

John Morden

Name	Consulting Specialties
John Morden	TIPs Pastor

I received my call to pastoral ministry the summer of 1982 at The Church of God of Anderson, IN International Convention at the age of 37. I enrolled in the Biblical Studies and Theology class through, Mid-America Christian University to begin preparation for pastoral ministry.

Shortly after my call to ministry the Quad Cities Church of God in Davenport, IA installed me as the associate pastor until I received my call to Big Sandy Community Church of God in Big Sandy, MT in August of 1989. I was ordained as a pastor in the Church of God on September 20th, 1992. I served there, in Elkhart, KS, and St. Louis, MO until March 25th, 2017.

During those years in ministry I became certified as a Christian counselor with AACC, a coach with CoachNet & NCD. I was chairperson for the Churches of God in Montana for 4 years and served 8 years (6 as chairperson) for Missouri Ministries on the Church Health and Development Team. I also served as an advocate for Crisis Aid International's fight against human trafficking.

In the summer of 2014, as was drawing closer to my mid-sixties, I began to ask God to reveal to me and equip me to exponentially touch more lives for the kingdom of God in however many more years I have left to serve than I have in the first 25 years of serving His Church. That prayer led me to NCS and the TIPS ministry.

To be given the opportunity to go into a hurting church and deal with the anxiety of facing yet another pastoral change, or to a church stained with a split and lovingly guiding toward His Holy Spirit anointing, and to share the anticipation and hope for a new future is a privilege and honor to experience. Truly God is answering my prayer through the TIPS ministry.