



Founded: 2008

**Headquarters:** Boston, MA

Vision:

# To serve individuals, financial advisors, and institutions by offering high performance investments that create compelling value for the global common good.

#### **Funds:**

- Eventide Gilead Fund
- Eventide Healthcare & Life Sciences Fund
- Eventide Exponential Technologies Fund
- Eventide Large Cap Focus Fund

#### **AUM:**

\$6.91B in net assets under management

- Eventide Balanced Fund
- Eventide Dividend Opportunities Fund
- Eventide Core Bond Fund
- Eventide Limited-Term Bond Fund

There is no guarantee that the Adviser will meet its objectives. Total net assets as of 12/31/2023.



### Eventide Balanced Fund (formerly, Eventide Multi-Asset Income Fund)

**Fund Objective** 

A: ETAMX | C: ETCMX | I: ETIMX | N: ETNMX

Seeks current income while maintaining the potential for capital appreciation

#### **About the Fund**

A diversified mutual fund representing our approach to current income, income growth, and long-term capital appreciation.

#### **Benchmark**

**Balanced Blend** 

**Morningstar Category** 

**US Fund Moderate Allocation** 

**Lipper Category** 

Flexible Portfolio

**Total Net Assets** 

\$344MM (Inception date: July 15, 2015)

Effective 11/01/2023, the Fund's name changed to the "Eventide Balanced Fund". Also effective 11/01/2023, the Fund adopted policy to invest at least 25% of its assets in equity securities and at least 25% of its assets in fixed income securities. These clarifications are designed to help investors evaluate the Fund for purposes of investment planning, and there is no change to the Fund's management of investment strategies or objectives.

Total Net Assets as of 12/31/2023. The Balanced Blend is a proprietary Eventide benchmark composed of 50% Russell Midcap Index and 50% Bloomberg U.S. Intermediate Aggregate Bond Index. Prior to 12/30/2022, it was composed of 50% Russell Midcap Index and 50% Bloomberg U.S. Intermediate Aggregate Bond Index. The benchmark's composition was updated because the Fund's Adviser believes it is more reflective of the Fund's portfolio. The Russell Midcap Index measures the performance of the mid-cap segment of the U.S. equity universe. The Bloomberg U.S. Intermediate Aggregate Bond Index is a market capitalization-weighted index, meaning the securities in the index are weighted according to the market size of each bond type. Most U.S.-traded investment-grade bonds are represented. Municipal bonds and Treasury Inflation-Protected Securities are excluded. The index includes Treasury securities, Government agency bonds, mortgage-backed bonds, corporate bonds, and a small amount of foreign bonds traded in the U.S. The Russell Midcap Value Index measures the performance of the U.S. equity mid-cap value segment. There is no guarantee that the Adviser's approach will produce the desired results. All investments involve risk, including the possible loss of principal.



### **Eventide Distinctives**



#### **Themes of Human Flourishing**

Seeking to invest in companies positioned to participate in long-term secular investment themes that serve important human needs.



#### Creating Compelling Value for Society and the Global Common Good

Focused on identifying and investing in companies capable of increasing profitability and growth by serving well the needs of customers, employees, suppliers, communities, the environment, and society.

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### Balanced between equity and fixed income

GROWTH & INCOME

40-50%

TYPICAL RANGE

U.S. Equities with income 35-45%

Common Equity

**REITs** 

YieldCos

Preferred Stock

**Options** 

Foreign Equities with income 5-15%

FIXED INCOME

40-50%

TYPICAL RANGE

U.S. Fixed Income Securities 40-50%

Corporate Bonds

Agency / Mortgage-Backed

Securities

Municipal Bonds

Green Bonds

High Yield Corp Bonds

Each of these asset classes has its own set of investment characteristics and risks and investors should consider these risks carefully prior to making any investments. There is no guarantee that any investment will achieve its objectives, generate positive returns, or avoid losses. Does not include cash and equivalents.

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### **Fund Distinctives**

**A Meaningful Balanced Approach to Income** 

Growth and income balanced between equity and fixed income with a focus on total return.

