

Brief Biography - Barry Maurice Gore



Barry Gore is a Tennessee born US Army veteran retired from a 33 year career with the Tennessee Valley Authority. After earning his BSEE from Tennessee Technological University in 1967 he worked briefly as a field sales engineer for Leeds & Northrup before entering the Army Ordnance Corp. Following his service he was employed by Sperry Rand Corp and later by Martin Marietta Corp in the aerospace industry; before joining TVA. During his TVA employment he earned his MSEE from the University of Tennessee Knoxville in 1976.

The latter part of his career at TVA Barry worked as a consultant to the Vice President of Transmission Operations and Maintenance. In that capacity he served as liaison and contact for various Operations and Maintenance programs within the company and advised the vice president on various matters related to cultural health, teamwork, productivity, self-assessments, communications and employee involvement.

He has earned facilitator certificates from Organizational Dynamics Inc, Total Quality Applications and has a Star 7 Master Facilitator certification from TVA/Senn-Delaney

His experience as a facilitator and master coach included serving as an instructor/coach for "Tools and Techniques," a six-step problem solving technique from Total Quality Applications. He also served as a facilitator, master facilitator, and leadership coach for the Star Seven program at TVA. In that capacity he developed lesson materials for and conducted classes in the various aspects of human psychology and performance, including modules on communications, change management, teamwork, sharing/levels of listening, feedback, appreciation, etc.

His efforts in developing an organized documentation plan for the TVA Nuclear Managers Review Group earned him a Tennessee Valley Authority Bronze Honor Award.

He also wrote a paper entitled "Performance-Based Evaluation as a Management Tool", and presented it to the 1988 IEEE Engineering Management Conference

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