

Yoichi Mori

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VISION

Lead the Japanese people and their family all around the world to their salvation of Jesus Christ standing on the Bible.

MISSION

With the Southern Baptist Convention and the Japanese Church Planting Network, establish Japanese International Baptist Church in Littleton, around south of Denver, a new Church for the Japanese people and the family in Denver area that is led by and filled with love, worship and fellowship of God, Jesus Christ and the Holy Spirit.

EDUCATION

Master of Divinity	December 2008
George Fox Evangelical Seminary, Portland, OR	
Master of Engineering	March 1987
Industrial Chemistry	
Utsunomiya University, Tochigi, Japan	
Studied oxidative reaction of natural organic chemicals.	
B.S., Industrial Chemistry	March 1985
Utsunomiya University, Tochigi, Japan	

WORK EXPERIENCE

Chief Engineer of the Technical Division

July 1997 – May 2002

Asahi Glass Co. Ltd., Kitakyushu Factory, Fukuoka, Japan

- Researched and explored the industrial use of baking soda to commercialize it.
- Provided the ways to make the commercializing costs down.

Chemical and Process Engineer

April 1987 – May 2002

Asahi Glass Co. Ltd., Kitakyushu Factory, Fukuoka, Japan

- Managed chemical processes of soda products, such as baking soda, soda ash, and caustic soda.
- Managed the working schedules and condition of the operators in the soda factories.

CHURCH EXPERIENCE

Ordination at Japanese International Baptist Church, Oregon

February 16, 2009

Japanese International Baptist Church

October 2002 – Present

Tigard, OR

- Serving as a Sunday school teacher and helper for Pre-K Children.
- Am a member of evangelical board.
- Leading some different small groups of young mothers, senior women and others in certain areas.
- Assisting the Church activities of rafting in Summers for some different groups, such as the Japanese youth, the English youth and the English convention.
- Operating the audio soundboard for Church services and activities.
- Making videos of Church activities, such as Church retreat, vacation Bible school, Christmas, and others to be shown during services.
- Have served as a messenger during Sunday services at several different Japanese Churches.

Fukuoka International Church

June 2002 – August 2002

Fukuoka-shi, Fukuoka, Japan

- Transferred the membership from Wakamatsu Baptist Church in June 2002.
- Prepared in the Japanese-English bilingual services before moving to USA.

Wakamatsu Baptist Church

November 1993 – June 2002

Kitakyushu-shi, Fukuoka, Japan

- Baptized in March 1995
- Served as a member of church choir and evangelical board.

Other Experiences

The Japanese Bible study at George Fox University

September 2002 – March 2007

- Introduced the Bible to the Japanese exchange Students who were non-Christians from Okinawa mostly, and led the Bible study.
- Supported the students' lives here and their spiritual needs.

Mission Trip to Okinawa, Japan for a week

July 2003

- Visited seven churches to share our experiences with the students and to make connection for the returned students to be followed up.
- Spent some time with the both Christian and non-Christian returned students to encourage and up-date with them.

FAMILY

Wife: Tomoko Mori

- Serving in the worship team at JIBC
 - As a worship leader

2007 – present

- As a vocalist 2004 – 2007
- Served in the Children's Ministry 2004 – 2008
 - As a teacher/assistant teacher of the Children's choir class and the Sunday school
- Released private gospel CD September 2002
- Married with Yoichi Mori December 1999
- Graduated from George Fox University in Oregon May 1995
- Baptized in Oregon during home stay August 1989

Daughter: Sambi Mori

- Born in Kitakyushu, Japan September 2000
- Baptized in JIBC August 2007
- Second grader at Veritas School in Newberg, Oregon
- Learning violin, piano, and ice-skating lessons.

Daughter: Inori Mori

- Born in Newberg, Oregon February 2004
- Preschooler at Wee Care Christian Preschool in Newberg, Oregon
- Learning ice-skating lesson.

Son: Kishin Mori

- Born in Newberg, Oregon June 2008

