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Reference: Pastor Fred Z

To Whom It May Concern:

My wife and I have had the amazing privilege of knowing Pastor Fred and Esther Zariczny for a number of years. Our church was starting a biker ministry and we were looking into numerous Christians biker organizations. As soon as I met Pastor Z I knew that he was the real deal, Holy Spirit filled, sold out lover of Jesus, and one of the coolest people I have ever met. I am Senior Pastor of the largest Church in Western Montana where we have had Pastor Fred speak and share on numerous occasions from Evangelism outreach, regular services, and two funerals.

Pastor Fred has the most amazing gifts not only to speak to the 1% hard-core, scary, biker dudes but really connects to all types of people on every level... including kids! His love, passion, wisdom, integrity, and truth is non-judgmental but speaks past any wall or mask a person tries to hide behind. His love for Jesus is real, his love for his family is real, his love for his motorcycle is real, his love of lost people is real, his love for God's word is real... he is the real deal. I believe that God had a pastoral bucket of talent and tripped and most of it dumped on him. I have witnessed his compassion for people from the stage preaching as well as seen him pray for complete strangers at restaurants. His passion for evangelism gives me the impression he is like Elijah on a Chopper.

I would highly recommend Pastor Fred Z in any situation related to ministry, speaking, evangelism, outreach events, or just have him come any given day of the week. He is truly one of the most significant people God has brought into my life. If you have any other question please don't hesitate to contact me at [john@shec.net](mailto:john@shec.net).

Rock on,



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