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## MINISTRY BACKGROUND:

In 1979, Dr. Huckfeldt was commissioned in a Lutheran church. The initial ministry was teaching in the areas of pastoral care ministry and counseling with specific emphasis in providing assistance on marriage and pre-marriage family issues. Extensive additional training and certification in Christian Pastoral Counseling was obtained in the 1980's.

Since that time, he has been licensed and sent out for international ministry work by the Baptist Church, and also sent out by Charismatic and Interdenominational Churches with prayer and laying-on-of-hands. In 1994, he was anointed by the Lord during a trip to the Holy Land in affirmation of his status as a pastoral servant of the Triune God. In 2001, while visiting the United States, he was commissioned in services at the Billy Graham School of Evangelism.

## MINISTRY SUMMARY:

### **OVERSEAS MINISTRY**

Dr. Huckfeldt's activities as a Christian minister during years of overseas ministry work started in 1993 under Project LOVE. This has been in the CIS (Commonwealth of Independent States) and Countries of the former Soviet Union, and Eastern Europe. This includes the countries of:

Armenia, Azerbaijan, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Georgia, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Romania, Russia, and Serbia.

These activities have included:

- ❖ **CHURCH LEADERSHIP:** Leading English speaking church services and full pastoral duties in several capital cities at international churches open to all Christians and any visitors.
- ❖ **PREACHING AND REVIVAL SERVICES:** Conducting special community Christian services reaching thousands; for example:
  - Good Friday Tenebrae Services at the American University of Armenia (with speakers ranging from students to the U.S. Ambassador).
  - Memorial day cemetery service in Latvia after which a prayer line lasted 1 ½ hours which was longer than the service.

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Project **LOVE** is the missions arm of the non-profit National Policy Analysis Center and the humanitarian aid and spiritual assistance for Trinity **LOVE** Church

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- ❖ **BIBLE STUDY:** For small groups and special evangelistic services using videos of the Gospel in the Holy Land Jesus walked.
- ❖ **DELIVERY OF RELIEF AND AID:** Humanitarian containers of assistance were delivered to refugees and the needy: for example:
  - Delivery of winter shoes to children in a war bombed village in Armenia and giving them Bibles, as they had no books to read in their school. Now the Bible is the only book they use to learn.
  - Delivery of railroad trains of food to war refugees in Azerbaijan, and giving them more important food; the Gospel of our Lord and Savior.
  - Delivery of a container of new winter boots, parkas, sweaters, food, and computers to a school of abandon children in Latvia. The Lord assisted with a miracle as only \$8500 was raised for the container contents but the value sent to Latvia was over \$102,000. Also the Lord assisted with miracles in making permission from the Government occur in 1 day.
- ❖ **PASTORAL CARE AND COUNSELING:** To elderly, children, and families.
- ❖ **OFFICIATING AT BAPTISMS AND MEMORIAL SERVICES:** for both national citizens of the country being served and Americans with the embassy.
- ❖ **CHURCH COORDINATION AND COOPERATION:** Facilitating the cooperation between various church organizations and the government in each country to expand the spread of the Gospel.
  - Meeting Orthodox leaders to assist obtaining permission for other denominations to worship in Armenia.
  - Assisted ministry efforts that promoted a 3-day prayer meeting of government leaders and the Catholic Cardinal, Baptist Bishop, Lutheran Archbishop, and heads of Charismatic church organizations in Latvia.
- ❖ **SEMINARY AND MINISTRY TRAINING CENTER LECTURES:** at many locations with presentations on:
  - Walking through life under the guidance of the Holy Spirit
  - Christian Counseling Training
  - Music Ministry as an important part of evangelism
  - A Christian view of Philosophy

- ❖ MINISTRY TRIPS: Other ministry trips to un-named countries of the Middle East and Europe have been made to minister to the Muslim populations and to Christian training schools.