**Tactically Allocating to Asset Classes Favored in the Forward Environment** 

Dedicated to a balanced strategy between growth equity income (40-50%) and fixed income (40-50%) with a bottom-up quality investing and secular theme focus seeking to achieve consistent returns and lower volatility than the markets.

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### **Portfolio Management**



**Dolores Bamford, CFA** 

Co-Chief Investment Officer, Senior Portfolio Manager

Dolores Bamford, CFA serves as co-Chief Investment Officer for Eventide, and as Senior Portfolio Manager on the Eventide Balanced Fund and the Eventide Dividend Opportunities Fund.

#### Experience and Education

- Managing Director and Portfolio Manager at Goldman Sachs
- Senior Vice President and Portfolio Manager at Putnam Investments
- Investment Researcher at Fidelity Investments
- SM in Management from MIT Sloan School of Management
- BA in Economics from Wellesley College



### David M. Dirk, CFA

Portfolio Manager

David M. Dirk, CFA, serves as portfolio manager for assets allocated to the Fund's Fixed Income Sub-Adviser, Boyd Watterson Asset Management, LLC.

#### Experience and Education

- Director of Portfolio Management and Trading at Boyd Watterson.
- MBA from Case Western Reserve University
- BA from Baldwin-Wallace University

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### **Investment Team**



Finny Kuruvilla, MD, PhD Co-ClO, Senior Portfolio Manager



**Dolores Bamford, CFA**Co-CIO, Senior
Portfolio Manager



**Anant Goel**Portfolio Manager,
Senior Research
Analyst



Chris Grogan, CFA Director of Investment Consulting, Portfolio Manager



Andrew Singer, CFA Portfolio Manager, Senior Research Analyst



Jordan Baumhardt, PhD Research Analyst



Brian Chow, PhD Research Analyst



Westley Dupray, CFA Research Analyst



Bert Kinsey, PhD, PharmD Research Analyst



Claudia Kwan Research Analyst



Faina Rozental Research Analyst



**Christian Say** Research Analyst



Reginald Smith Research Analyst



Nicholas Leibold, CFA Research Analyst



Alexandra Cobourn Associate Research Analyst

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### **Trading Team**



**Colin Delaney**Head of Trading, Portfolio
Specialist



Conor Kelly Trader

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### **Business 360® Research Team**



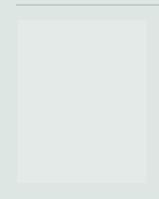
Tyler Frugia
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Brock Treworgy, CAMS, CFE Business 360 Research Manager



Abel Ballew
Business 360
Research
Analyst



Business 360 Research Analyst

Jaime Joshua

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### **Investment Philosophy**

We believe high-quality companies that excel at creating value for others and trade at a discount to intrinsic value offer superior long-term risk-adjusted returns.

The Adviser's judgment about the quality and intrinsic value of companies may prove to be incorrect. There is no guarantee that any investment will achieve its objectives, generate positive gains, or avoid losses.



### **Investment Process**

#### IDEA GENERATION

First understand the big picture of industries. Use consultants and industry experts. Identify secular themes and companies best positioned for participation.

#### FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

Look for companies with financial strength and income sustainability by analyzing historical financial performance and modeling future financial performance.

#### QUALITATIVE ANALYSIS

Seek attractive income producing companies through an assessment of competitive advantages, management teams, industry positioning, and value creation.

#### VALUATION ANALYSIS

Measure intrinsic value.
Identify securities with
sustainable income potential
that are trading at a discount
to our estimate of intrinsic
value.

#### RISK MANAGEMENT

Construct portfolio with goals of diversification across asset classes and low market sensitivity.

#### MACRO POSITIONING

Position portfolio based on macro views (economic indicators, valuation, and sentiment)

#### EVENTIDE BALANCED FUND

Continue to monitor investment case.
Adjust position size and price targets to reflect changes in fundamentals.

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### **Idea Generation**

Start with themes, then identify companies we believe are best positioned for participation

- Understand the big picture of industries.
- Discern attractive long-term secular investment themes.
- Leverage consultants, industry experts, Key Opinion Leaders.
- Review industry specific reports, trends, and third-party research.
- Study competitors, suppliers, and customers of existing holdings.
- Identify companies we believe are best positioned for participation.

