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Carol Reid Writes for *Christian Librarian* Journal

NASHVILLE, TN—Mrs. Carol Reid, librarian at Free Will Baptist Bible College, wrote a 500-word article titled “Reflections on Mentoring” for *The Christian Librarian*, journal of the Association of Christian Librarians. The journal is published three times annually, and Mrs. Reid’s article was included in the first of three 2010 issues (Volume 53).

The friendly, easy-to-read article describes the influence of mentors in Mrs. Reid’s life as she transitioned from a library clerk at FWBBC to a Vanderbilt University graduate student to her current role as FWBBC librarian and mentor to those following in her footsteps.

“She let me see behind the scenes,” Carol writes about Judy Shrewsbury, her first library mentor at FWBBC. “She let me wade in the water to determine if this was a career I could survive. Her insights and openness about her work provided me a model and a mentor that were pointers to the Lord’s will for me.”

Mrs. Reid closes the article with four principles she employs to mentor students and younger colleagues—cast the vision, get their feet wet, push open doors for them, follow their careers. This marks the ninth article she has written for *The Christian Librarian*.

A member of the FWBBC faculty since 1988, Mrs. Reid was elected to consecutive three-year terms as president and vice president of the Foundation for the Advancement of Christian Libraries. She serves the broader professional community of Christian educators as secretary of the Association for Biblical Higher Education’s Commission on Accreditation.

Carol Reid, a 1977 FWBBC graduate, holds the Master of Library Science degree from Vanderbilt University. She is married to Dr. Garnett Reid, chairman of FWBBC’s Biblical and Ministry Studies Department.

