

DAN PRITCHETT

Born and raised in Danville, IN

Attended Danville Community HS where his Band Director was Judith E. Grimes

Graduate of Ball State University, BS; Valparaiso University, MM

Has taught at Valparaiso HS (1975-2013)

Has served as ISSMA President; IBA President (twice) and Secretary for 9 years

Has been recognized as IN High School Music Educator of the Year-2005; Chicagoland Outstanding Music Educator--2005; Named twice as Indiana's Director Who Makes a Difference--SBO Magazine; Key to the City of Valparaiso--2013.

Most memorable performance: Conducting over 150 former students and student teachers from all over the world at my retirement celebration in 2013.