

Hi! My name is Lanin D. Thomasma, and I'm a fairly new resident of Steelville. I moved here last year with my wife, Jean, who was born and raised here. I grew up in Grand Rapids, Michigan and attended Union High School.

As a stay-at-home spouse, I do various jobs. I'm an artist – I am a clay figurine sculptor, a computer graphics consultant, and an occasional actor, writer and playwright. I am also a member of the Steelville Arts Council.

I met my wife while working in the international drama ministry Covenant Players. We married and had both of our children while in Europe. Stefanie is now in Guatemala as part of her International Business degree, and Janneke recently got married and now lives in Florida.

For someone who works at home, I have surprisingly little free time. We recently opened a new coffee shop on Main Street, and I spend most of my time making delicious lattes and baking breakfast scones and muffins.

I've drawn comics since I was seven. In 1999, I began sculpting figurines in polymer clay. Jean observed that I was simply taking my cartooning into a 3-D medium, which inspired me to name my business 'N' Toonz. In addition to sculpting, I also drawn an online comic called "Rangers!"



I'm also a Presbyterian!

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