

PERSONAL PROFILE

After graduating from Arlington High School, Dr. Moody headed to Texas Tech University and earned his Pre-Dental degree. He chose at that point to join the staff of Campus Crusade for Christ, an interdenominational Christian ministry. He served with Campus Crusade for three years at the University of North Carolina in Chapel Hill. Working with college students, he further developed his relationship building skills and love for people. Dr. Moody then returned to Texas and received his dental degree (DDS) and orthodontic degree (MS) from Baylor College of Dentistry in Dallas.

Dr. Moody and his wife, Emily, are proud parents of seven children, Hill, Wick, Avery, Isabelle, Abe, Eyasu, and Gigi. They are active in their local church and enjoy spending time together outdoors, going to Ranger games and the multiple sporting activities in which the kids participate. Dr. Moody spends considerable time being involved in the community, specifically Gospel City Church, Young Life Arlington, Pantego Christian Academy, and Dental Health for Arlington, of which he has been President of the Board of Directors.

Dr. Moody and Emily count it a privilege to call Arlington home and have been blessed to raise their family in the community. In 2006 however, God led them in a new direction and a new community. International adoption was never on their agenda, but in August, 2008, they, along with their four biological children, were on a plane bound for Ethiopia. This experience led to a life-altering decision for two more adoptions and creating a non-profit to continue service to the people of Ethiopia. EthiopiaSmile has taken multiple dental mission trips with hundreds of volunteers from our community to serve and love those with no dental access in Ethiopia.

EDUCATION

- 1986 Texas Tech University
- 1986-89 Campus Ministry at University of Carolina, Campus Crusade for Christ
- 1993 Baylor College of Dentistry, DDS
- 1995 Baylor College of Dentistry, MS



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PUBLICATIONS

"Creating the Compliant Patient". Alexander, J.M. Journal of Clinical Orthodontics, 1996.

"Face Bow Correction of Skeletal Class II Discrepancies in the Alexander Discipline".

Alexander, J.M. Seminars in Orthodontics, 2001.

"Successful Treatment of a Non-Growing Patient". Alexander, J.M. Texas Dental Journal, 2002.

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

Diplomate of American Board of Orthodontics.

Assistant Professor of Clinical Orthodontics, Baylor College of Dentistry.

CIVIC ACTIVITIES

Downtown Arlington Management Corporation, Board of Directors, 2006-2012

Friends of the Levitt Pavilion for Performing Arts, Board of Directors, 2007-2012

Dental Health for Arlington Board of Directors, 1996-2002

President, Dental Health Arlington - Board of Directors, 1998-1999

Downtown Arlington Rotary Club, 1997-2010

Youth Athletics Coach, Arlington YMCA

Arlington Chamber of Commerce

Gospel City Church – Board of Directors, 2013-present

EthiopiaSmile – Founder and President, 2010-present

Arlington Young Life Committee, 2016-present

Bikes for Mission Arlington, 2018-present

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Alexander Study Club of America

Texas Orthodontic Study Club (Charles H. Tweed Orthodontic Group)

American Association of Orthodontists

Edward H. Angle Society of Orthodontists - SW Component

HONORS, AWARDS, AND RECOGNITIONS

1995 "A Comparative Study of Orthodontic Stability in Class I Extraction Cases",

American Association of Orthodontists Foundation Research Award

2001 "C.T. Rowland Award"

2004-05 "Teacher of the Year", Baylor University Dental School Orthodontic Dept

2004 "Fred Schudy Award"

2005 "A.P. Westfall Award"

2015 "Healthcare Heroes", The Fort Worth Business Press

2017 Ambassador, Humble Smile Foundation

2019 AAO Humanitarian of the Year Award