

Doug Schmitz Biography

Doug is a lifelong resident of northwest Missouri, growing up as a farm kid north of Stanberry. He earned a degree at Northwest Missouri State University in Maryville and then entered the media industry in radio in St. Joseph in 1992. Assisting area businesses with their marketing efforts as an advertising representative, he left St. Joseph in 2008 for the opportunity to manage radio stations in nearby Bethany and Cameron, returning to St. Joseph in 2019 to manage the same Radio stations he started with back in 1992. After 30 years assisting area businesses, with 29 of those years in radio, Doug is now looking for the next opportunity and other ways to continue to assist the people and the businesses in this area.

Doug is married to Tammie who works in the Buchanan County Circuit Clerk's office, has two children, Ashlea Prater and Joshua Schmitz. Soon, Doug will finally have a grandson as Ashlea and her husband Brandon are expecting their first child in May 2022. While opportunities have come to advance his career elsewhere, northwest Missouri, has been and hopefully will always be home. Doug has served on the Northwest Missouri State University Alumni Board, Cameron R-1 School District Board, Cameron Regional YMCA, North Central Missouri Enterprise Facilitation Board and the St Joseph Saints Baseball Club Board, (where he first met Bob). He is a member of the Knights of Columbus, St Francis Catholic Church and St Joseph-East Rotary Club as well as serving on the board of United Way of St Joseph.