

Praise the Lord Special Moments



Former professional boxer, author and pastor of The Bridge of Deliverance in Hollywood, CA Bishop Curtis "Earthquake" Kelley gave his powerful testimony about having died twice and going to heaven and hell.



Since 1957, renowned actor Gavin MacLeod has been entertaining audiences worldwide with his performances in film, TV and theater. A long time part of the TBN family, Gavin spoke with Praise host Clifton Davis about his latest film project, "The Secrets of Jonathan Sperry," scheduled to be released in theaters next year.

Behind the Scenes



◀ Multiple award winning Christian recording artist, songwriter and author Michael English shared his moving story with Paul Sr. and Paul Jr. about how God delivered him from addiction to prescription drugs.



▲ No one can croon a sweet gospel tune like Vern Jackson! A long time TBN family favorite, it is always a joy to have Vern minister in song.

▶ Paul Jr. and his guest, producer/director Dallas Jenkins, son of best selling author Jerry Jenkins, discussed the impact of faith-based films in Hollywood. Dallas has produced several Christian films, including his most recent, "Midnight Clear."



◀ A born-again Christian since 1977, former two time heavyweight boxing champion of the world George Foreman is now an ordained minister of the gospel and is the pastor of The Church of the Lord Jesus Christ in Houston, TX.



GIVING AND RECEIVING

"AS YOU WELL KNOW, WHEN I FIRST BROUGHT THE GOSPEL TO YOU... ONLY YOU PHILIPPIANS BECAME MY PARTNERS IN GIVING AND RECEIVING. NO OTHER CHURCH DID THIS." PHIL. 4:15 TLB

The Bible not only teaches the joy and blessings of GIVING, but also the **REWARD** that giving brings to the GIVER! The confirmation of this glorious truth is firmly established by the apostle Paul in his letter to the Philippians.

I have heard numerous great sermons on the duty of giving for the cause of Christ, but not nearly as many on the way God blesses and returns the gift many times over! Mark's gospel tells us that some gifts will return 30, 60 and even 100-fold! Jesus said:

"There is no man that hath left house, or brethren, or sisters, or father, or mother, or wife, or children, or lands, for my sake, and the gospel's, but he shall receive an hundredfold now in this time...and in the world to come eternal life"! Mark 10:29-30 KJV

Wow! Does not Jesus' own words settle it? Yes! He wants us to prosper and have all our needs met! But, that's not all — God also says:

"Delight thyself also in the Lord: and he shall give thee the desires of thine heart"! Ps. 37:4 KJV

We could stop right here and have a "camp meeting revival," but the great apostle Paul makes it even more emphatic! Our theme Scripture is clear — the Philippian church were GIVERS, so Paul adds:

"But though I appreciate your gifts, what makes me happiest is the well-earned reward you will have because of your kindness." Phil. 4:17 TLB

Every so often on "Behind the Scenes" and on Praise-a-Thons, I offer you another KEY for your SPIRITUAL KEY RINGS! So, those of you who have a need (and who doesn't?) I challenge you to take hold of this one. As the precious Holy Spirit makes this truth real, I too, am reaching out because, like you, I have some very real needs!

Paul goes on to nail it down firmly as he concludes:

"And it is he who will supply all your needs from his riches in glory, because of what Christ Jesus has done for us"! Phil. 4:19 TLB

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Love Letters from Around the World

From the Netherlands: "I am an Ethiopian who travels for work to many countries. I was in Kenya, Zambia and Uganda. [I was] blessed [in] all countries watching TBN and currently I moved to Amsterdam and watching TBN online. TBN is like food for me and my family."

From Australia: "Well done TBN. I introduced TBN to my university students in Brisbane, Australia and they are now addicted. Praise be to God."

