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I wanted to start my bio with some great quote on time. About how it goes so fast, and there is never enough, and your kids grow up, and you get tired....but I couldn't find one with all that. So, it is true. The time has gone so fast. My husband and I will be married for thirty years this year. That is remarkable considering we were such babies when we got married.

We are both busy, so there is never enough time. Roger owns his own electrical business, is involved at church, and of course with our family. I am involved at home and with Sonlight and other great things. God has blessed me with a ministry that I dearly love. Several years ago some of my friends and I started "Club in the Park" at a park in a low-income neighborhood five minutes from my house. We would haul an entire VBS to the park for one week. We would have about 100 kids and they would cry when we left. So three years ago we started meeting in their local school under the umbrella of Child Evangelism Fellowship (remixed). I love our kids and we are reaching them for Christ.

My kids are growing up fast. Sean got married this year to a wonderful girl, Alice. They are both going to school. His wife is getting her masters degree in social work and he has started medical school. My other son, Tyler, is a junior at Cedarville University in Ohio studying electrical engineering. The girls are my last ones at home. Ellen is a junior in high school. She loves violin, voice and theater. Khalia is following in her sister's footsteps also taking violin and doing theater. It is nice because we can all be involved in Christian Youth Theater together.

I am often tired at the end of the day! But God is my refuge and strength. I learned this year to make my daily "To do" list to have one thing on it and one thing alone. "Glorify God in all you do." If I can check that box for the day, then I praise God as I fall into bed.



