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Marty P. Miller, L.P.C.

“As a Psychiatric Clinical Nurse Specialist, I have had the great opportunity to work in collaboration with Marty Miller and the Healing Heart Counseling Center with mutual clients and I’ve found his services to be outstanding and extremely helpful to clients. The Centers’ Christ centered approach addresses emotional and spiritual needs of clients which are necessary for any true healing to take place. It is an honor and a privilege to recommend Marty Miller’s Healing Heart Counseling services to anyone who is hurting and struggling with mental health issues or life’s many stressful situations. I’m grateful for my relationship with Marty and that his center provides faith based counseling in today’s society.” (June 2012)

Theresa Stewart, APRN, PMHCNS, BC
Women’s and Children’s Center for Mental Wellness

“It has been my fortune and blessing to have had access to the **Healing Heart Counseling Center** for my practice since 1998. This has been a great resource for my patients who have suffered from depression or have been wounded both emotionally and spiritually. Under Marty Miller’s direction, my patients have received the highest quality of professional and compassionate counseling for the emotional and spiritual needs. My patients have expressed a feeling of comfort knowing that their healing is balanced by professional counseling that is supported by Biblical principals and prayer. I have worked closely with Marty Miller for many years now entrusting the care of not only many of my patients but also many close friends. I am grateful for the service of the **Healing Heart Counseling Center**. May God continue to bless this ministry and those that it serves.”

Allen L. Cox, M.D.
Family Doctor

“Marty Miller is the best Christian Counselor in this region. I have known Marty since 1998 when he began the **Healing Heart Counseling Center**. I have referred patients to Marty over the years and have consulted with him and I’ve found that the quality of care that he provides is outstanding. Marty has a passion for Christ, and compassion for those he serves. His love for people is apparent and his clinical judgment is excellent. The care he provides brings about results

because he integrates scripture and prayer with proven counseling approaches. I have seen tremendous healing in the lives of the clients he has served. I highly recommend Marty on a regular basis to those who are hurting and searching for answers.”

***Dr. Fred Lowery, Pastor
First Baptist Church of Bossier City***

“Speaking as a minister, I can say without hesitation, that Mr. Miller leads the kind of life that speaks to his values and morals. Allow me to say that he does not just “talk the talk,” but he also “walks the walk!” I would, without hesitation wholeheartedly allow him to care for myself, or my family, in the event that my family was in need of his skills. In fact, I have referred many friends and associates to him for professional services. Mr. Miller and the ***Healing Heart Counseling Center*** have a Godly integrity and character that surrounds its mission. Speaking as a physician, I can also say without hesitation, that Mr. Miller has superb clinical judgment. I have found him to be accessible and attentive and have found his care to be consistent with established medical standards and diagnoses. Additionally, he is well respected by my peers in the medical profession. I am able to speak to the above based on years of observation and first hand knowledge of his life, home and family. I would, without reservation, recommend Mr. Miller and his services to anyone who finds themselves in need of his sound and Biblically based counseling services.”

***Randall Hays, M.D.
Bi-Vocational Physician and Minister of Music***

“It is with confidence and pleasure that I recommend Marty Miller, director of ***Healing Heart Counseling Center***. Marty and I have shared an office suite since 1992 and I had known him previously as a ***RAPHA Shreveport*** Christian Treatment Program Lead Therapist. I have the deepest respect for Marty as a man of God, a family man and as a counselor. His experience and expertise has been evident in reports from clients who have been referred to him through my office. I am grateful for the privilege of being associated with a young man who depends upon scripture and prayer for his guidance.”

***Mildred Walker, MSN, CNS, BCSAC, RN
Christian Counselor in private practice***

“As an internal medicine physician, I have the opportunity to build relationships with patients over a period of time and to develop the trust of patients regarding very personal issues. Often times the treatment of patients’ spiritual and emotional welfare regarding these issues requires close personal counseling beyond the scope of my training or ability. In these situations, I have come to trust and rely on Marty Miller and his staff at the ***Healing Heart Counseling Center***. I have known Marty and have been sending him patients practically since the beginning of ***Healing Heart***, and my patients and I have been extremely pleased with Marty’s methods and the results he has been able to achieve with his Christ-centered approach. My practice is my ministry and my mission field, and my patients count on me. I know without hesitation that I can entrust their care and counseling needs to Marty and his staff. I would wholeheartedly recommend him to anyone needing this type of assistance.”

***Michael R. Sewell, M. D.
North Bossier Internal Medicine***

"Marty is a highly motivated leader and strategic thinker. I've watched him reach out to make a positive difference for years and am impressed with his ability to connect groups with a positive message of hope and healing. If you know someone struggling who wants to get strong again- call Marty Miller. He won't let them down." (February, 2012)



Dwight Bain, Nationally Certified Counselor, Executive Life Coach at The LifeWorks Group

"I would like to offer my whole-hearted endorsement of Marty Miller and the **Healing Heart Counseling Center**. I met Marty in early 1988 when he was the primary therapist for the **RAPHA Shreveport** program. After meeting Marty, I did not hesitate to begin referring my clients to the **RAPHA** program when they needed inpatient treatment. My clients' level of progress provided strong evidence that not only does Marty know what he is doing, but he is also an effective channel for the Lord's healing. His willingness and ability to address the spiritual aspects of mental illness have convinced me that he is a dependable resource in the professional mental health community."

***Karen Dill, Licensed Professional Counselor
School Counselor & Vice Principal Loyola College Preparatory School***

"I found Marty to be a personable and gentle person with a strong commitment to the Christian faith. I found him to be honest and conservative as regards matters that relate to morality and the teaching of God's word. On more than one occasion I have urged others to make an appointment with Marty. I would have no hesitation about referring clients to Marty. I'm glad to know that a person of his character and ability is practicing in our community."

