

## ABOUT THE AUTHOR



Glenda Reece has been a teacher, a trainer, an author, and a content creator for ESL and Cross Culture programs from Alaska to Florida; and has trained foreign speaking ESL teachers in China and South America. Her work has ranged from the North Carolina Governor's committee for refugee resettlement to high school ESL teacher to business owner to Literacy volunteer.

She has taught or led seminars for the Immigration and Refugee Center, the National Association of Foreign Student Advisors (NAFSA), Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL), Southeastern Seminary, North Carolina State University, the University of North Carolina, Duke University,

Wake County School System, and at Literacy Conferences for Baptist State Conventions in numerous states.

Glenda is the owner of ESL Training Service, which provides English and Cross Cultural training to international business professionals in the Raleigh, NC, area. She was an early president of the North and South Carolina chapter of TESOL. She has been recognized by the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina as Literacy Volunteer of the Year, and was presented the Mildred Blankenship National Volunteer of the Year Award by the North American Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention.

She is the author of a two-volume ESL textbook, *English Lessons from the Bible: The Book of Mark*. Student and Teacher versions of these books, which have been in continuous publication since 1989, are available at Lifeway.com. They are sold at cost and without royalties to the author. The books have been used in programs, both Christian and secular, in every corner of the globe.

Glenda has produced several training videos including *Conversational English Using the Lipson Method*, *The Oral Interview Procedure*, and *Getting Serious About Top-Down and Bottom-Up Pronunciation*.

