



GRASSROOTS FOCUS
FEBRUARY 2008

Kenneth and Sharon Dale

Sharon Dale is the new president of Fort Worth Republican Women for 2008, as this great club begins celebrating twenty years of electing Republicans. She moved to Fort Worth in 1993 when her husband, Kenneth, retired from the U.S. Air Force. They chose Fort Worth, Texas as their retirement home after twenty-six years of duty assignments around the

world. One of those assignments was a three year tour of duty in Washington D.C. where Sharon served on the White House Staff in the Office of National Service in the administration of President George H.W. Bush while her pilot husband "flew" a desk at the Pentagon. They have two sons, and their youngest, Jess, lives in Austin having just completed his education at the University of Texas. Their oldest son, Ivan, is an appellate attorney in the Justice Department in D.C., and his wife, Lisa, is Counsel to the IG at HHS. They have a thirteen month old son, John Robert.

Since retiring, both Ken and Sharon have enjoyed their experiences working with the Mighty Texas Strike Force in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, campaigning for President George W. Bush, and in Lafayette, Louisiana, campaigning for Congressman Charles Boustany. More recently, they both worked in the Bob Leonard campaign for State Representative, District #97, in the 2007 special election. In between their second favorite pastime, traveling to Europe, Ken and Sharon have served as block captains, Deputy Registrars, election judges, poll watchers, and delegates to the Texas State Republican Convention in 2006, as well as the first ever Texas Republican Straw Poll. Grassroots Republican work is, after all, their favorite pastime.

