Lions' Service and Awards

- Marion (South Carolina) Lions Club, 1980s-1990s; 2002-2007; Board of Directors; Tail Twister
- Founding Faculty Sponsor, Francis Marion Univ. Lions 2006-2008
- Lions International Youth Exchange host family 2007- Present
- Marion (S.C.) "Lion of the Year" 2007
- Winnsboro Lions Clubs, 2009-Present
- President, Winnsboro Lions Club, 2010/2011; 2014-2015
- Zone IV-B Chair 2011-2014
- Zone Chairperson Training, 2012, 2013
- Lions Advisory Committee, Storm Eye Institute, MUSC, 2011-2015
- International President's Leadership Medal, 2014
- Certified Guiding Lion, 2014
- 2VDG training, 2014
- Lions Leadership Institute of the South, Manchester, TN, 2014
- Lions International Convention, Toronto, Canada, 2014
- USA/Canada Forum, San Juan, Puerto Rico, 2014
- Region 1-E Presenters' Workshop, Savannah, Georgia, 2015
- Franklin Mason Fellow, 2015
- Advanced Lions Leadership Institute, Calgary, Canada, 2015
- 32-D DG Team member, 2015-2016
- Lions MD 32 Vice-Council member, 2014-2016
- Leader Dogs for the Blind, Rochester, Michigan, 2015
- USA/Canada Forum, Grand Rapids, Michigan, 2015 Lions' Service and Awards Continued
- Lions National VIP Fishing Tournament, Manteo, North Carolina, 2015
- 1st VDG training, 2015-2016
- DGE training, Atlanta, Georgia, January, 2016
- DGE training, Columbia, SC, May 2016
- Zone, Region and Club Officers training, June, 2016; July 2016
- DGE School & Lions International Convention, Fukuoka, Japan, 2016

Personal and Professional

- Married to Lion Bobbie Hinson Dove
- Two children (Shannon and Kevin) and eight grandchildren
- Francis Marion University Dean of the Library (ret), Professor Emeritus
- A.B. Erskine College, M.S.in L.S. UNC Chapel Hill, M.A. USC
- Teacher, choir member, 2018- ; Administrative Council, Treasurer, Finance Committee, 1st United Methodist Church Winnsboro, 2008-2016
- Salkehatchie Summer Service volunteer, SC United Methodist Conference, 1990-1992; 2011-
- Alternate Delegate, SC United Methodist Annual Conference, 2014-
- Friends of South Carolina Libraries (FOSCL), 2010- ; Awards Committee chair, 2014-
- Friends of the Fairfield County Library, 2010- ;President, 2014-
- Fairfield County Library Commission, 2014- ;Vice-Chair, 2014-
- Road Captain, Thunder Riders Harley Owners Group
- Life Member, Harley Owners Group
- Marion County Library Board of Directors, Chair, 2002-2009

- Lifetime Service & Achievement Award, South Carolina Library Association, 2007
- Founding Co-Chair, PASCAL, the Partnership Among South Carolina Academic Libraries
- Outstanding Academic Advisor, Francis Marion University, 2002
- Treasurer, Joint Convention, South Carolina Library Association and the South Carolina Association of School Librarians, 1995
- United Way of Florence, Education Division chair,1985
- Life Member, University of North Carolina SILS Alumni Association
- President, South Carolina Library Association, 1983
- Greater Florence Chamber of Commerce, Leadership Florence, 1981
- Outstanding Service Award, Erskine College, 1974
- Council on Library Resources Fellow, 1973
- Omicron Delta Kappa (1965-) and Beta Phi Mu (1970-)
- Graduate Library Intern, University of South Carolina, 1966-68
- Robinson Award in Education, Erskine College, 1966
- Eagle Scout, Boy Scouts of America. 1961