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Dr. Marlene served as Director of Women's Ministries for her church for many years, as well as serving as District Director of Women's Ministries for the Colorado-Nebraska district, and currently serves as Chaplain for a women's organization in Colorado Springs. Author of the book, *Contentious Custody: Is It Really in the Best Interest of Your Children*, Dr. Marlene is passionate about her work as a Certified Divorce Coach and helping people learn to "love their children more than they hate their ex". When not working, Marlene and her husband owned and operated a haunted house for over a decade and are active in the Halloween entertainment community.