The Adviser's judgment about industries, secular themes, and particular companies may prove to be incorrect. There is no guarantee that any investment will achieve its objectives, generate positive returns, or avoid losses. We refer to long-term secular investment themes as those that tend to be persistent through market conditions.



### **Investment Themes**

Seeking to invest in companies positioned at the nexus of long-term secular growth themes and important human needs.















5G & Data Infrastructure

Beyond Moore's Law

Business Intelligence, AI, and IoT

Clean Energy

Clean Water Technology

Community Impact













althy Food 9

Cybersecurity

**Energy Efficiency** 

Financial Security & Access

Healthcare & Life Sciences

Health & Safety

Healthy Food & Agriculture



Home Ownership,



Industry 4.0



Supply Chain Resiliency



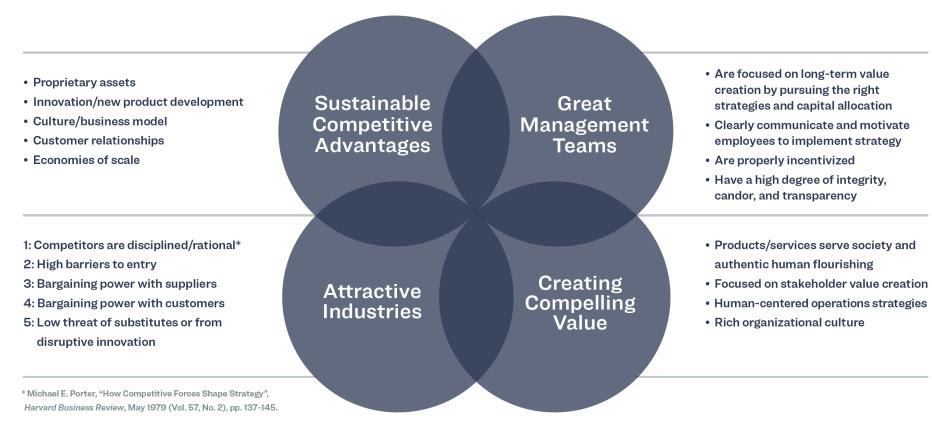
Transportation 2.0

These are representative examples of themes in the Eventide Strategies. We refer to long-term secular investment themes as those that tend to be persistent through market conditions. The Adviser's judgment about secular themes may prove to be incorrect. There is no guarantee that any investment will achieve its objectives, generate positive returns, or avoid losses.



### **Qualitative Analysis**

Look for "high-quality" companies, which we believe to have:



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### Our Research Framework: Business 360®

Our proprietary framework for evaluating both a company's long-term competitive advantage and its impact on human flourishing by analyzing its operations and strategy through the lens of key stakeholders.

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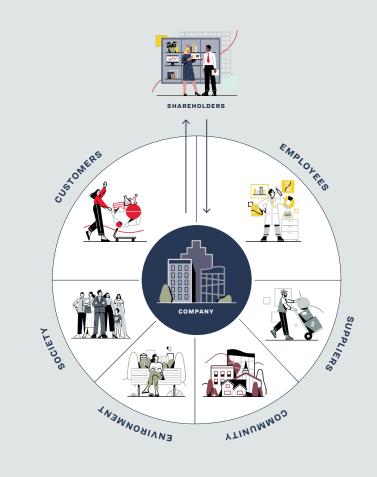
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## We believe what's right...

### Companies that place a premium on:

- Customer satisfaction
- Employee morale
- Supplier partnership
- Societal impact
- Environmental stewardship



#### ...is also smart.

#### Tend to have:

- Higher customer loyalty
- Higher productivity
- Resilient supply chains
- Stronger brands
- Sustainable productive yield

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### **Financial Analysis**

#### Look for companies with long-term financial strength

QUALITIES: ✓ Attractive income generating characteristics

✓ Revenue and Earnings growth that is consistent and repeatable

√ Stable business model

√ Operating Margins that are stable or increasing

✓ Strong Balance Sheet

✓ Positive Free Cash Flow

Analyze historical financial performance.