***Norman L. Bales, Minister to Families
Southern Hills Church of Christ***

"Marty comes from a strong background of experience in the mental health field but most importantly, demonstrates a genuine Christian approach in his counseling. I am very comfortable with Marty's ability to take the individual where they are and provide insight into their problem using an integration of sound Biblical counsel and proven psychological approaches. At the center of his counseling approach is his own belief that real and lasting change can only take place when we address the spiritual condition related to our problems."

***David Morris, CEO
Instrumental in bringing RAPHA to Shreveport***

"I am thrilled that you have established a Biblical counseling ministry in Shreveport. I have known you through **RAPHA** and deeply appreciate your approach to helping individuals know the plan of God's Word for marriage, family and inter-personal relationships. I have always considered you to be well prepared, both academically and spiritually, for such a work. Your love for people is very apparent. I have heard you in

seminar settings, talked with you individually, and listened to others who have reaped the benefit of your counsel. I thank God for your life's work."

Johnny Baker, Counselor/Missionary
Calvary Baptist Church

"I am pleased to recommend Marty Miller and **Healing Heart Counseling Center**. My first acquaintance with Marty came during a luncheon to launch the **RAPHA** program in the Shreveport/Bossier area. I could immediately sense his heart to provide Godly counsel to hurting people. Since that time I have referred a number of families to his counseling program. His approach is biblically sound, seeking to look to the source of truth for answers. I look forward to seeing how this valuable ministry will be used to impact our entire community."

Bryan Reed, Minister
Simple Church

"I have referred many people to Marty Miller since 1999. He has proven to be a man of integrity and most important a man of God. His counseling is based upon the principles and precepts of God's word, and that is something that is very much needed in today's society. One of the greatest things we can do for someone is to pray with and for them. Marty does this with his clients. In all of my professional contacts with Marty he has proven time and time again to be a blessing to many."

Ray Raney, Single Adult Minister
First Baptist Church of Bossier City

"I have known Marty since 1995 and have observed him in many areas of his life. Marty is a man of faith and extreme reliance on God to do the impossible in peoples' lives. I have observed healing in the lives of those Marty encounters. I have also seen a genuine love in his life that only Christ could place. I confidently call upon Marty knowing that he will never compromise God's word as he ministers to people. I wholeheartedly commend this ministry."

Scott Woods, M.A., Dallas Theological Seminary
Evangelist

"It is a pleasure to recommend the professional counseling skills of Marty Miller. I was impressed with Mr. Miller's professionalism, insight and established goals for his patients. I was also pleased by his genuine concern for their recovery and how their spiritual condition related to their goals. Mr. Miller's unique gift to balance proven therapeutic techniques with sincere Christian faith that desires to uplift the individual, sets him apart from other counselors. My confidence in Mr. Miller can perhaps be best demonstrated by my recent referral of a close family member to him for counseling. I strongly recommend Mr. Miller for your consideration of quality Christian based individual and family counseling."

Rev. Ray Owens, Jr., Pastor
First Church of God; Monroe, Louisiana

"Mr. Miller brings to tasks a seriousness and empathy which the situation deserves. He is extremely conscientious, hard working, and willing to serve as a team member. Most important of all is the fact that when he works with patients they usually get better. I can

heartily recommend him for any service that requires the skills of a Licensed Professional Counselor.”

**James Boynton, M.D., Psychiatrist
Capital Area Psychiatric Services**

“I have known Marty both professionally and personally since 1990 and have observed one of the most Godly, merciful, encouraging, loyal and wise men being used by the Lord to tend to the hurting hearts of others. Marty has developed a sound biblical theoretical framework that he brings to his counseling which enables others to heal emotionally and gain God’s truth. Most importantly, Marty has always demonstrated the integrity and moral judgment that is needed to lead this ministry.”

**Trey Gann, Licensed Professional Counselor
Former Program Coordinator at East Texas Medical Center**

“I had the privilege of working with Marty when he was with **RAPHA** in Shreveport. I always felt confident referring my clients to him because of his professionalism, his compassion for hurting individuals, and his knowledge of the field of counseling. I know him to be zealous about his Christian faith and his work to aid in the healing of hurting people. I fully support Marty Miller and the **Healing Heart Counseling Center.**”

**Karen Lanum, Christian Counselor
Covenant Church; Monroe, Louisiana**

“I have known Marty for seven years as we were both members of Oak Grove Baptist Church in Nacogdoches, Texas. Through the years, we have also had professional contact, with several psychiatric patients in common. I have found Marty to be a dedicated and passionate follower of Jesus Christ. In several study groups we had in common, his sincerity as a believer was exemplary. During this time, he embarked on a mission trip to India and I was blessed to hear of his experiences upon his return. He treats his patients with both compassion and good judgment. He is well trained and tireless in his efforts for those he treats. I can recommend him without reservation.”

**C.W. Schulz, M.D., Christian Psychiatrist
Formerly with **RAPHA** in Houston, Texas**

“I have attended several discipleship classes taught by Marty Miller at **Willow Point Baptist Church**. The *Search for Significance* class was especially good for myself and several others I had recommended to attend. Marty is a very sincere, committed Christian counselor who counsels with scripture and prayer. I believe the only counseling that will truly be successful must be Biblically based and bathed in prayer. Marty does this. I think Marty is a man committed to the Lord and sent to this area. I recommend Marty wholeheartedly.”

**Dr. O.K. Bailey, D.D.S.
Dentist**