# DAVID VATRAL

Senior Pastor

#### SUMMARY

Blends a wide variety of skills in pastoral leadership with experience in counseling and business to effectively minister to people in all walks of life.

Committed to bringing new people to Christ, encouraging existing believers to deepen their relationships with God, and ministering to the community at large.

#### **ACADEMIC HISTORY**

#### **EASTERN NAZARENE COLLEGE**

Master of Arts in Pastoral Counseling Bachelor of Arts in Religion

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#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### **SENIOR PASTOR**

#### Trail Church of the Nazarene, 1990 - Present

- Responsible for spiritual development of congregation including preaching, baptism, community outreach, weddings, funerals, counseling, and more
- Executed executive duties of the church including vision casting, leading church board, and budgeting
- Served on the District Credentials Board

## COUNSELOR AND SOLE PROPRIETOR Light and Life Christian Counseling, 2017 - Present

- Provided counseling for many areas of struggle including but not limited to Marriage and Family, Depression and Anxiety, Abuse, Grief, and Self-Esteem
- Created partnerships with community support organizations
- Fulfilled all roles of business sole proprietor

### PROFESSOR OF RELIGION Williamson Bible Institute, 2000 - Present

- Fulfilled all duties of professor including teaching, evaluating, creating syllabus, writing lesson plans, and working with Nazarene Bible College
- Provided advising, mentoring, and leadership training to students

#### PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- Nazarene Strengths Institute: Certified Coach, 2016
- Prepare and Enrich Marriage System, 2015
- University of Maryland: Individual Crisis Management, 2009
- Church of the Nazarene Ordination, 1994
- MA General Hospital: Clinical Pastoral Education, 1991