 Model future financial performance:

3-YEAR FORECAST: Income Statement

Balance Sheet

Cash Flow Statement

MODELING FUTURE RESULTS:

Income Distribution potential

Distribution Coverage

Free Cash Flow

Compare our estimates with market consensus to assess opportunity.

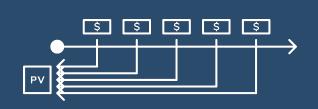
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### **Valuation Analysis**

Look for securities with sustainable income potential

- Measure intrinsic value through Discounted Cash Flow (DCF) analysis.
- Build DCF model using forecast assumptions and then probability-adjust the calculated net present value based on our qualitative assessment of the company.
- Seek to identify securities with sustainable income potential that are trading at a discount to our estimate of intrinsic value.



We believe the best way to measure the intrinsic value of a company is with **Discounted Cash Flow** valuation analysis.

This takes into account the magnitude, timing, and risk of future free cash flows, discounted to today based on the company's cost of capital. It also takes into account the sustainability of its potential competitive advantages (reflected in the fade rate).

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### **Macro Positioning**

Position portfolio according to our macro views

- Establish macro views by synthesizing three key data streams:
  - Leading economic indicators
  - Valuation
  - Sentiment
- Position portfolio using cash and other tools to allow stock selection on fundamental grounds to mesh with our macro views at the portfolio level.



There is no guarantee that the Adviser's views will be accurate or come to pass. All investments involve risk, including the possible loss of principal.



### **Portfolio Construction**

#### **Risk management**

- Construct portfolio with goals of diversification across asset classes and diversification by income source while maintaining low correlation to broad equity and bond markets.
- Position portfolio using cash and other tools to allow security selection to mesh with our macro views at the portfolio level.
- Establish macro views through synthesis of three data streams: economic indicators, valuation metrics (including relative yield), and sentiment indicators.

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### **Portfolio Construction**

#### **Ongoing evaluation**

- Portfolio represents our approach to income and impact.
- Continuously monitor portfolio allocation and holdings, re-examining investment case.
- Tilt beta and asset class exposure based on macro and micro views.
- Adjust position size, estimates, and price targets to reflect changes in fundamentals.

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### **Sell Discipline**

#### **Continuously scrutinize investment case**

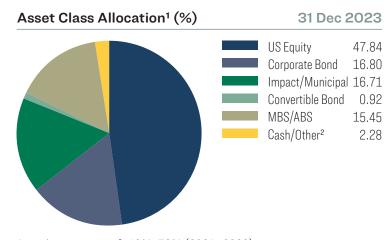
- Investment thesis failure.
- No longer meets Eventide's Business 360<sup>®</sup> criteria.
- Price target achieved.
- More attractive use of capital elsewhere.
- Changes in outlook for income stability.

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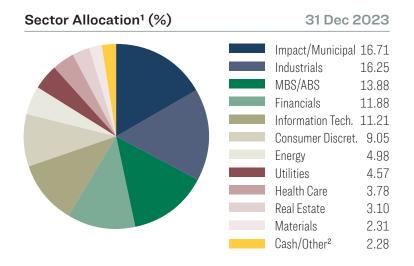


### **Composition**





Annual turnover range<sup>3</sup>: 48%–73% (2021–2023) Number of holdings: 151 Average Effective Duration<sup>4</sup>: 4.39 years

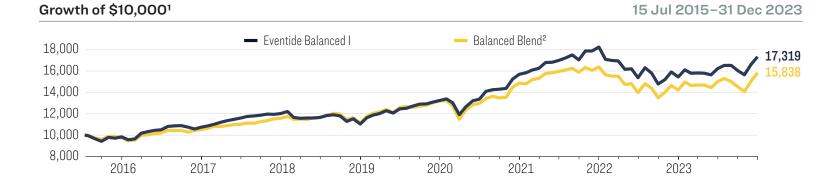


- 1. Allocation percentages are subject to change at any time, and should not be considered investment advice.
- 2. Includes cash, cash equivalents, money market funds, impact bonds and options. Impact bonds fund business models that strive to have significant social or environmental effects.
- 3. The range shows the highest and lowest turnover ratio reported in the Annual Report during the last three fiscal years, ending 06/30/2023. Portfolio turnover is the percentage of the portfolio that was bought or sold (lesser) during a fiscal year. A higher portfolio turnover may indicate higher transaction costs for the Fund, and may result in higher taxes for investors.
- 4. Source: Morningstar, 09/30/2023. Average effective duration provides a measure of a fund's interest-rate sensitivity. The longer a fund's duration, the more sensitive the fund is to shifts in interest rates.



