# Dr. J. Lisa Stewart



# Vice President of Discipleship, Director of Alumni, Student Life & Career Services, and Professor

- Ph.D., Capella University, (Education, Leadership in Higher Education Specialization)
- Post-Master Certificate, Capella University (Enrollment Mgmt.)
- MBA, LeTourneau University (Human Resource Management Specialization)
- Bachelor of Business Management, LeTourneau University

Dr. Lisa Stewart, the wife of Patrick Stewart, Sr., serves as the vice president of discipleship, director of alumni, student life & career services, and professor.

Although she started college after high school, she delayed her education to be a wife and mother. After her children were away at college, she finished her education earning a bachelor's in business management in December 2005 from LeTourneau University. In May 2008, she earned her master's degree in business administration (MBA) with a human resource management specialization. In September 2009, she completed her post graduate work earning a post-master certificate in enrollment management. Dr. Stewart completed her work for a Ph.D. in education in spring 2015 with a specialization in leadership in higher education at Capella University. As part of the program, she earned a post-master professional certification from Noel Levitz in enrollment management in January 2010. Her research dissertation is titled, Bridging the Gap between Enrollment and Graduation: An Exploratory Study of Retention Practices Utilized to Manage Retention of Nontraditional Undergraduate Students attending Faith-based Institutions.

Prior to CBS, Dr. Stewart worked at LeTourneau University, Central Christian Academy, and Ben Taub General Hospital. In addition to her administrative and teaching responsibilities, she is a pastor's wife, author, and speaker.

Dr. Stewart is also the author/speaker of the Moment of Encouragement video messages provided regularly to all CBS female faculty, staff, and students. If you are interested in receiving these messages, please let Dr. Stewart know.

Dr. Stewart and her husband reside in Houston and have two adult children, one daughter-in- law, one son-in-law, and four grandchildren.

#### **Conference Presentations**

Dr. Stewart has presented at several Christian women's conferences, workshops, and Christian Higher Education Conferences. For specific titles please contact Dr. Stewart.

### **Publications**

Bridging the Gap between Enrollment and Graduation: An Exploratory Study of Retention Practices Utilized to Manage Retention of Nontraditional Undergraduate Students attending Faith-based Institutions (Spring 2015). ProQuest Dissertations & Theses 2015.

Becoming Faith and Fit - Learning Biblical Methods to Win our Daily Battles. SMG Publishing (1991).

## **Contribution to Published Books**

"Best Practices in the Integration of Faith and Learning for Adult and Online Learners." (C.T. Fleming and C.B. Tweedell, Editors, 2010).

"Helping Students Remember Their Why." 87-93. Indiana: Triangle Publishing