

T. Bob Davis, D.M.D

Personal Data: Native of Troy, Alabama, U.S.A.

Wife – Janis Murphy

Children – Shawn, Angie, Creth

Grandchildren – Avery, Olivia, Asher, Henry, Audrey, Sutton, Allie

Education:

- University of Alabama, Doctorate of Dental Medicine, 1967
- Howard College/Samford University, Bachelor of Arts, 1963
- Mars Hill University, Associate of Arts, 1961
- Fellow, Academy of General Dentistry, 1981
- Master, Academy of General Dentistry, 2010

Honors – Professional

- Who's Who in Dentistry 1995
- Captain – United States Air Force 1967-1969
- Dentist of the Year – Dallas Academy of General Dentistry: 1987, 2001, 2014; Dallas County Dental Society 2011;
- Texas Dentist of the Year 2014
- AGD President's Award 2015 for "...creating a sustainable legacy of hope and love"
- Christian Dental Society Ron Lamb Award 2015
- ADA Volunteer Certificate

- Academy of General Dentistry Public Information Council Member 1984-1990, Chairman 1986-1990; Delegate/Alternate 1981-2003; 2011-2013; Spokesperson 1987-present; Texas Region XII Director, Secretary 1983-1984
- Texas Academy of General Dentistry President 1984-1985; Secretary 1983; Director 1986-1990, Lone Star Dental Conference Chairman 1997; Dental Care Vice President 1991-1992; Interprofessional Relations Committee Chairman; Budget/Finance and Nominating Committees Chairman
- Dallas Component A.G.D. President 1982-83; Director 1980-1990; Editor 1987-1989; Advisor 1991-1993

- Dallas Mid-Winter Dental Convention, General Chairman 1991; Attendance Chairman 1983; Table Clinics Chairman 1980; Registration Chairman 1977; Secretary/Treasurer 1984; Class Captain Chairman 1981; Publicity Chairman 1979; Speaker 2008
- American Dental Association, Alternate Delegate 1993-1999; Delegate 1996-2004; Annual Session Committee Member 1979; 2005 Chairman Credentials, Rules & Order Committee
- Texas Dental Association Delegate 1989-1995, 1997-2003
- Dallas County Dental Society, Board of Directors 1988-1991, 1982-1984; Parliamentarian 1986, 1997, 2009-2013; Secretary/Treasurer 1983-1984; Finance Committee Member 1984-1985; Strategic Planning Committee Member 1990-1991; Community Health Committee Chairman; Chaplain 1998-1999; Constitution & Bylaws Committee Chairman 2008-present
- Fellow – International College of Dentists 1988
- Fellow -- American College of Dentists 1990
- Fellow – Academy of Dentistry International 2001; Regent 2007-2012; USA Section Secretary 2008-2012; ADI VP of Education 2012-2014; President Elect 2014-2016
- Academy of Dentistry International President 2016-2018

Honors – Community

- Mayor Citation – City of Matamoros, Mexico: 1987-1989,
- 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010 for donated dental services by the T. Bob Dental Mission teams most of the 34 years of those trips in conjunction with the City of Matamoros, Mexico, DIF and the Mayor’s Wife who is in charge of the city’s public health.
- Featured Personality: CBS “Texas Country Reporter”
- Featured Personality: Swan’s Place, ABC News
- Texas Department Human Services Dental Advisory Committee, Vice Chair
- Christian Medical/Dental Association Member 1964-present
- Christian Dental Society Member
- Marquis Who’s Who in the South and Southwest: 1986 – 1987 Ed.
- Trustee/Secretary of the Board, Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary 1986-1996
- Fellowship of Christian Athletes: 1983-1986 Volunteer Recognition
- Deacon – Prestonwood Baptist Church & First Baptist Church, Dallas, TX

- Baylor College of Dentistry – Alumni Association Honorary Member:
- Baylor College of Dentistry – Preceptor
- Baylor College of Dentistry – Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of General Dentistry, 1991
- Baylor Medical Center at Garland: 1970's – Dental Staff
- Garland Community Hospital: 1970's – Dental Staff

Dental Publications

Numerous newspapers and magazines as Spokesperson for and Chair of Public Information of the Academy of General Dentistry.

“Dental Mission Manual for Portable, Short-term Dental Trips”, c 2015 Christian Dental Society, Contributor

“Summitt’s Fundamentals of Operative Dentistry” 4th edition c 2013, pp, 428/429 Quoted Numerous Dental Journal Publications with articles on volunteerism.