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**MINISTRY WORK IN THE UNITED STATES**

In the United States, and overseas; Dr. Huckfeldt has:

- ❖ Been the feature speaker leading regional marriage workshops,
- ❖ Been the invited speaker at special Bible study groups,
- ❖ Conducted church services as in interim or guest pastor
- ❖ Received awards for work with special groups (youth, singles, seniors)
- ❖ Served in Christian counseling and hospital care, and with resident counseling programs for the Autistic.
- ❖ Been called to serve as full time pastor in U.S. churches
- ❖ Serve as Executive Director of Project LOVE since 1977
- ❖ Directed the GODS Project efforts to rescue and lead to the Lord those caught in the sexual slavery of Human Trafficking.

Dr. Huckfeldt has worked with the following denominations:

Anglican	Armenian Apostolic	Assembly of God	Baptist
Catholic	Charismatic	Christian Church	Church of God
Community Free Church		Congregational	Foursquare Gospel
Lutheran	Nazarene	Orthodox	Presbyterian
Pentecostal-Church-of-God		United Church of Christ-Congregational	

In sharing the Gospel of the Trinity, Dr. Huckfeldt has been able to utilize his technical knowledge to assist government policy studies that have improved the general education and welfare of people both overseas and in the United States. In the FSU (Former Soviet Union) he was able to assist the redevelopment of the infrastructure in areas of energy, banking, airline travel, railroad transportation, irrigation, tourism, import/export relationships, water allocation, communication, joint venture development, and NGO coordination.

In addition the artistic sectors of society were given support to encourage an uplifting of the spirit of a people in a very depressed society. Food, clothing and shoes as well as Bibles, and most important of all, prayer support was delivered to refugees in the cities and war torn villages. All of this to help as directed in Matt 25:40 ***“Inasmuch as you have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, you have done it unto Me”***. Yes, the fruit has been produced under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, and all of this is for the glory of the Triune God.

Even the simple development and distribution of solar heaters and cookers gave an opportunity to share the gospel of the Trinity in the renewal of “Christians” that had not had Bibles for the 70 years of communism. In addition, the delivery of relief to Muslim peoples opened the door to share the LOVE of Christ and gain converts to accept salvation through the blood of Christ. The Lord has blessed these efforts and the Lord gets all the credit for the success!

## **Rev. Dr. Vaughn Huckfeldt** **MINISTRY WORK SUMMARY**

### **THE DEVIL ATTACKS:**

The devil would (of course) like to discredit the above efforts by using man made gossip to cast suspicion on these fruits. For while you are working for the Lord, if you have not **run into the devil** *you may be going his way*. Three examples of such untrue gossip are given for you to know the **truth**:

- American directors of American University of Armenia used USAID funds and Armenian money for the same work. When the double dipping was reported to USAID, the officials retaliated by making false accusations.
- An Armenian family was assisted in coming to the U.S. for education with the promise they would then to return to Armenia. They used marriage fraud by their daughter and made many false statements regarding life with Dr. Huckfeldt to claim asylum in order to remain in the U. S. These false statements were published by news papers without my knowledge while I was serving the Lord overseas. The real TRUTH was documented for the immigration services and resulted in lengthy legal processes until they falsely claimed that their life was in danger if they returned to Armenia. While they are forgiven and it was natural that they were willing to say anything to stay in the United States, the REAL TRUTH is known by GOD and He will judge their actions.
- Latvian pastors that first said; Dr. Huckfeldt was an angel for the aid and work, later spoke against him when he did not have more funds to help them. Of course, every American is rich and should have a lot of money!

### **THE REAL TRUTH IN AN EXAMPLE:**

In contrast an example of how fruit was produced by assisting the artistic sector of Armenia follows: In the mid 1990's an Armenian youth choir was brought on tour of the United States to compete in San Francisco with 60 other choirs from all over the world. They started singing in the National Cathedral in Washington D.C. and traveled all across the country. The final accomplishment according to many people was when the Armenian Choir and individual singers won the first place gold metals. This lifted the view of their nation from being impoverished and only needing assistance to the reality of a nation with great capabilities.

