



I have attended Canyon Springs Church for the past five years. I am married to Julie Mountain (our wonderful Women's Director, but I might be biased:). We have a 26 year old daughter (Elise) who also lives in San Diego.

While attending Canyon Springs I have been active in the "Empty Nesters" Home Group and the Men's Ministry to include leading an Canyon Springs Church Iron Men group. Additionally, I serve in the setup and teardown ministry.

My core spiritual beliefs are based on the Bible as interpreted and understood by historical Christianity (Nicene Creed, Evangelical Covenant Six Essentials, etc.). My beliefs are aligned with the Canyon Springs Church Essentials and the Evangelical Covenant Denomination's Six Essentials.

My reason for applying for the Pastoral Search Committee is to support our church in finding the right pastor who will lead us into the next chapter of Canyon Springs. I am eager to partner with the committee, using my leadership and talent acquisition experience to support our collective goal of finding the right pastor for Canyon Springs.

Professionally I served for 22 years as a Navy Officer making numerous deployments and participating in Operations IRAQI FREEDOM, ENDURING FREEDOM, DENY FLIGHT, SOUTHERN WATCH and RESTORE HOPE. After retiring from the Navy, I served as a Department of Navy Civil Servant for 13 years and just recently transitioned to work for General Atomics Aeronautical leading advanced aircraft programs.