Numerous Radio and TV appearances as a spokesperson for dentistry.

Dental Lectures

Southwest Dental Conference, Maryland Bridges, 1-18-2007

Texas AGD Mastership Class, Tyler, Texas, Maryland Bridges, 6 hours lecture/workshop, 3-4-2011

Chicago Dental Society Mid-Winter Dental Convention, Maryland Bridges, 6 hours lecture, 2-27-2016

Academy of Dentistry International, Honolulu, Hawaii, Maryland Bridges, 1-30-2009

Academy of Dentistry International, FDI, Salvador, Brazil, Maryland Bridges, 9-1-2010

Academy of Dentistry International, Convocation, Mexico City, Mexico, 11-16-2012

Texas Academy of General Dentistry Lone Star Conference Lunch & Learn 9-12-2014

University of Francisco Marroquin, Guatemala City, Guatemala, 3-20-2013 & 3-13-2015

OKU Annual Banquet, UT Houston Dental School, Awards Evening Speaker, 4-22-2014

Dental Volunteerism

- Founder (in 1977) and Director of T. Bob Davis Productions' Student Dental Mission Trips to Mexico, Nicaragua, and Guatemala, now in its 41st annual continuous season. Web Site www.tbobdavis.com features photos and links to photos/videos of previous trips with personal testimonies of its meaning to participants recorded at the end of each recent trip(s).

- Creator of the Academy of Dentistry International, USA Section, Student Servant Leadership Award, Spring 2011, with first awards going to Houston, San Antonio and Baylor Dental Schools, honoring a senior dental student from each school who exhibits leadership and compassionate service to others with at least two mission trips internationally or volunteered in two charity/free clinics in USA while in school. Currently, 13 Dental Schools receive this prestigious award annually.

- Created a 4 chair permanent (plus 6 chair portable) clinic in Matamoros, Mexico for the Matamoros Baptist Children's Home, personally acquired most all donated equipment and supplies, packed one 26 foot U-Haul trailer, another smaller trailer, and another large moving van full of those items in Dallas, TX, and delivered them by vans to the Home from Brownsville, TX, kept that clinic stocked annually for at least 25 teammates to provide care for children and staff of Home and up to a total of 90 others in external/remote dental sites, maintained portable equipment in that facility for annual Spring Break Dental Teams to spread out to churches, colonias, fishing villages, islands, and the City of Matamoros DIF dental clinics while staging the teams in Brownsville, TX at the First Baptist Church of Brownsville's Mission Outreach Center (MOC) that housed 100 in one building and 60 in another.

- Developed outreach locations around Matamoros in over a dozen churches, 3 DIF facilities, 3 remote sites at fishing villages along the coast of Gulf of Mexico, 3 remote sites on islands that were devastated by a Hurricane, and a beach site on the Gulf.

- Consistently saw from 35 to 150 children each year as the Children's Home grew over the years and Dr. Davis designed and donated most of the equipment and supplies over those years, including a new dental suite which kept a team of 25 busy taking care of those children during the mission trip yearly. With up to 25 dentists on the trip mentoring, over 61 dental students from two dental schools in Texas, Hygiene students from several Texas Hygiene Schools, pre-dents, assistants, front desk and translators all have made up the team.

- Recognized by Mayor of Matamoros for donation of dental chair for their new mobile dental van during Matamoros Fair Grounds Day Celebration with dignitaries from around the world.

- 34 years to Matamoros Baptist Children's Home with several teams of over 100 dental participants; 1 year to Nicaragua; 5 years to San Raymundo, Guatemala, Hospital and Dental Clinic (2012-2016) where 1086 patients were seen in 2016 Spring Break Dental Mission by 90 teammates which included 61 dental students from two USA Dental Schools; featured Mexico trip on CBS Texas Four Country Reporter and 2005 trip on A&E TV Network series "Airline".

- Mentored more than 2,000 dental personnel over 40 years of continuous annual dental missions. One US Air Force Dentist Colonel (1987) resigned and became head of dental for Mercy Ships, one of our first students went on to be full time dental missionary to St. Vincent, one local dentist made his first dental mission trip with us and then founded ServingHIM 501c mission organization (1998), one dental student went with us every year of school plus over a decade as a practicing dentist and became the local CMDA director for that school as a professor there, many others do their own trips. By hiring two Russian immigrants and training as dental assistants (one still employed going over 25 years), all 7 siblings are now US Citizens, and hiring part time a young man immigrant from Guatemala, both he and his parents became US Citizens.

