

# Dwayne Milioni, PhD

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**Objective** To bring glory to Christ by serving his church

## Ministry Experience

**Lead Pastor** 1999 – present **Open Door Baptist Church** **Raleigh, NC**

- Responsible for preaching/teaching, vision casting and oversight of pastoral staff and major ministry areas
- God has blessed Open Door with consistent growth since 1999
- Led Open Door to become a church planting local church

**Board Chairman** 2009 – present **Board Chair for The Pillar Church Planting Network** **Wake Forest, NC**

- Began a non-profit ministry to assist local churches in planting, and revitalizing churches throughout the world
- The Pillar Network works closely with NAMB and other SB Institutions and agencies
- Over 100 churches are currently involved in the network

**Assistant Professor** 2010 – present **Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary (SEBTS)** **Wake Forest, NC**

- Teach Graduate and doctoral level courses in preaching, pastoral ministries and biblical counseling
- Coordinate the PhD in Preaching program at SEBTS

## Education

**Bachelor of Arts** 1983–1987 **Albion College** **Albion, MI**  
BA in Biology, minor in psychology

**Master of Divinity** 1989–1992 **Liberty University** **Lynchburg, VA**  
MDiv with a concentration in preaching and biblical languages

**Master of Arts** 1992–1994 **Liberty University** **Lynchburg, VA**  
MA in counseling

**Doctor of Philosophy** 1997–2011 **Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary** **Wake Forest**  
PhD in Applied Theology with a concentration in preaching

Dissertation Title, "The Concept of Self in the Preaching of Harry Emerson Fosdick" (2011)

## **Memberships**

Member of the Evangelical Theological Society since 2001  
Member of the Evangelical Homiletics Society since 1999  
Board of Trustees, Baptist State Convention of North Carolina

## **Publications**

"Planning Your Preaching Calendar" *Worship Magazine*  
"Preaching to the Heart" *Worship Magazine*  
*A Legacy of Preaching, 2 volumes. Zondervan, 2018*  
*A New Baptist Catechism, Seed Publishing Group, 2020*

## **Family**

Wife: Kay Milioni, since 1989  
Children: Cameron (29), Victoria (27), Derek (25), Gabriel (22)

## **References**

(contact information  
available upon request)

**Dr. William Curtis**  
**Dr. Danny Akin**  
**Dr. Jamie Dew**  
**Mr. Ryan Hutchinson**