

DR. CLYDE D. MEADOR JR.
Area Director for Southern Asia and the Pacific

- Born: Nov. 30, 1944, in Arkadelphia, Ark., and considers Albuquerque, N.M., his hometown.
- Education: Received the bachelor of arts degree from Grand Canyon College, Phoenix, Ariz.; the master of divinity degree from Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Kansas City, Mo.; and the doctor of ministry degree from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, Texas.
- Married: Elaine Grisham, born in Lubbock, Texas.
- Children: Two grown children.
- Pre-missionary experience: Worked with computers in Denver, Colo., Phoenix, Ariz., and Albuquerque, N.M. Pastor of Tracy (Mo.) Baptist Chapel and First Baptist Church, Weston, Mo.
- Previous assignments: Appointed as a career missionary, Oct. 1974. Language study, Bandung, Indonesia, 1975-76. General evangelist, Medan, Indonesia, 1976-79; theological teacher, Semarang and Purwokerto, Indonesia, 1979-87; and mission administrator, Jakarta, Indonesia, 1987-89. Director, Itinerant Mission, 1989-90, living in Bangkok, Thailand. Associate to the area director for Southern Asia and the Pacific, June 1, 1990-Aug. 18, 1993. From a base in Singapore, he served as a liaison between the FMB and missionaries in India, Thailand, Pakistan, Nepal, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka, East Indonesia and the Itinerant Mission. Resigned as a missionary to join the FMB staff as area director.
- Current assignment: Area director for Southern Asia and the Pacific, Aug. 18, 1993-present. From a base in Singapore, he oversees the work of 480 missionaries in 15 nations.