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Dr. John S. Savage is a United Methodist Minister and served as pastor for 26 years. He became the founder and president of L.E.A.D. Consultants, Inc. for 25 years. He is a lecturer, trainer, consultant, spiritual director, author, coach, designer of training systems in conflict manager and in-depth listening skills. He is a trained psychotherapist. He holds four earned degrees. A BM degree in music and a MA in education from Syracuse University, a MDiv and a DMin from Colgate Rochester Divinity School.

As a consultant to many organizations, Dr. Savage works in the areas of educational designing, problem solving, conflict management, team building, and leadership development.

He has instructed courses for continuing education at Princeton Theological Seminary (8 years), Seabury-Western Theological Seminary (4 years), Pittsburg Theological Seminary (1 year), Toronto School of Theology (20 years), and other educational institutions. He has lectured at Ohio State Medical School, Pepperdine University, and Loma Linda University.

He has been a consultant to IBM, Hewlett Packard, and has worked with the leaders of many national denominations i.e. Mennonites, Quakers, United Methodists, Southern Baptists, Evangelical Lutheran Church of America, Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), American Baptists, United Church of Canada, The Uniting Church of Australia, and Roman Catholics.

A skilled designer of training systems, he has developed, along with other staff members, many significant training events for churches and business organizations. These include: Listening and Caring Skills, Strategic Communication Skills, Conflict Management and Resolution, The resolution of Grief and Corporate Pain, Strategic Leadership Skills, Action Models for Difficult Problems, Tools for Change and Transition, Developing Spiritual Intelligence and The Leadership Styles of Jesus and many others.

He has done training in England, New Zealand, Taiwan, Australia and Canada and throughout the United States.

He is the author of *Listening and Caring Skills*, *The Apathetic and Bored Church Member*, and his newest book is ***Developing Spiritual IQ: Five Steps in Spiritual Growth***.