

SPOTLIGHT VOLUNTEER

LaVerne Moore



LaVerne started volunteering at WestAid 4 ½ years ago after retiring from Alcon, where she worked for 17 years. As a member of Benbrook United Methodist Church, which has been a longtime supporter of WestAid, Laverne didn't hesitate to give of her time and help others!

LaVerne grew up in North Carolina and married her high school sweetheart, Bill, three months after graduation! The former football player and cheerleader lived in many places, including Niagara Falls and Panama Canal Zone, since Bill joined the Air Force right out of high school and moved to Ft. Worth in 1976 with their two children. They have been married for 56 years and now have two grandchildren!

Four years ago, LaVerne established the local chapter of The Little Free Library in her front yard where neighbors shared their favorite books so others could stop by to “take a book, return a book” at any time. She brought that same concept to WestAid and has acquired and given away over 17,000 books! When you walk in to the doors of WestAid, you will immediately see the books to your right stacked on the shelf where many clients can be found enjoying them!

Laverne and Bill are such an asset to WestAid and have spread the word around their church and the Benbrook YMCA to not only help WestAid by having food drives, but they have also been responsible for recruiting volunteers!

We are so thankful for their selflessness and hard work and are blessed to have both LaVerne and Bill! Thank you for your service with a smile!