



# Ruth A.Burgner Senior Director of Communications

# **Role at TMS Global**

As senior director of marketing, Ruth's expertise is in TMS Global, having served with the organization since 1991, just seven years after its launch. Over the years, she has interviewed scores of TMS Global cross-cultural witnesses and mission leaders on issues pertaining to cross-cultural ministry, world religions, mission trends, and theological distinctives of evangelical Christian mission. Ruth serves as editor of *Unfinished*, TMS Global's publication.

### Background

Prior to serving in this position, Ruth served as managing editor, and later executive editor, of *Good News* magazine in Wilmore, Kentucky. Before that she worked as a radio announcer at Christian radio WJMM in Lexington, Kentucky.

# **Publications**

Ruth has written for *Good News*, *Decision* magazine, *Christian Writer's Digest*, *Pastor's Family* (a Focus on the Family publication), for *Unfinished*; and a book chapter for Essential Practices, published by Bristol House, Ltd.

### Personal

Ruth and her husband, Greg, live in Canton, Georgia, where Greg pastors.

# **Education**

B.A. in English literature from Asbury College, with a concentration in journalism

Audited courses at Asbury Theological Seminary and is currently completing coursework at Epiphany Academy for Formative Spirituality.

### **Expertise**

TMS Global

Missionaries and mission leaders serving through TMS Global

*Unfinished*, quarterly publication of TMS Global

# Accomplishments

David C. Cook Journalism Student of the Year Award, 1982

While serving at *Good News*, *Good News* was awarded the Evangelical Press Association's Magazine of the Year Award in the denominational category

*Unfinished* was twice awarded the Evangelical Press Association Award of Merit in the missionary publication category

Served on boards of RENEW Network and Evangelical Press Association and a product development team for Bristol House, Ltd.

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