

# Role Theory and the Assn. Missionary

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## 1. Definition of a Social Role

e.g Assn. Missionary

Expectations

Performance

Putting your own stamp on the role

## 2. Personal Role Cluster of the Assn. Missionary

Husband

Son

Father

Kinsperson

Minister

School Ties

Administrator

Preacher

Avocation

Interests

Activities outside of the role

## 3. Role Set

Staff

Pastors

Assn. Officers

Church Leaders

Denominational Staff/folk

Other religious leaders

Community folk

Peers

## 4. Role as Situated

Stage setting, Manner, Appearance

Script

Task/relational goals

## 5. Role Strain—related to conflicting expectations by set

6. Role-related Stress. Related to conflict between roles as experienced by bivocational ministers.