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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’s) 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 through communication, discipleship, and education. Dr. Milton is the James Ragsdale Professor of Missions and Evangelism at Erskine Theological Seminary (SC) and Director and Senior Teaching Fellow of the C.S. Lewis Institute of Charlotte and the Carolinas. His pastoral ministry and scholarship have also led to current professorships at Belhaven University (MS) and Reformed Theological Seminary (NC).

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, Tenn. 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

“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**

Fortune 50 companies, and was commissioned a U.S. Army Reserve Chaplain. He presently serves as a Lt. Col. on faculty at The U.S. Army Chaplain Center and School and is the 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 is the subject matter expert in preaching 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 prestigious 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 21 books, including *Silent No More: Why the Church Must Speak Biblically to State and*

“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**

“Thank God for Dr. Michael Milton...”

**David Limbaugh, NY
Times best selling
author, constitutional
attorney**

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 has called his music "emotionally moving and musically opulent," comparing his style and musicianship to Dan Fogelberg and Neil Young. In 2013, Milton was Broadjam.com's No. 1 artist in downloads in the Folk-Religious genre twice during the year. He is a published composer and is currently working with Final Four Music Publishing of Nashville, TN.

Milton lives in Charlotte, N.C., with his wife, Mae, and their son. Their seven adult children are all married and 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."