### **Growth of 10k**

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Eventide Balanced Fund expenses: Class I, Gross Expenses 0.90%, Net Expenses 0.82%; Class A, Gross Expenses 1.15%, Net Expenses 1.07%; Class C, Gross Expenses 1.90%, Net Expenses 1.82%; Class N, Gross Expenses 1.10%, Net Expenses 1.02%. The adviser has contractually agreed to waive fees and/or reimburse expenses of the Fund through 10/31/2024. The agreement may be terminated by the Fund's Board of Trustees only on 60 days' written notice.

This is a hypothetical illustration and is not intended to reflect the actual performance of any particular account. Future performance cannot be guaranteed and investment returns will fluctuate with market conditions.

Performance is historical and does not guarantee future results. Investment return and principal value will fluctuate with changing market conditions so that when redeemed, shares may be worth more or less than their original cost. Current performance may be lower or higher than the data quoted. Investors cannot directly invest in an index, and unmanaged index returns do not reflect any fees, expenses, or sales charges. The volatility of an index may be materially different than that of the Fund, and investors should not expect the Fund to achieve the same results as a listed index. Performance data current to the most recent month-end may be obtained by calling 1-877-771-EVEN (3836).

- 1. This chart is for illustrative purposes and assumes that a \$10,000 investment was made on the Fund's inception date of 07/15/2015 and that all dividends and capital gains were reinvested. Hypothetical performance often shows markedly better results than actual management and should not be the basis for an investment decision. A variety of factors could impact investment decision making or otherwise cause differences between the hypothetical performance and actual investor returns. It compares the Eventide Balanced Fund Class I's performance to index performance over the periods shown. Performance will differ for other fund classes, based upon fees and commissions. The returns shown do not reflect the deduction of taxes that a shareholder would pay on fund distributions or on the redemption of fund shares. Because of ongoing market volatility, fund performance may be subject to substantial short-term changes.
- 2. The Balanced Blend is a proprietary Eventide benchmark composed of 50% Russell Midcap Index and 50% Bloomberg U.S. Intermediate Aggregate Bond Index. The Russell Midcap Index measures the performance of the mid-cap segment of the U.S. equity universe. The Bloomberg U.S. Intermediate Aggregate Bond Index is a market capitalization-weighted index, meaning the securities in the index are weighted according to the market size of each bond type. Most U.S.-traded investment-grade bonds are represented. Municipal bonds and Treasury Inflation-Protected Securities are excluded. The index includes Treasury securities, Government agency bonds, mortgage-backed bonds, corporate bonds, and a small amount of foreign bonds traded in the U.S. Please refer to the Fund's Prospectus for additional index details.



