## Vickie McCarty, Ph.D

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I live in Catlin Illinois along with my husband and two of our youngest (still living at home) boys, Camryn-15 and Cadyn-13. We also have three adult children (all married) and 8 beautiful grandchildren to date.

I've been a Christian Educator for many years. I started teaching Sunday School shortly after my Christian conversion 39 years ago and I have never stopped trying to educate children and young people in the ways of God.

I felt passionately directed to get involved in Christian Counseling over twelve years ago. So my life took a beautiful career turn. I finished my Professional Clinical Certification in Temperament Counseling in 2010, received my B.A. in 2015 and received my Counseling License in March of 2016. I finished my Doctorate in Clinical Christian Counseling July of 2017, as well as a Ph.D in Chrisitan Education in May 2022. I also became Certified to facilitate "The Genesis Process" (A relapse Prevention program for Addictive./Compulsive Behaviors) in 2016 and recently became a Certified Life Coach.

Since adopting our boys in 2006, I had always homeschooled them. But in 2017 I took them and a position as Jr High teacher in a Christian School, over an hours drive from our home and fell in love with teaching all over again. I enjoyed it so much that I felt inspired to come back home and start a Christian School within our own church and thus the history of FCA began.

It is amazing to see what God is doing here at FCA. Many lives are being touched and changed as we get the privilege to minister and educate some of the greatest kids in the area. I hope you take the time to check us out and consider being a part of the FCA family!