- Speaker for ICD/ADI Pilot Partnership Volunteer Symposium to encourage dental volunteerism worldwide with a 3 hour course. Original committee member establishing the Pilot Partnership, demonstrating the power of honorary organizations working together throughout all the main dental conventions in USA promoting volunteerism.

- Future Planning for August, 2018, dental mission trip to NE India initiated by having Texas Baptist Men in November, 2015, drill a well for fresh water as a first in that area in preparation for our dental mission trip with Oral Hygiene and basic dental care where no dental care has ever been available.

- Leading the Academy of Dentistry International as President Elect and future President into an enlarging presence in volunteerism, including the ADI as the first ever dental Non-Governmental Organization in the United Nations Department of Public Information, promoting dental health value to all nations of the world.

- In January, 1973, single handedly arranged for borrowing Baylor Dental School on one Saturday to examine, take xrays, clean the teeth, and give OHI to approximately 400 children who were current residents of Buckner Baptist Benevolence's Dallas Children's Home, involving 10 dentists and 50 dental personnel creating a first dental home chart for all 400 children, with planned follow-up that resulted in a new dental suite and part-time dentist and hygienist being employed, much of the equipment donated by T. Bob.

- When contacted in 1988 by Mr. Ed Shipman, founder of Happy Hills Children's Home in Glen Rose, TX, (a favorite charity of The Dallas Cowboys), Dr. Davis travelled to their facility and planned for a dental suite that would take care of the children on site rather than shuttle them to Ft. Worth for dental care. That suite was largely filled with donations from Dr. T. Bob and his contacts, resulting in Dr. Davis identifying a Pediatric Dentist from Irving who for years did the actual work on campus.

- When contacted by the Dallas County Dental Society to represent them in helping dentists donate to volunteer dental causes, T. Bob has done so for over 40 years.

- As a committee member and Chair of Dallas County Dental Society's Community Health Committee, Dr. Davis was asked to visit the charity locations supported by DCDS and determined that many children that were in the Dallas County Juvenile Detention Center had dental pain requiring them to be transported to dental offices in the community for care. The fact that there was concern for safety of both the child and caregivers under such circumstances, Dr. Davis asked the Superintendent if he could put a dental room into the Center and equip it so one patient at the time could be seen for emergencies etc. With that approval, Dr. Davis donated a chair and some equipment and supplies to start the dental operatory with recommendations of dentists to work it. They eventually hired a part-time young dentist to be available.

- Years later, in 1999, Dr. Davis received a letter in the mail advertising for hiring a dentist for the Dallas County Juvenile Detention Center. He went to the brand new facilities on I-30 West past Hampton St. for a tour and info on what they were considering. Upon considering the need versus the existing one room facility they had placed in the new building, Dr. Davis designed and proposed a 5 chair facility to meet the need. With the help of Director Mike Griffiths, Assistant Director Randy Wadley and Business Manager Barbara Roberts, the ideas were presented to Doug Vance, Superintendent and Marta Balleste', Deputy Director by Dr. Davis with a separate meeting one-on-one with Dr. Karine R. Lancaster, Medical Director, Dallas County Health and Human Services, all of whom readily agreed with the plan. It was left up to them to pursue, with some funding ideas offered by Dr. T. Bob. The plans were altered to a 3 operatory facility and they built it and rehired the part-time dentist. Dr. Davis had suggested to them that they should get with Baylor Dental School and let their new facility become an off-site teaching facility just like the rotations the school had in other facilities in the medical district. That suggestion also became reality and today students go to the facility under supervision of a Dental School Professor.

- When twins from his church youth group were placed in the old Dallas County Juvenile Detention Center near Parkland Hospital, Dr. Davis realized they were only detained for a few days (for minor vandalism in their neighborhood) but were in with the hardest/toughest criminal children (including murderers) where harm could come to them both physically and emotionally unnecessarily. It was not reasonable for them to be placed there but all children at that time with minor offenses were so incarcerated. Dr. Davis contacted the director of the Shelter, a local Juvenile Judge, and the Buckner Children's Home Superintendent for a meeting at Buckner to discuss Buckner turning one of their older unused children's dorms (Pender Dorm) into a holding shelter for such children temporarily and on an ongoing basis. That was accomplished quickly.

