

Frederick Ricks Jr, is a proud product of Vidalia Ga. He graduated high school in the year of 2007 from Vidalia High School. After graduating from high school, Fred attended the University of West Georgia! He has earned his Bachelors, Masters, and Specialist degrees all from the University of West Georgia. In addition, Fred is currently pursuing a Doctoral degree from the American College of Education in Instructional Technology and Leadership. will begin his journey Fred has been preaching the gospel for 10 years. He got his start under his Father, Pastor Frederick E. Ricks Sr of Pleasant Grove Baptist Church. He is extremely blessed to serve as the Pastor of the New Canaan Baptist Church located in Temple, GA where he has been serving for the past five years. His foundational scripture for ministry is “Not that I seek the gift itself, but I do seek the profit which increases to your [heavenly] account [the blessing which is accumulating for you].” PHILIPPIANS‬ 4:17‬ AMP‬‬. He believes the heart of any leader should be around meeting the needs of the people in the community. Fred loves all people and desires to help God’s people become the absolute version of themselves. He loves to add value to as many people as he can.

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 Fred is currently employed by Carrollton City Schools where he has been given the opportunity to impact, impart, and positively influence many students as an educator and GA Studies Teacher at Carrollton Middle School. He is currently in his 11 year of education. He is married to lovely Naquita Ricks, and they have been blessed with three beautiful children Ava, Jaxon, and Emersyn.