

Greg Von Tobel Biography

Greg Von Tobel was a former stockbroker of 10 years for Shearson Lehman Brothers when God called him into full time prison ministry work. On May 14th 1990, God closed one chapter of his life and on May 15th 1990, God opened up a whole new chapter. Greg has been ministering in Washington State jails and prisons ever since; first on a volunteer basis and then as full-time missionary to those incarcerated.

Greg is the founder and President of Prisoners for Christ Outreach Ministries, a 501 c(3) nonprofit organization dedicated to taking the Gospel of Jesus Christ into the jail, prisons, and juvenile institutions not only in Washington state, but now worldwide. PFC has offices in Penza Russia; Kenya, Burundi, Rwanda, The Congo, Uganda, Ghana, and India.

In 2010, over 500,000 inmates attended PFC sponsored programs and over 150,000 of those accepted Jesus Christ as their personal Lord and Savior. PFC volunteers conduct over 200 services a month, averaging more than 7 per day. The PFC National Bible Study Correspondence School has more than 1,800 inmates enrolled in its student body. PFC has hundreds of volunteers in the ministry in some capacity coming from over 125 different churches.

Greg is also the founder of Standing Stones Ministries, a clean and sober home for addicts and alcoholics from all walks of life. Standing Stones Ministries (SSM) is a faith based, Christ-centered 501(c)3 non-profit organization providing a healthy environment in which individuals struggling with drug and alcohol dependencies can successfully deal with the issues that have so drastically impacted their lives. SSM is a regeneration ministry that combines Bible-based teaching with classroom instruction, job/work ethics training, and family reconciliation programming.

Mr. Von Tobel served on the Governor's Panel of the Department of Corrections Religious Services Advisory Council assisting the DOC in setting religious policies and practices for inmates. In addition, he has served as Past President of the Washington Chaplains Association and is a former City of Duvall Councilmen.