### **Returns, Distributions & Yield**

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Trailing Returns¹ (%)											31 De	c 2023
Eventide Balanced Fund				YTD	3-mos	1-year	3-year²	5-year²	10-year	Since Inception <sup>2</sup>	Incept	ion Date²
Class I				12.16	8.10	12.16	3.38	9.42	_	6.70	07/1	5/2015
Class A without load				11.94	8.11	11.94	3.20	9.22	_	6.47	07/1	5/2015
Class A with 5.75% load <sup>3</sup>				5.51	1.87	5.51	1.18	7.94	_	5.73	07/1	5/2015
Class C⁴				11.05	7.92	11.05	2.36	8.34	_	5.65	07/1	5/2015
Class N				11.93	8.05	11.93	3.18	9.23	_	6.50	07/1	5/2015
Benchmark												
Balanced Blend <sup>5</sup>				11.37	9.21	11.37	2.19	7.30	_	5.58	07/1	5/2015
Benchmark Components												
Russell Midcap Index <sup>5</sup>				17.23	12.82	17.23	5.92	12.68	_	9.15	07/1	5/2015
Bloomberg U.S. Intermediate Aggregate Bond Index <sup>5</sup>			5.18	5.50	5.18	-2.06	1.14	_	1.34	07/15/2015		
Distributions and Yield <sup>1</sup>											31 De	c 2023
Dec 2022 - Dec 2023	Class I	Class A	Class C	Class N	SEC 3	30-Day Yield	18		Clá	ass I Class A	Class C	Class N
Distributions <sup>6</sup>	\$0.22	\$0.19	\$0.10	\$0.19	Subsidized (Waiver)				2.3	1.95%	1.34%	2.12%
12-Month Yield <sup>7</sup>	1.64%	1.40%	0.74%	1.45%	Unsubsidized (No Waiver)				2.2	22% 1.86%	1.25%	2.03%

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- 3. In the case of investments at or above the \$1 million breakpoint (where you do not pay an initial sales charge), a 1.00% contingent deferred sales charge ("CDSC") may be assessed on shares redeemed within eighteen months of purchase. The CDSC for these Class A shares is based on the NAV at the time of purchase. The holding period for the CDSC begins on the day you buy your shares. Some intermediaries may waive or discount the CDSC under certain circumstances.
- 4. A 1.00% contingent deferred sales charge ("CDSC") may be assessed on C-shares redeemed within twelve months of purchase.
- 5. The Balanced Blend is a proprietary Eventide benchmark composed of 50% Russell Midcap Index and 50% Bloomberg U.S. Intermediate Aggregate Bond Index. The Russell Midcap Index measures the performance of the mid-cap segment of the U.S. equity universe. The Bloomberg U.S. Intermediate Aggregate Bond Index is a market capitalization-weighted index, meaning the securities in the index are weighted according to the market size of each bond type. Most U.S.-traded investment-grade bonds are represented. Municipal bonds and Treasury Inflation-Protected Securities are excluded. The index includes Treasury securities, Government agency bonds, mortgage-backed bonds, corporate bonds, and a small amount of foreign bonds traded in the U.S. Please refer to the Fund's Prospectus for additional index details.
- 6. Represents the sum of all distributions from the period indicated. Distributions consist of dividend and interest income, capital gains, and/or return of capital. Shareholders should not assume that Fund distributions represent net profit. Income may be distributed regardless of whether such income will be treated as return of capital.
- 7.12-Month Yield is the sum of a fund's total trailing 12-month interest and dividend payments divided by the last month's ending share price (NAV) plus any capital gains distributed over the same period.
- 8. SEC Yield is based on a 30-day (or one-month) period ending 12/31/2023 and is calculated by dividing the net investment income per share earned during the period by the maximum offering price per share on the last day of the period. For more information see SEC Form N-1A.

<sup>1.</sup> The returns shown do not reflect the deduction of taxes that a shareholder would pay on fund distributions or on the redemption of fund shares. Because of ongoing market volatility, fund performance may be subject to substantial short-term changes.

Performance figures for periods greater than 1 year are annualized. Annualized since inception figures use an inception date of 7/15/2015.



### **Calendar Year Returns**

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Calendar Year Returns¹ (%)								2016-2023	
	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	
Eventide Multi-Asset Income Fund I	9.23	11.98	-8.17	19.88	18.41	16.28	-15.28	12.16	
Balanced Blend <sup>5</sup>	7.99	10.15	-3.88	18.38	12.59	10.22	-13.07	11.37	
Benchmark Components									
Russell Midcap Index <sup>5</sup>	13.80	18.52	-9.06	30.54	17.10	22.58	-17.32	17.23	
Bloomberg U.S. Intermediate Aggregate Bond Index⁵	1.97	2.27	0.92	6.67	5.60	-1.29	-9.50	5.18	

