



I have lived at 13 Tiburon Court Annapolis Md 20413 since Sept. 2003. Before that I lived in Philadelphia.

I have a Ph.D in physical chemistry as well as a teaching certificate. I taught at the University of Pittsburgh from 1979 to 1983 in a program for freshmen whose high schools did not prepare them. They were primarily african americans from the inner cities. I also taught at the State Correctional Institution at Pittsburgh, a maximum security institution for men. As well as teaching chemistry and physics there I also taught how them how to disagree without being disagreeable, and other life skills that the inmates were weak in.

I have lived in a variety of neighborhoods, from rural to city from middle income to low income from primarily white to primarily black.

I was brought up Quaker and have been Muslim for the last 17 years. I have served on the governing council of the Islamic Society of Annapolis and I continue to be their Interfaith Coordinator, I am presently secretary of the Chesapeake Interfaith Environmental Group and a member of GAIN ( the greater Annapolis Interfaith Network).

I have been a member of the Annapolis Human Relations Commission since Jan 1, 2007

and wish to continue in that role. I am a trained mediator, having acquired the training while on the Human Relations Commission.

I am also on HACA's (the Housing Authority of the City of Annapolis) Grievance Committee.