## Bob's Bio

Born on the prairies, raised on the West Coast, I graduated from North Vancouver Senior Secondary, attended Murdock University in Perth Australia, the University of Saskatchewan, and graduated with a Masters in Theology from St. Andrews College in Saskatoon. A diverse life experience has helped me value and enjoy people from all walks of life.

My job resume includes: taxi driver, real estate salesman, youth coordinator, mental health support worker, bus driver, waiter and brakeman. The road to ministry took my family to many engaging prairie communities like Saskatoon, Netherhill, Oxbow, Saskatchewan, where I worked on farms to help with tuition. This eventually led to settlement in Gambo, Hare Bay and Grand Bank, Newfoundland, where we enjoyed the fascinating and unique culture of outgoing people for six years.

When we were invited to join a great little church in Bamfield, we moved back to BC. I had my own church boat for visiting the mainly boating community. The fishing was great! And then it was off to the Shuswap where we spent many more years enjoying the beautiful lake country and the friendly folk of Chase, Sorrento and Celista, B.C. The Chase Legion, Branch 107, provided an opportunity to be their Padre for ten years.

When we retired, Dianne and I moved to Denman Island - not the first Gulf Island we have lived on – Saturna, Lasqueti, Texada and Protection Islands being our previous domiciles. Life is quite serene here on Denman and conducive to writing, especially during the last couple of years. Learning how to edit, format and self-publish a book is a continuing learning experience!

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