

# Biography

## Dr. Robert E. Dotson, Th.D.

### Place of Birth:

- Nashville, Tennessee, (D.O.B. July 1944)

### Family:

- Wife of 45 years: **Mary L. Gloves-Dotson**, Middleton, Tennessee (*Deceased*)
- Daughter: **Yolanda R. Dotson**

### Present Position:

- Self-employed Author and Teacher, S.U.R.G.One, LLC.
- Website: [www.instepwiththemaster.com](http://www.instepwiththemaster.com)

### Previous Positions: The Bethel Church Staff:

- Executive Pastor
- Lead Pastoral Counselor
- Christian Education Director
- Church Administrator
- Outreach and Evangelism Pastor

### Education:

- Educated in Nashville public schools.
- Attended: Tennessee State University, Nashville, TN, Engineering
- Undergraduate degree: Florida Southern College, Lakeland, Florida, B.S., Business Administration
- Attended: Luther Rice Seminary, Atlanta, GA.
- Masters and Doctorate (Theology) Degrees: Jacksonville Theology Seminary, Jacksonville, Florida.
- Licensed Clinical Pastoral Counselor, National Christian Counselors Association, Sarasota, Florida.

### Career:

- United States Navy: Senior Chief Electronics Technician (*retired*)
- JEA Jacksonville, Florida, Systems Control Technologist (*retired*)
- Minister: The Bethel Church, Jacksonville, Florida 32202 (*retired*)
- Teacher (*self-employed*): Advanced Discipleship Training, Advanced Teaching and Preaching, self-managed training.
- Licensed Clinical Christian and Pastoral Counselor, National Christian Counselors Association, Sarasota, FL.
- Author/Trainer: (*More than ten published books*)

### Other Professional Affiliations:

- Member: **American Association of Christian Counselors (AACC)**
- Member: **National Christian Counselors Association (NCCA)**
- Member: **Ministers of Education Network**
- Instructor/Facilitator: **Jacksonville Theological Seminary**

### Social Affiliation/membership:

- **The Royal Vagabond Men's Club**

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**Published:** (*Discipleship Institute*)

- **Church Growth and The Discipleship Institute** (*Study Guide*)

**Associated Books:**

- **InStep With Jesus** (Vision for discipling believers in Christ)
- **Prayer and the Royal Priesthood** (*Who we are in Christ*)
- **The God Kind of Love is Tough** (*Living by the Love of God*)
- **Only to Be More Like Jesus** (*Living a Christ-like Lifestyle*)
- **These Are They Which Testify** (*Discipling believers in Christ*)
- **The Relationship Solar System** (The art of building strong and lasting relationships)
- **Anybody Can Preach**, (with Study Guide)
- **The God-Kind of Love is Tough** (The new law of love)
- **The Final World Order** (The Kingdom of God vs. the kingdom of the world)
- **The Fundamentals of Christian Counseling**