- In 1999 Dr. Davis was approached by First Baptist Church, Dallas, for helping them start a dental service inside their 500 bed homeless shelter, Dallas Life, which is just across the freeway from the Dallas Convention Center. He designed a workable plan, donated lots of equipment and saw it to fruition. He has maintained a relationship of encouragement to the dental facility there through the years. It has had volunteer dental personnel for years doing the actual dental care.

- Created "The Academy of General Dentistry Singers" (AGD Singers) from top leadership within the AGD during the AGD Annual Session of 2003 in Nashville, TN and settled on the name three years later. That group has grown from a foursome to more than 15 including piano and two horn instruments and performs annually for the Opening of the AGD Convention, Convocation, and House of Delegates.

- Created the first annual Dallas Academy of General Dentistry Picnic, Family Event and Installation of Officers at his home and estate, Saturday, October 4, 1986 from 1-5 PM that currently is in the form of a formal evening dinner with entertainment at a top Dallas Restaurant free for members.

- Initiated the concept of AGD Texas Express, with a group of Texas AGD Leaders driving or flying around the state of Texas developing AGD Components on designated weekends, hired the first TAGD full time employee, as Executive Director (Mrs. Bertha Harris), and created a staff position that 30 years later is the largest staff of all of AGD Constituencies.

Musical Background

- Sponsor and Pianist for Chapel Choir, First Baptist Church, Dallas: 1968-1980 (including 10 international mission tours to Canada, Mexico, South America, Europe, Asia, Orient, Near and Far East) bringing hope through music to thousands of young and old alike in the largest and most notable concert halls of each country.

- Recorded Albums: *Gratefully, T. Bob*; *T. Bob – Piano*; *T. Bob – Late Night*; *T. Bob & Bill–Sunday Sounds*; & *The Best of T. Bob* played on radio stations throughout the world; 9 CD's including *Hymns of Worship* (2002 Grammy Nomination), *Classic Piano Praise*, *Old Gospel Worship*, *Happy Birthday, Jesus*, and *Christmas at Home with T. Bob*, *T. Bob & Bill- Sunday Sounds*, *The Best of T. Bob*, *T. Bob & O. Lay (2014)*, and newest *T. Bob & Wade (2016)*

- Dallas Symphony Show Home Guest Musician: 1985-1993
- Concert Artist/Piano Soloist: Accompanist for numerous recording artists
- 1981 Finalist at the Christian Artists Music Seminar in Estes Park, Colorado
- Numerous Church Concerts, Weddings, Funerals, Banquets & Special Programs

Piano Performance

- Annual participant in KCBI Radio Sharathon
- Dallas Baptist Pastors Conference Pianist: 1992-1994
- Gaston Oaks Baptist Church Concerts: 1992 & 1993
- 20,000 participant Texas Baptist Evangelism & Summer Convention Staff Pianist
- Guest Artist in Dino's nine-piano & seven-piano *Pianorama Concerts*; coordinator & Promoter in Dallas Fair Park Music Hall, Houston Music Hall, Kansas City Music Hall and Anatole Dallas Stemmons Auditorium
- Guest Soloist – First Baptist Church Odessa, TX, 1992 & 1993; First Baptist Church Orlando, FL; 1991
- Southern Baptist Convention, Atlanta: 1991, Indianapolis: 1992, Houston: 1993
- Southern Baptist Convention Afterglow Artist & Pastor's Conference: 1992
- Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary Revival Seminar: 1993
- Music Leader, International Conference; Christian Medical Society, Boston: 1993, Orlando:2007
- Pastor's Conference & 45,000 Delegate Southern Baptist Convention: 1985
- Glorieta, NM, Sunday School Week Pianist: 1992
- Guest Artist: President's Banquet of ADA Convention, Washington, DC: 1988; Musical Presentation 1998-2004, 2010
- Guest Artist: President's Banquet of AGD Convention, New York City Hilton : 1989
- Chairman's Dinner, 1985 Dallas Mid-Winter Convention, Guest Pianist, 2000 to 2012
- Numerous Dental Receptions and Banquets & Special Programs including Clay Performing Arts Center, Charleston, WV : 2008, the AGD national meetings for the past decade for Convocations and Opening of the House of Delegates with AGD Singers (created by T. Bob), the Texas Dental Association Annual Meetings, The Texas Academy of General Dentistry Dentist of the Year Awards Evening, The Academy of Dentistry International Annual Convocation and Banquet (past decade), The American Dental Association on Sundays for a Protestant Worship Service for 7 years, The International College of Dentists annual Convocation Pianist 2014-present.