

John went to Union College in Cranford, NJ where he earned an A.A. in Criminal Justice. From there he went to Rutgers University in New Brunswick, NJ and received a B.A. in Sociology. During his college years John got involved in the leadership of local campus ministries. His involvement with InterVarsity Christian Fellowship (IVCF) was a catalyst for significant spiritual growth as a follower of Jesus and as a leader.

It was just before graduation from Rutgers when John, through the encouragement of close Christian friends and family members, sensed God's call in his life to pursue a seminary education. He applied to and was accepted at Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary (GCTS) where he pursued a Master of Divinity degree.