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Dr. John J. South



*A Chaplain's Perspective to
Meeting the Life Needs
of People*

Experience and Education

1. Trained chaplain with over 25 years experience working with the law enforcement and military communities. Professional skills in personal and marriage counseling, human relations, problem-solving and interpersonal communications. Personal insight into the key issues faced in death and dying, emotional distress and crisis intervention. Adjunct professor with Grand Canyon University teaching crisis intervention to law enforcement officers. Counseling skills in loss, death and dying, suicide prevention and intervention, disaster and crisis intervention and debriefing. Former police officer with 13 years experience. Vietnam combat service veteran.
2. Chaplain South holds a B.A. in Criminal Justice from California State University, Sacramento, California. A Master of Divinity Degree from Western Seminary, Portland, Oregon, a second Master's Degree in Strategic Studies, from the U.S. Army War College, Carlisle, Pennsylvania and a Doctorate of Ministry Degree in Suicide and Crisis Intervention from Phoenix Seminary, Phoenix, Arizona.
3. Chaplain South's military education includes the U.S. Army Chaplain Basic and Advanced Courses, Command and General Staff College and the U.S. Army War College.
4. He founded two ministries for law enforcement personnel. One in Beaverton, Oregon called Officer Alive and Law Enforcement Ministries Inc. in Phoenix, AZ which included Cops 4 Kids.
5. Mobilized in support of the Global War on Terrorism (GWOT) as a Chaplain to brief soldiers deploying and returning on stress, suicide, family reunions and Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD).

References:

"Chaplain South traveled to Ground Zero in New York City, New York on multiple occasions to minister to the men and women involved in the search and recovery effort and those working at the triage morgue following the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001. I have personally known Chaplain South during his many years with the Phoenix Police Department. His personal devotion, unselfish dedication and deep compassion have made difficult times easier to endure for many police employees."

Jack Harris, Public Safety Manager, City of Phoenix

"As a 9 year volunteer chaplain for the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives, Chaplain South has consistently exhibited concern, compassion, and a true willingness to go the extra mile. He assisted our peer support teams in Colorado in 1999 after the Columbine shootings, worked with the many ATF employees and their families affected by the 9/11 tragedy in NYC and participated in briefings for ATF Special Agents and Explosives Specialists deployed to Iraq to assist the Iraqi military and police force and government. Chaplain South is a person dedicated to all that is honorable and good."

Marianne Ketels,

Ombudsman, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives

"I highly recommend COL(R) Dr. John South as a presenter on the subject matters of Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD), Crisis Intervention and Suicide Prevention. Dr. South is a retired US Army Chaplain and an intervention expert who I have had numerous personal contacts with. Dr South and I were co presenters at the FBI-Law Enforcement Executive Development Association Annual Conference in Daytona Beach, FL (2008). He is consistently outstanding." **Paul Mock, Major General(R), United States Army**

"I highly recommend COL(R) John South as a mentor, presenter and facilitator on matters of Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD), Crisis Intervention, Suicide Prevention and other topics dealing with the outcomes of traumatic events. Dr. South brings not only his substantial experience but also academic excellence to any task assigned. He is one of the few academics who can say that he personally participated in post-catastrophic events, on the ground with the Army, rescue, firemen and police personnel involved. I have served with John South for over fifteen years of Army operations. He is a dynamic leader and a caring person. He brings an impeccable character and passion for his work and calling which I have seen in very few persons. You could not have a better person work with/for you than John South, Best of the best." **John Scott, Major General (R) United States Army**

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Integrating Mind, Body and Spirit



Why A Chaplain?

A friend to all, a confidential listening ear out of the chain of command.

Provides continuous live human contact and concern