From China (Church Channel viewer): "I pray every day and I really felt the great changes God make on me since I believed in God (about one year). I have much more hope in life, more peace in heart, more love toward my family and my friends and more confidence.... By the way, in China there is seldom church exist, and is very far from my home. I read Bible at home and watch Church Channel every day. Joel Osteen is my favorite pastor. Thank you for your help...." —WP

From Afghanistan: "I am 22. I want to bloom in God's garden. I am so glad to see your holy website. If you send me some information about church and the growing time. How long the new believer study in holy religion and the word of God. I want your pray. God bless all of us...your new believer brother [in] Afghanistan, Kabul."

From the Philippines: "We are missionaries here in the Philippines. TBN is usually the only spiritual input we get outside ourselves. What a lifeline! What a blessing! Thank you!"

From the U.S.A.: "I love to watch TBN. It helps me in my everyday life to stay in touch and learn about Jesus my lord and savior. It's been there for me in the difficult times in my life like I had kidney failure and liver failure and the Lord spoke to me through many of the programs and I was healed from sickness and many other things like drugs, etc. It helps me a lot (TBN). I love you." —K

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While this verse is a wonderful promise, I am told by Bible scholars that the word “*need*” is a poor translation by the King James Version. The translation from the original Greek should read as: “**He will supply all your abundance from his riches in glory....**” But HOLD ON — *there is always a condition to be met by us before we can claim this blessed key!* Before I give it to you, **there is one gift that requires NO condition! It is our eternal salvation which is full and free to all who simply believe!**

So, to claim this key of God’s abundance we must remember that the Philippian believers were GIVERS! *Paul did not give this key to any of the other churches!* Paul teaches the Corinthian church the joy and blessings of giving, but then chastises them for not obeying!

“Did I do wrong and cheapen myself...because I preached God’s Good News to you without charging you anything? Instead I ‘robbed’ other churches by taking what they sent me...so that I could serve you without cost”! 2 Cor. 11:7-9 TLB

Paul concludes his strong exhortation with, of all things, an apology!

“The only thing I didn’t do for you, that I do...in all other churches, was to become a burden to you — I didn’t ask you to give me food to eat and a place to stay.” 2 Cor. 12:13 TLB

And, if you cannot say “AMEN” right here, say “OUCH!” because Paul concludes, as I said, with this apology: **“PLEASE FORGIVE ME FOR THIS WRONG!” 2 Cor. 12:13b TLB.**

Finally, Jesus Himself makes the condition clear. *So we want our needs met, right? We want to have even the desires of our hearts — right?* Okay, here it is:

“Ye have not chosen me, but I have chosen you, and ordained you, that ye should go and bring forth

fruit, and that your fruit should remain: [so] that whatsoever ye shall ask of the Father in my name, HE MAY GIVE IT TO YOU”! Jn. 15:16 KJV

I believe the above verse forever settles it: ***ONLY FRUIT BEARERS may claim the precious promises of God to prosper and have abundance in everything on earth and finally, eternal life!***

So, what is this “FRUIT” that God so greatly desires? Ah, I think you know: it is the eternal souls of men, women, boys, and girls that we are snatching as “brands from the burning” from the evil one’s grasp! Yes, with over 12,000 stations, cables, DTH, and the Internet — fed by 70 great satellite angels in the sky — glory be to God, together we are doing it in Jesus’ holy name!

Will you join us? Jan and I need you more than ever as we see the finish line in view! It will not be long until we will have to pass the torch on to our next generation, if Jesus tarries. But, this I see clearly now: **THE HARVEST IS POURING IN FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD!** “Multitudes, multitudes in the valley of decision” — we must continue to tell them to flee from the wrath to come!

TBN’s great week of Praise-a-Thon begins
November 2 - 7

In fact, the whole month we will keep the phones and Internet open to receive your call and pledge. Tell us your need — we will put our whole TBN family in agreement with you — as we learn the joy of giving and receiving!

Paul

Be encouraged, refreshed and renewed with Jan and her team as they lead us in a wonderful time of praise and worship!



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