

Robin P. Goff, MAV, BSN'68

Robin P. Goff, MAV, BSN'68, is the spiritual leader of The Light Center, a Unity Worldwide Ministries center dedicated to living, learning and growing in partnership with nature, in rural Baldwin City, Kansas. For 22 years, the center has pioneered in the field of holistic health education, offering a wide range of retreats and workshops on spiritual healing and self-development.

Goff has been a leader in the conversation about integrative health care in the greater Kansas City area and has been a program presenter at numerous national and international conventions. She has served as a hospice chaplain for 10 years and held a stress management consultant position at Kansas City Hospice. Goff has taught extensively about the use of complementary modalities in terminal illness as well as stress management.

Over the past 12 years, Goff has led The Light Center's Love Light program, which offers outreach in South Africa. The program provides leadership development camps for teens and focuses on youth empowerment. Goff and her team served the small town of Riviersonderend, South Africa, which experiences 60 percent unemployment as well as tuberculosis and HIV pandemics. The program has supported grandmothers in starting a quilting enterprise to raise funds to assist students to go on for university education. Currently, 13 young people attend major universities with mentorship and financial assistance from the program. Goff also forged a sister city agreement between her hometown, Baldwin City, Kansas, and Riviersonderend, expanding the reach of her projects.

Goff is a charter member of Healing Beyond Borders and has served as a certified healing touch instructor for 13 years, teaching in both Kansas and South Africa.

She received the 2012 Woodland Public Charity Humanitarian Award and the 2015 Community Woman of the Year Award from the Business and Professional Women of Kansas.

Goff earned a bachelor of science in nursing degree from Duke University School of Nursing and a master of arts in values from San Francisco Theological Seminary.



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