The real accomplishment had developed as they toured all over the United States to raise money for their trip. Churches of **different denominations** were asked to sponsor their concerts and to provide housing while the choir was in their area. Later pastors commented; "Through the beautiful singing of Christian music and the Christian interrelationships as they stayed with families changes in life took place. Families that only came to church on Christmas and Easter were now committed to their Lord and Savior and were active in work for the Lord."

You see how the Holy Spirit takes the small seeds planted even by youth and produces fruit. This example shows that working with many denominations can assist God's efforts to save a sinful mankind. And, God gets the praise and glory. Jesus Christ prayed for the unity of believers of all those in "the holy fellowship of true believers" that he left behind and by working with many that preach the true gospel of salvation we assist in answering that prayer.

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## EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

### *University Education*

**1973 Ph.D.** Degree - Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio

Major: Operations Research with emphasis in the areas of

Finance	Information Systems	Decision Analysis
Planning	Production Management	Inventory Control
Psychotherapy	Macro Economics	NonLinear Optimization

**1971 M.S.** Degree - Case Institute of Technology, Cleveland, Ohio

Major: Operations Research

**1966 B.A.** Degree - University of Colorado, Boulder, Colorado

Mathematics and Economics

### *Special Education and Certification*

**2007 Loan Officers Certification Course meeting FNMA and RESPA certification guidelines** for status as a Senior Loan Officer.

**2006 IRS Income Tax certification course** – Wiesbaden Germany

for status as an H&R Block Tax Office Manager & U.S. Military tax preparation volunteer.

**2000 Billy Graham School of Evangelism;** Denver, Colorado. Commissioning as a pastor for overseas missions.

**2000 Prepare / Enrich Advanced Counselling Training;** Colorado Springs, Colorado.

RE-Certification as a professional counsellor utilizing the Prepare / Enrich computer software programs for marriage enrichment including the counselling and evaluation of the results of marriage or pre-marriage testing.

**1999 Jackson Hewitt Income Tax certification course,** Grand Junction, Colorado

for status as an Office Manager for Jackson Hewitt, Montrose, Colorado.

**1985 TIME – Training In Marriage Enrichment training;** Dallas, Texas. Certification by TIME in professional counselling as part of continued education as a professional counsellor.

**1982 Prepare / Enrich Counselling Training;** Denver, Colorado. Certification as a professional counsellor utilizing the Prepare / Enrich computer software programs for marriage enrichment including the counselling and evaluation of the results of marriage or pre-marriage testing.

**1979 Stephen Ministries Counselling Training;** Boulder, Colorado, Commissioned as Lutheran Minister; Stephen Ministries training completed in Pastoral Counselling and family therapy.

**1967 Southern Bell Telecommunications Course;** Atlanta, Georgia Certification as an industrial consultant counsellor in evaluation of corporate communications.

**1964 Control Data Software Programming Course;** Boulder, Colorado Certification in software development for aerospace research.

**1962 Advanced Instructor Training – Air University of United States Air Force;** Maxwell, Alabama; Training and certification as an advanced instructor in the Air Force.

**1961 Instructor Training Course;** US Air Force, Lowry Air Base, Denver, Colorado Training and certification as an Air Force instructor.

**1960 Aerospace Telemetry Course;** US Air Force, Lowry Air Base, Denver, Colorado Training and certification in aerospace ground and satellite research.

