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John has extensive experience helping people navigate conflicted situations. He worked for nearly 25 years for the State Government in the arena of Salmon Harvest Management on the West Coast. John also worked for an Association of nearly 250 churches in the Pacific Northwest as the Director of Church Development where he served as a conflict coach and lead church crisis intervention cases.

John is the Lead Pastor at Grace Harbor in Sitka, Alaska. Grace Harbor serves the Christian Community in Southeast Alaska. John also teaches conflict transformation, peacemaking, relational wisdom, and reconciliation principles at Convergence in Portland, OR.

Education:

Bachelor of Science in Biology, 1993– Central Washington University – Ellensburg, WA
Convergence, 3-year Shepherding/Pastoral Leadership, 2015– Portland, OR

Trainings and Certifications:

Christian Reconciler (Coach & Foundational), 2019 – Ambassadors of Reconciliation
Conflict Coaching Practicum, 2018 – Ambassadors of Reconciliation
Mediation Practicum, 2018 – Ambassadors of Reconciliation
Advanced Conflict Coaching Practicum, 2019 – Ambassadors of Reconciliation
Advanced Mediation Practicum (Difficult Cases), 2019 – Ambassadors of Reconciliation
Reconciling Church Conflict (Advanced Techniques), 2019 – Paul Cornwall
Transforming Human/Wildlife Conflict – Center for Human/Wildlife Conflict, 2015
Advanced Relational Wisdom 360 Instructor [™], 2020 – Ken Sande (RW360.org)
Certified Relational Wisdom 360 Conciliator [™], 2021 – Ken Sande (RW360.org)
Certified Christian Conciliator [™], 2022 – Institute for Christian Conciliation (aorhope.org/icc)

Personal:

John has been married to his wife, Kirsten a first-grade teacher, since 1999. They have two sons, Carter and Matthew, both teenaged. John enjoys sport fishing with his family in his free time. His other interests include acoustic guitar and amateur radio (W7JAL).