

Chad Fulks was born and raised in West Virginia, a country boy who continues to find solace in the natural world. His cellmates through the years have included several pet mice, tree frogs, and insects. Besides the menagerie of wild things he has befriended, and pen pals far and near, the TV keeps him connected to the outside world. He is an avid NASCAR fan and faithfully watches nature shows. Chad loves photography and books about nature, as well.

Chad has been in solitary confinement on Federal Death Row in Terre Haute for sixteen years. The Rev. Bill Breeden was recommended to him as his "minister of record" years ago, and Chad has come to know himself as a Unitarian Universalist. He has learned to meditate and reads Mark Nepo's *Book of Awakening* daily. He has discovered that he is indeed a person of worth and dignity. Chad is honored to be accepted as a member of the Unitarian Universalist Church of Bloomington.