

Steven E. Yates

Steven E. Yates is a retired environmental engineer who spends his time writing and doing volunteer work. He published “Getting My First Hug” in 2013 and “Not That Anyone Asked” in 2017.

Born in Texas, Steven graduated from UConn in 1983 with a BS in Chemical Engineering. In an engineering career spanning over 25 years he specialized in environmental matters and was awarded the Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection’s 2004 Green Circle citation for work related to recycling.

Steven is a convert to the Greek Orthodox faith and has been a parishioner at Saint Barbara in Orange, Connecticut since January of 2000. He completed the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese Teacher Education Certification Program in May of 2013, has co-hosted the parish Saint John Chrysostom Oratorical Festival for over ten years, and has been a facilitator of the “Journey of Marriage” seminars for over five years.

Steven has been married to Eleni for 32 years. They are empty-nesters living on the Connecticut shoreline. Their two grown children live in Astoria, NY and East Lyme, CT, respectively.

