They currently reside in Alabama.



Ron and Linda Moore served as church planters in Bondoukou from 1986-1995. They live in South Carolina where Ron pastors.



Clint and Lynette Morgan's diverse ministry included medical outreach, church planting, and Bible institute training in Doropo and Bouna from 1976-2005. The couple serves in France and Clint is regional director for creative access countries.



Darrel and Lila Nichols worked as church planters in Agnibilekrou and Gouméré from 1983-2003. They transferred to Panama in 2003. Currently on leave-of-absence from the Mission, the Nichols live in Oklahoma.



Lonnie and Bernice Palmer were church planters from 1963 to 1977. After resigning, they moved to Arkansas.



Dr. Mark and Kathy Paschal served as medical and church-planting missionaries from 1992-1998 in Doropo. They live in Michigan.



Eddie and Sandra Payne served as medical and church-planting missionaries in Doropo and Bouna from 1962-1988. Following departure from the field, Eddie worked in the Mission office. They live in Tennessee.



Jerry and Carol Pinkerton have served as church planters in Nassian, Bouaké, Tanda, Doropo, Bouna, Bondoukou, and Abidjan since 1971. They recently began a nine-month stateside assignment.



Lloyd and Betty Plunkett served as ICA dorm parents from 1992-1995 and 1997-1999. They live in Tennessee.



Norman and Bessie Richards were church planters in Koun and Agnibilekrou from 1966-1994. Norman serves as an ambassador for the Mission. He and Bessie live in Tennessee.



Randal and Karolyn Richards served as church planters in Agnibilekrou from 1993 to 1994. They reside in Tennessee.



Alice Smith ministered to women, children, and youth in Agnibilekrou, Doropo, and Abidjan since 1975. She joined the CHE ministry in 2002. She is based in Bondoukou.



Lonnie and Anita Sparks served as church planters from 1956-1973. They transferred to Spain where they served until 1989. They live in Michigan.



Jim and Evelyn Teague served as ICA dorm parents from 1986-1990. They live in Tennessee.



Tina Tolbert taught at ICA from 1995-1996. She lives in Tennessee and teaches at FWBBC.



Terry and D.D. Vandivort were dorm parents at ICA from 2001-2002. They live in Tennessee.



Robert and Pam West served as maintenance and church-planting missionaries in Doropo and Kafalo from 1982-2003. They live in North Carolina.



Arilla Wode ministered to children, youth, and women in Doropo and Agnibilekrou from 1976-1992. She lives in Oklahoma.



Kim Zegelian served as a teacher at ICA in 1995-1999. She lives in North Carolina.

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*ICA is International Christian Academy, a boarding school for missionary kids.