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- 1. Compares the Eventide Balanced Fund Class I's performance to index performance over the periods shown. Performance will differ for other fund classes, based upon fees and commissions. Prior to Q4 2020, Class N shares were displayed. The returns shown do not reflect the deduction of taxes that a shareholder would pay on fund distributions or on the redemption of fund shares. Because of ongoing market volatility, fund performance may be subject to substantial short-term changes.
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### **Market Risk**

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Market Risk<sup>1</sup> 31 Dec 2023

Std. Dev. Alpha (%) R-Squared (%) Beta 3-year Inception<sup>2</sup> 3-year Inception<sup>2</sup> 3-year Inception<sup>2</sup> 3-year Inception<sup>2</sup> Eventide Multi-Asset Income I 93.87 89.25 11.38 9.77 0.95 0.93 1.04 1.30 Balanced Blend<sup>3</sup> 9.90 1.00 1.00 100.00 100.00 11.65

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- 2. Annualized since inception figures use an inception date of 08/01/2015 and not the actual inception date of 07/15/2015 as only full month data is used in Market Risk calculations.
- 3. The Balanced Blend is a proprietary Eventide benchmark composed of 50% Russell Midcap Index and 50% Bloomberg U.S. Intermediate Aggregate Bond Index. The Russell Midcap Index measures the performance of the mid-cap segment of the U.S. equity universe. The Bloomberg U.S. Intermediate Aggregate Bond Index is a market capitalization-weighted index, meaning the securities in the index are weighted according to the market size of each bond type. Most U.S.-traded investment-grade bonds are represented. Municipal bonds and Treasury Inflation-Protected Securities are excluded. The index includes Treasury securities, Government agency bonds, mortgage-backed bonds, corporate bonds, and a small amount of foreign bonds traded in the U.S. Please refer to the Fund's Prospectus for additional index details.



### **Morningstar Ratings**



Overall Morningstar Rating™ US Fund Moderate Allocation (700 funds)

as of December 31, 2023¹ based on Morningstar Risk-Adjusted Return 1. Eventide Balanced Fund Class I class was rated 4 stars against 658 US Moderate Allocation funds for the 5 Yr period, and 3 stars against 700 US Moderate Allocation funds for the 3 Yr period, based on Morningstar Risk-Adjusted Return. Prior to Q4 2020, Class N shares were displayed.

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### **Morningstar Ratings**













US Fund Moderate Allocation (5666 funds)

as of November 30, 2023

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### **Morningstar Rankings**



Top 70% 1yr returns (754 funds)
Top 49% 3yr returns (700 funds)
Top 23% 5yr returns (658 funds)

Percentile Ranking, US Fund Moderate Allocation for December 31, 2023, based on total return

Morningstar percentile rankings pertain to the I share class only. Prior to Q4 2020, Class N shares were displayed. Rankings are subject to change and may differ for other share classes based on fees and sales charges. Morningstar percentile ranking is an investment's total return percentile rank against others in its Morningstar Category, ranging from 1 (best) to 100 (worst). The ranking does not account for sales loads, where applicable. Past performance is no guarantee of future results.

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## **Appendix**



### **Values-Based Analysis**

There are three dimensions to our approach to values-based investing:



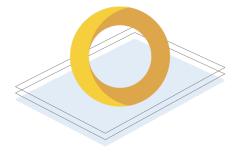
#### AVOID

Create an investable universe of securities that pass our screens, grounded in our values.



#### **EMBRACE**

Conduct original Business 360° research to find the highest quality opportunities that contribute to human flourishing through value creation for society and other key stakeholders.



#### ENGAGE

Engage portfolio companies and security issuers on Business 360° issues to advocate for positive change.

The Strategy's ethical values screening criteria could cause it to underperform similar strategies that do not have such screening criteria. This could be due to ethically acceptable companies falling out of favor with investors or failing to perform as well as companies that do not meet the Strategy's ethical screening guidelines. Reference to Eventide's Business 360 approach is provided for illustrative purposes only and indicates a general framework of guiding principles that inform Eventide's overall research process. The Adviser's judgment about the quality of a particular company may prove to be incorrect. There is no guarantee that any investment will achieve its objectives, generate positive returns, or avoid losses.



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