## **EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE**

### **Academic Teaching Experience**

Professor; teaching graduate courses as full time and adjoint faculty in the areas of: management science, financial decision analysis, software development, data base management, and business psychology and counselling at:

**2002-03** University of Latvia (Contract) Grad. School of Mgt.& Econ. Riga, Latvia

**1993-94** American University of Armenia Grad. School of Bus.& Eng. Yerevan, Armenia

**1988-93** Regis University Grad. School of Business Denver, Colorado

**1985-86** University of Colorado Denver Grad. School of Business Denver, Colorado

**1974-85** University of Colorado Boulder Grad. School of Business Boulder, Colorado

### **Counselling Teaching Experience**

**1999-2000 Prepare / Enrich Counselling and Mentoring program,** Dallas, Texas; Teaching counselling and mentoring for couples to utilize the Prepare / Enrich program. The result has been the development of MARRIAGE MENTORS. See: [www.marriagementors.org](http://www.marriagementors.org)

**1980-82 Stephen's Ministry Counselling Course;** Boulder, Colorado; Lead instructor teaching two year counselling program for commissioning of church counsellors in the Lutheran church.

**1993-2006** This same material has been taught in many Eastern European settings.

### **Technical Teaching Experience**

**1961-63 Instructor United States Air Force Telemetry School;** Lowry Air Force Base, Denver, Colorado; Teaching aerospace research for both ground and satellite and missile systems.

## **Professional Employment**

The following positions have provided management experience with a variety of organizations at international, national, state, and local levels in dealing with a wide range of management and information systems issues including; import/export, auditing, planning, budgeting, contracting, scheduling, reporting, financial analysis, personal production, and outcomes. This experience has been in counselling and management in the private sector as well as public/non-profit organizations in the areas of Executive Administration, Finance, Customer Service, Marketing, and Personnel.

Much of the professional work since the late 1980's has been to provide funding assistance to the ProjectLOVE missions work in Eastern Europe for the National Policy Analysis Center.

**October 1976 to Present** - National Policy Analysis Center (NPAC): Executive Director for US and international offices. Responsible to the Board of Directors for the execution of the policies and decisions of the Board in providing executive leadership in carrying out the mission, goals and objectives of the center. Including all corporate aspects of; finance, government relations, employee management, and project management. Project work was in successful counselling concerning policy development. Office locations: Colorado Non-Profit 501-C3 Corporation registered location 12623 WCR 43, Hudson Colorado in USA (also registered in Texas and Florida); foreign offices have been in Yerevan, Armenia; and in Riga, Latvia. Overseas work has been in:

Armenia, Azerbaijan, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Georgia, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Romania, Russia, and Serbia.

**1993 to Present** - NPAC (National Policy Analysis Center) policy work in the past 17 years was in Eastern Europe completing government and business policy assistance by counselling executives in the CIS or FSU (Former Soviet Union) with specific experience with counselling regarding MIS development and market economy assistance in banking, transportation, and manufacturing sectors as well as the government ministries of; Energy, Finance, Economy, Transportation, Industry, Agriculture, Tourism, Privatization, Welfare and Education;

**Fall 2007** Senior Loan Officer, First Liberty Lending, Longmont, Colorado

**January 2007 – April 2007** H&R Block Crystal River, Florida - Income Tax Preparer

**January 2006 – May 2006** H&R Block Wiesbaden, Germany - Office Manager & Tax Preparer

**January 1999 - May 1999** Jackson Hewitt Montrose, Colorado - Office Manager & Tax Preparer

**1986 to 1987** - AutoTrol Technology Inc. Denver, Colorado: Manager of graphic software development. Responsible for a 24 man-year graphic software development which concluded on time, within budget, and met all project goals. This success was after AutoTrol had cancelled the two previous software development efforts because of over budget expenses and project goals not being met. I was able to utilize the same personnel to achieve success by applying management principles which I taught at graduate schools of business at the university level. This included counselling of higher corporate management (president and vice-president levels) in effective management of software development to achieve the project goals.

**August 1971 to Sept. 1976** - National Center for Higher Education Management Systems at Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education, Boulder, Colorado: Senior Staff Associate responsible for directing projects on federal and state financing of higher education and the allocation of educational resources. This function was to counsel state and federal educational executives (college presidents and state higher education commissioners, and federal directors) on the latest management techniques for higher education. At this time also worked on contracts providing counselling in educational management for the U.S. Office of Education, and the President's Commission for Higher Education in Washington, D.C. A computerized model of all United States higher education was developed to improve accessibility to higher education and the resulting Pell grants were developed. Special consulting was completed for the various executives in many states: including Oklahoma in faculty planning, New York in financial allocation of resources, Maryland in academic planning, Virginia in meeting federal guidelines for the transition from high school to college, Michigan in Community College planning, and Colorado in regard to student tuition levels.

