

Samford University
The Center for Worship & Arts

To Whom It May Concern,

With the utmost confidence, I recommend Katherine Williams as a skilled and accomplished musician and worship leader. She is one of the most versatile musicians I have worked with in our ministries. She is adaptable across a variety of instruments, including guitar, bass, piano, drums, and percussion, and is a gifted singer for solos, ensembles, or lead. Further, she is a skilled conductor of both vocal and instrumental ensembles. Katherine always comes prepared, establishing confidence and helping to maximize rehearsal and service times. Whether she's singing, playing an instrument, or conducting, her musicianship shines through.

As a worship leader, Katherine desires to see churches respond to God's invitation to worship Him in spirit and in truth. She leads as a servant while remaining an engaged and skilled leader who understands how to plan worship on a Biblical basis.

With my highest recommendation, I strongly recommend Ms. Katherine Williams to help meet your church's needs.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Dan Mullis', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Dan Mullis
Associate Music & Worship Minister
Dawson Memorial Baptist Church, Birmingham, AL

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I am glad to recommend Katherine Williams for opportunities in worship leadership and songwriting.

I have had the joy of watching Katherine serve at Dawson over the past five years, both as a part of our staff and as a faithful member of our church family. She is gifted, dependable, and deeply grounded in worship that is both skillful and sincere.

If you are looking for someone who can lead worship on her own, accompanying herself with either piano or guitar while singing with confidence and excellence, Katherine is exactly that kind of leader. She is a strong and capable musician, but what makes her especially effective is that her leadership never feels forced or performative. She leads with a steadiness and authenticity that helps people participate.

If you are looking for someone who can handle spoken transitions well, Katherine does that with unusual strength. She uses Scripture naturally and thoughtfully, helping connect songs and moments in worship in a way that feels meaningful rather than scripted. She has strong instincts for the flow of a service and for the kind of language that helps lead people well.

If you are looking for someone with real strength in songwriting, Katherine is a wonderful choice there as well. She coordinated and led our inaugural songwriting workshop at Dawson, and she did so with both skill and warmth. She is able to help others engage the songwriting process, and she is also an excellent songwriter in her own right. She can lead those kinds of gatherings well and can also present original songs in worship with both musical excellence and spiritual maturity.

I recommend Katherine with confidence for worship leadership opportunities, songwriting workshops, and other settings that call for musical skill, spiritual depth, and trustworthy leadership.

Together,

John Woods

Music & Worship Pastor

Dawson Memorial Baptist Church

