## Danny K. Williams, DMin

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### **Summary of Qualifications**

- Senior Pastor for over 23 years of the New Life In Christ Fellowship
- First African American to serve on the Board of Trustees at the Biblical Theological Seminary.
- Currently serving as the Board of the National Men's Ministry's Mighty Men of Valor.
- Served on the PA State committees for Education and lead State Senate appointed committees on Education.
- Experience in managing Non Profits, helped achieve churches to establish 501c3 status.
- Licensed and Ordained Minister of the Gospel
- International teaching and preaching experience included Port-Au prince, Haiti
- Experienced Executive Board Members includes Good Works, Mighty Men Of Valor, LTM (Life Transforming Initiative)

- Taught various classes on divinity, theology, and counseling.
- Accomplished Jazz Bassist, having performed with a variety of sacred and secular artists, including Clark Terry, Charles Walker, Sister Sledge, Ronnie Dyson, Natalie Cole, Marion Williams, Broderick Rice and a host of others. He has also performed at Carnegie Hall in New York City, Philadelphia Academy of Music and the Grand Ole Opera House.
- Areas of Expertise include:Missional Theology in an Urban Contect, Curriculum, Urban Planning, Administration, Teaching, Key Note Speaker

### **Education**

**Biblical Theological Seminary** Hatfield, PA MDiv (Doctor of Ministry) Biblical Theological Seminary Hatfield, PA DMin (Master of Divinity) Geneva College,
Beaver Falls, PA
Bachelor of Science, Urban
Ministry and Leadership Emphasis

**PERSONAL MISSION STATEMENT:** To me, who am less than the least of all saints, this grace was given, that I should preach among the gentiles the unsearchable riches of Christ, and to make all see what is the fellowship of the mystery, which from the beginning of the ages has been hidden in God who created all things through Jesus Christ. (Ephesians 3:8-10)

#### Ministry/Professional Experience

# <u>Director of Urban Programs, and Adjunct Professor, Practical Theology</u> Biblical Theological Seminary, Hatfield, PA

2009-Present

Classroom Instruction includes: Team Instructor for World Christian History 1 & II AND Team Instructor for Homiletics

- Director of Urban Programs.
- Board of Trustees Member.
- Taught faith based classes.
- Classes included various individuals from different cultures.
- Managed the curriculum and learning strategies for classes.

Senior Pastor 1990-Present

New Life In Christ Fellowship, Coatesville, PA Preaching/Ministry

- Senior Pastor over 23 years.
- Counseled church members, assisted in conflict/resolution, marriage counseling and baptisms.
- Provide leadership in preaching, teaching, counseling, ministry development, training, property acquisition, discipleship.
- Led the church in its move to present location and utilization of church properties to include, barber shop, educational center for children and temporary housing for displaced families.
- Initiated summer reading program for neighborhood and partnered with St. Mary's Catholic Church and secured \$30,000 grant.

### **Teaching/Education**

- Taught faith based classes and set up youth education programs.
- Managed teaching staff for biblical studies.
- Coordinated with higher education and local education classes on education programs, which helped youth in urban areas to plan and succeed in college.

## **Speaking/Teaching Events at Conferences and Seminars**

Guest Lecturer on Black Presence in the Bible, **Seton Hill University, Greensburg, PA** 

Taught Black Presence in the Bible at Port Au-Prince, Haiti – With Life Transforming Ministries of Chester County, PA Speaker on the Initiative against human trafficking and the new abolition against slavery, **Senator Andrew Dinnimans Speaking Initiative** 

Jazz Performances include: 'Requiem for Brother Martin' musical tribute to Reverend Martin Luther King Jr, that included artists such as Clark Terry and Charles Walker-Carnegie Hall,NY

### **Publications**

"Doctor of Ministry Dissertation Topic: Towards Missio Dei: Identifying the challenges to missional engagement among members of New Life In Christ Fellowship. (2010)