



Diane was born and raised in South Florida, one of six children. After graduating from high school, Diane obtained an associate degree in Advertising and Graphic Design. Along with her husband, they ran a successful print shop in Boca Raton, Florida for many years. She continued in the print industry until retiring from that profession in 2011. Her and her husband have served in the Marriage Ministry in their churches for several years as well as board members for the non-profit His Caring Place in Ft. Lauderdale.

While seeking counseling and volunteering at the Women's Refuge in 2012, she came onto staff in early 2013. With extensive experience in print design, she served in the public relations department, then moved to the Office Manager position, then the Director of Administration and was ultimately tapped for the Executive Director position in November 2017. She is thankful and grateful for her mentor, Donna Robart, who has been one of her greatest supporters. It is her desire to make known to all who seek help from the Women's Refuge the freedom found in Christ. As she has stated many times, "We have the wonderful privilege to see God working miracles in the lives of those who acknowledge and trust in God's sovereignty for their lives."

She has been married to her husband, Bill, her best friend, for over 33 years and credits God and the Women's Refuge to not only save but strengthen their marriage, through their biblical counseling. They both enjoy road bicycling, scuba diving, walking the beach and all that God has blessed them with.