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“Dr. Michael Milton is a pastor, theologian, Gospel singer song-writer and one of the most gifted preachers of the Gospel in our nation today.”

**Franklin Graham,  
Samaritan’s Purse**

Dr. Michael A. Milton (Ph.D., University of Wales Trinity Saint David) is an ordained minister in the Presbyterian Church in America. He is the founder and President of *Faith for Living, Inc.*, a North Carolina religious non-profit and 501(c)(3) that seeks to advance the Gospel and serve churches and other nonprofits through communication, discipleship, and education. Dr. Milton is the James Ragsdale Professor of Missions and Evangelism at Erskine Theological Seminary (SC). His pastoral ministry and scholarship have also led to current professorships at Belhaven University (MS), Lancaster Bible College, Capital Graduate School and Seminary, and Reformed Theological Seminary (NC). Milton is a board certified chaplain and a board certified pastoral counselor.

Dr. Milton served as the fourth Chancellor and Chief Executive Officer of Reformed Theological Seminary (RTS), the third president of the RTS Charlotte campus, interim president of RTS Orlando, and held the James M. Baird Jr. Chair of Pastoral Theology at RTS. He also served as the interim president of Knox Theological Seminary.

Milton was the 12th Senior Pastor since 1840 of the historic First Presbyterian Church of Chattanooga, TN. He planted Redeemer Presbyterian Church in Overland Park, Kansas, and founded a Christian academy there as well. He founded a second congregation, Kirk O' the Isles (PCA), near Savannah Georgia. Milton has served as a top secret Navy linguist, a manager for two

Fortune 50 companies, and was commissioned a U.S. Army Reserve Chaplain. Michael Milton is Command Chaplain of U.S. Military Intelligence Readiness Command. The former Senior Editor of the U.S. Army Chaplain Corps Journal, the Chief of Chaplains of the U.S. Army inducted Chaplain Milton into the inaugural class of the Military College of Preachers in 2008. He served as the subject matter expert in preaching and pastoral care at the U.S. Army Chaplain School.

In addition to his career resume, Milton is an alumnus of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (M.P.A. program in the School of Government), MidAmerica Nazarene University (B.A.), Knox Theological Seminary (M.Div.), and the University of Wales, Trinity Saint David's College (Ph.D.). He is also a graduate of national defense institutions, including the Defense Language Institute and the Command and General Staff College. He was awarded several prizes for his academic work, including the annual Knox Prize in Preaching, the Knox Prize in Systematic Theology, and MidAmerica Nazarene University's annual Leadership Award. He has served with the rank of full professor, teaching courses in both masters and doctoral level programs at several institutions. He has lectured from Emmanuel College, Cambridge, to Monterrey, Mexico and Madras, India, and served on doctoral examination committees at numerous institutions around the world.

A renowned author, Milton has penned 24 books, including *Silent No More: Why the Church Must Speak Biblically to State and*

“Mike Milton thinks like a scholar, but writes like a pastor. He takes subtle issues and, without dumbing them down, explains them in easy-to-understand terms. That is a wonderful gift to the Church.”

**Joel Belz, Publisher, World Magazine**

Dr. Michael Milton is one of the church's most outstanding and committed Christian leaders. He is a man of scholarship, intellect, and insight deeply devoted to the church of the Lord Jesus Christ. I am thankful for his contributions to evangelical thought and the life of our churches. We should all be thankful that his writings are available to evangelical Christians today.”

**Dr. Albert Mohler,  
President, Southern Baptist  
Theological Seminary**

“Milton’s deep faith is communicated in a way that is neither preachy nor clichéd. His religious imagery and lyrics touch one’s soul deeply...”

**Dr. Matthew Alexander,  
Professor of Family  
Medicine, UNC School of  
Medicine**

*Culture*. The book has been endorsed by Michael Reagan, David Limbaugh, Paul Kengor, and other cultural heavyweights, and has been featured on numerous national radio, television, print and online media outlets. His commentaries on faith and culture have been published nationally and internationally by numerous online and print publications. In addition to his popular writing, Milton has published numerous peer-reviewed academic articles appearing in leading journals such as the *Journal of the Evangelical Theological Society* and the *Army Chaplain Corps Journal*.

A prolific singer/songwriter, performer and recording artist, Milton has released five albums. [ChristianityToday.com](http://ChristianityToday.com) has called his music "emotionally moving and musically opulent."

Dr. Milton lives in Charlotte, N.C., with his wife, Mae, and their son. Their seven adult children and their families are now settled throughout the East Coast and the Southeast.

Milton's life verse is from Philippians 1:6: "Being confident of this, that He who has begun a good work in you will complete it unto the day of Jesus Christ." Or, as Milton puts it in the title of his autobiography, "What God starts, God completes."

“Thank God for Dr. Michael Milton...”

**David Limbaugh, NY  
Times best selling  
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