

## **BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH OF ROD RUTHERFORD**

Rod Rutherford has been a Christian for 56 years and a preacher of the Gospel for the past 49 years. He was educated in the public schools of Indiana, David Lipscomb College, Memphis School of Preaching, and Alabama Christian School of Religion. He has served churches of Christ as evangelist, elder, educator and editor.

Rod was a missionary in Zambia for seven years and in Australia for seven and one half years. He has taught in several schools of preaching including Florida, East Tennessee, Georgia, and Memphis. He worked with Truth for the World, a multi-media mission work of the church in Duluth, Georgia, serving as Director of Publications for fourteen years.

Presently, Rod serves as the minister of the church of Christ in Gatlinburg, Tennessee and teaches part-time in the East Tennessee School of Preaching and Missions in Knoxville.

Rod has been married to the former Brenda Luttrell for the past 46 years. They have three children and eight grandchildren. The children and their mates are faithful Christians and both sons are preachers of the Gospel.