

## Dr. Ronald RAMSEY

RELATIONSHIP COUNSELOR, FORGIVENESS **EXPERT & AUTHOR** 



Ronald D. Ramsey, MEd, DMin, LMFT, and Clinical Chaplain retired from corporate life after a twenty five-year career as an organization development consultant specializing in large scale culture change.

After earning a doctorate in family therapy, he has worked as a licensed marriage and family counselor in private practice. In 2017 he completed the requirements of the Association for Clinical Pastoral Education (ACPE) for hospital chaplaincy with additional training in Palliative Care chaplaincy. The majority of his work since then has been with patients receiving palliative care and their families.

Ronald is the author of the powerful book Forty Days to Forgiveness: A Christian's Field Guide to the Forgiveness Journey. The book draws from Ron's experiences as an organization development consultant, his knowledge of the behavioral sciences and theological studies, and his own unforgiveness challenges, to lead readers on a life-changing forgiveness journey.

## SUGGESTED INTERVIEW **TOPICS**

- Definition of forgiveness & the unforgiveness lifecycle
- The ACTION model for forgiving another person
- Distinctions between the secular and Christian view of forgiveness
- Knowing when you've forgiven someone, and knowing when you need to
- Myths about forgiveness
- Spiritual maturity
- Coping styles

## SUGGESTED INTERVIEW **QUESTIONS**

- What led you to write a book on forgiveness that's targeted to a Christian audience?
- What makes your approach to forgiveness unique?
- What do you mean by "the unforgiveness lifecycle?"
- How does someone know when they have forgiven someone else?
- How does one's coping style affect their ability to forgive someone else?







