



STEVE BUNDY
Vice President

Steve Bundy is the Vice President of Joni and Friends. As Vice President, Steve oversees the Christian Institute on Disability as well as International Outreach at the Joni and Friends International Disability Center. The Institute is the educational and public policy arm of Joni and Friends collaborating with universities and seminaries across the U.S. and around the world. The International Outreach Department oversees the more than 60 mission outreaches of Joni and Friends into 30 countries every year. Steve is a published author and contributor to *Life in the Balance: Biblical Answers for the Issues of Our Day*. He is co-executive producer with Joni Eareckson Tada of the Telly-Award winning television episodes, *Making Sense of Autism: Myths That Hide the Truth and Truth for the Church*.

Steve has served as adjunct professor at Master's College and has lectured on disability ministry at educational institutions and conferences around the world. Steve frequently appears on "Joni and Friends" Television episodes, national radio and has written articles or been interviewed for Christianity Today, Charisma Magazine, Focus on the Family and others.

Steve and his wife Melissa know firsthand the joys and challenges of parenting a child with special needs, as their own son, Caleb, was born with a chromosome deletion which resulted in global delay and a secondary diagnosis of autism. Recognizing the challenges for parents to navigate the complicated world of disability while maintaining a healthy home, they launched the ministry "In His Image" to provide families with support emotionally, socially, physically and spiritually.

Prior to joining Joni and Friends, Steve was Vice President of Business and Finance at William Carey International University in Pasadena, Calif., where he developed a 10 year Master Development Plan for the city. He also served five years as the Program Director at a 100-bed intermediate care facility for the developmentally disabled.

Steve holds a B.A. in Theology and Missions, a Certificate in Christian Apologetics and an M.A. in Organizational Leadership. He is a licensed minister and has served as a pastor and missionary.