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Redeeming our Communities (ROC)

I have known my husband, Mark, most of my life. We met when I was 4 years old, we married 1978. Our first child, Amanda, was born a year later, with our second child, Tracy, being born in 1982. A full 15 years later and our family was complete with our third daughter, Rachel.



I have had a varied career – I left school just before I turned 16 to work and trained as a machinist making men's suits. I owned my own clothes shop for the first 10 years of my marriage. I then worked at my children's school as a dinner lady before becoming a child minder. After spending some time as a nursery nurse, I then become a full time mum at home with our new baby Rachel.

I became a Christian about 23 years ago. During this time, I have worked with young people, helping and leading group, including Bible study groups. I have also worked with community projects such as coffee shops, home groups and now I am a speaker for Ladies Aglow and other groups, sharing my life testimony.

Whilst attending Ivy cottage church, which is now called Ivy Manchester my gifts have been recognised, increased, and encouraged. I have been a leader for many groups such as new parents groups, play groups, cell groups and intercessor (prayer) groups. I have worked in a spiritual capacity at Spring Harvest and other churches around England, affirming individuals

For the past 10 years, I have been working with Redeeming Our Communities (ROC), a role that I intend to continue for as long as possible. I also use my gifts in Intercessor prayer around the UK.