PEDRO CARRERA

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SUMMARY

Passionate Worship Leader with background in diverse religious settings and experience engaging congregations through music. Skilled in leading teams, coordinating rehearsals, and creating impactful worship experiences. Strengths include solid musical knowledge, strong communication skills, and ability to create a spiritually engaging environment. In previous roles, contributed to spiritual growth of the community by creating meaningful worship services.

SKILLS

- Acoustic/Bass/Keys
- Arranging music
- Creative vision
- Cultural relevance
- Improvisational skills
- Instrumental skills
- Multicultural sensitivity
- Music leadership

- Music management
- Musical proficiency
- Social media engagement
- Song selection
- Stage presence
- Team oversight
- Volunteer scheduling
- Worship planning

EXPERIENCE

- Choose songs and organized materials for every worship service.
- Coordinated special event worship, camp worship sessions and revivals.
- Coordinating with guest speakers or preachers to bring their messages alive through music.
- Creating and maintaining an inventory of sheet music and other resources used in worship ministry.
- Developing worship sets that are engaging and relevant to the congregation.
- Facilitating creative prayer opportunities within corporate worship settings.
- Implemented special programs for holiday and church events.
- Mentoring and coaching volunteers who serve as part of the worship ministry team.
- Organizing and leading rehearsals for worship team members.
- Planned worship schedules and sequences of events to keep members engaged and active.
- Recruiting new musicians to join the praise band or choir as needed.
- Researching new songs from various genres of Christian music for possible inclusion into future services.

HISTORY

Executive Director/Founder
Pure Heart Worship

2018 to Present Hainesville, IL

Worship Leader · Volunteer	2022 to Present
Waukegan Community Church	Waukegan, IL
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Worship Leader · Volunteer	2018 to 2019
The Carpenter's House	Chicago, IL
Worship Leader · Part-time	2017 to 2018
Meadowland Church	Johnsburg, IL
Worship Director · Part-time	2016 to 2017
Christian Neighbors Church	Waukegan, IL
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Worship Leader · Part-time	2015 to 2016
Meadowland Church	Johnsburg, IL
Worship Leader · Part-time	2015
Grace Bible Community Church	Grayslake, IL
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Campus Worship Pastor · Part-time	2013 to 2014
Torch Church	Round Lake Beach, IL
Worship Leader · Volunteer	2011 to 2013
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Worship Director · Volunteer	2005 to 2009
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SOFTWARE	

- Acrobat
- Excel
- Outlook
- Planning Center Online

- PowerPoint
- QuickBooks
- Windows
- Word

EDUCATION

Accounting

College of Lake County · Part-time September 2014 to March 2016