

## Mickey Fisher Bio

Mickey Fisher is a 47+ year veteran of the teaching profession. He is retired from the Dalton Public Schools after 36 years of service to the band program there, and is now an adjunct staff member at Berry College where he serves as a woodwind instructor. He holds his B.S. and M.M. Ed. Degrees from Austin Peay State University. In the course of his career, he has held memberships in many professional organizations including GMEA, MENC, NBA, ASBDA, Phi Mu Alpha, Phi Beta Mu, and WASBE. He has conducted many clinic bands and judged band events extensively throughout the Southeastern United States; also conducted three honor bands in concert tours of Europe, and served as director of the Georgia Lions All-State Band for seven years in their performances at the Lions State and International Conventions. He is a co-founder of Bravo Music Camp; a summer camp for middle school band students held at Berry College. Mr. Fisher was awarded a "Citation of Excellence" by the National Band Association, and has also received a "Distinguished Service Award", and a "Forty Year Service Award" from the Georgia Music Educators Association.