**July 1967 to July 1971** - Anaconda Corporation, Louisville, Kentucky: Senior Operations Research Analyst responsible for corporate support of executive management in the areas of finance and accounting, resource allocation, inventory control, and production scheduling. This position was as an internal corporate consultant to the various presidents of the different Anaconda Aluminium Company divisions in; Kentucky, Georgia, New Jersey, Indiana, New York, and Montana. Projects were to improve the profitability of the different divisions and/or to improve interdivision communications.

**June 1963 to June 1966** - Ball Brothers Satellite Systems Group, Ball Brothers Corporation, Boulder, Colorado: Engineer on the Orbiting Solar Observatory Satellite development for NASA. Responsibilities were for satellite and ground station telemetry development and testing, as well as satellite experiment data analysis. For example the Earth Albedo Experiment measured for the first time the reflectivity of the earth. Work on this experiments data analysis included writing software for analysis of the satellites position above the earth and the specific point on the earth the experiment was looking at, and then by using aerospace mathematics to measure the angles of reflected light from the sun the earth the albedo measurement could be calculated.

## **Mental Health Practice as Psychotherapist and Professional Counsellor**

**1992-93** Chester House, Boulder, Colorado. – Counselling treatment of Autistic Residents. This counselling included effective development of autistic individuals to achieve the ability to work in regular employment part time and to live in a more normal single family home environment rather than a group home. For example, one individual that had previously been very constrained with heavy drugs and would have over 100 documented experiences of hitting other residents or staff every month, was at the end of the counselling having only 1 or 0 documented outbursts and was living in a single family home and working part time.

**1981-2000** Boulder, Colorado. Private Practice in pastoral counselling  
This counselling work was primarily in marriage counselling and in many cases with couples having severe marital problems. As an example (one of many) a couple could not decide which one would file for divorce or that they should both file. When they had stopped working with other psychotherapists and both worked through the counselling program that I established for them the result was that they were going on a “second honeymoon” six months later and are still not only happily married but are now assisting other couples with marriage issues.

**1980-88** Lutheran Churches, Boulder, Colorado -Pastoral Marriage Counsellor  
The Lutheran churches in Boulder required all individuals that were to be married to complete a pre-marriage counselling course and I was the pastoral counsellor for that course.

Also:

Past Member of Board of Director’s People’s Clinic, Boulder, Colorado  
Assisting in the governance of the center that provided low cost health care to low income families.

Past Member of Colorado Legislative Health Care Network, Denver, Colorado  
. Developing a position on national health care legislation.

## **AREAS OF EXPERIENCE**

Experience has been to manage projects on time, within budget, in the areas of:

- Construction
- Airport
- Aerospace
- Tourism
- Tax Preparation
- Electronics
- Real Estate
- Wild Life
- Water Mgt.
- Financing
- Computer Graphics
- International Trade
- Law Enforcement
- Relief Delivery
- International Shipping
- Communications
- Primary Metals
- Food Imports
- Banking
- Psychotherapy

A number of areas of the United States Government have been served through direct employment or contract policy development requiring extensive work with government procedures; including: DOD – Department of Defence; USAF – United States Air Force; AAFES – Army Air Force Exchange Service, United States Census, NASA – National Aeronautics and Space Administration, USAID – United States Agency for International Development overseas contract, USDA – US Department of Agriculture, USOE – United States Office of Education, and the President’s Commission on Higher Education. The highest security clearance held was: Secret

### **Computer Skills**

Proficient in use and having taught at the university graduate level computer systems including: Word Processing, Data Base, Spread Sheet, Computer Graphics, Computer Programming, power point presentations, and web site management.