

Praise the Lord SPECIAL MOMENTS

Matt and Laurie had the joy of hosting Joel and Victoria Osteen, pastors of Lakewood Church in Houston, TX—the largest church in the U.S. Their program, *Joel Osteen*, is aired on TBN Mondays at 9:00 PM, Fridays at 6:00 PM and Sundays at 5:00 PM (Pacific time).



Faith, family and extraordinary musical talent comes together in the Annie Moses Band. Siblings Annie, Alex, Benjamin, Camille, and Gretchen performed their unique, beautiful music at Trinity Music City in Hendersonville, TN.



Gospel recording artist and songwriter **Squire Parsons** is the author of one of the most beloved songs performed on TBN—and one of Paul's favorites—"Sweet Beulah Land."

A long time part of the TBN family, evangelist **R.W. Schambach** has preached the Gospel message of faith and power to the nations for over 60 years.



Host Pastor Phil Munsey spoke with **James Bertrand**, pastor of Powerchurch Int'l. in Lake Charles, LA, and founder of "Just for Jesus," a ministry dedicated to, "Reaching the Un-churched...Changing a Generation."



Physician **Reginald B. Cherry, M.D.** and chiropractic doctor and bishop/senior pastor of Glory to Him Church in Ozark, AL, **Dr. Scott K. Hannen**, shared important insights about health and healing with hosts Matt and Laurie.



Host **Clifton Davis** spoke with Grammy and Dove award winning recording artist and musical innovator **Kirk Franklin**. A powerhouse in today's contemporary Christian music, Kirk touches millions worldwide with his dynamic, anointed songs.

Mr. T, pictured with hosts Matt and Laurie, is world renowned for his roles in "Rocky III" and "The A Team," but the title that he prefers to be known by is simply, "servant of God."



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VIRGINIA BEACH IS OURS!

"SING TO THE LORD, ALL THE EARTH! SING OF HIS GLORIOUS NAME! TELL THE WORLD HOW WONDERFUL HE IS." PSA. 66:1-2 TLB

Come on **EVERYBODY**, let's sing! As I write this newsletter to you, the **FCC has just granted FULL POWER STATION NUMBER 35 to YOUR TBN!** All praise to our wonderful Lord!

The glorious news reached me on July 9: WHRE Channel 21, covering the greater Tidewater, Virginia Beach area with 24/7 Christian television, was granted to TBN. So **REJOICE** — Virginia Beach, Chesapeake, Hampton, Newport News, Norfolk, Portsmouth, Suffolk plus numerous smaller cities, counties and towns of Hampton Roads. Virtually 2,000,000 souls are now covered! Glory to God! Let's say hello to Pat Robertson and family, the *700 Club* and Regent University and our precious brothers and sisters in Christ!

"How awe-inspiring are your deeds, O God! How great your power!" Psa. 66:3 TLB

With 35 great full power TV stations, plus over six thousand cable affiliates, both DirecTV and DISH (direct-to-home dishes), we can rejoice that virtually every home in America is covered — ah yes, "Hello, America," but also "HELLO WORLD!"

Who could have dreamed 37 years ago what God had determined to do? Some of you may remember the awesome word of prophecy given by my friend and brother in Christ, Jerry Bernard. Jerry and his dear wife, Sandi, now pastor a church in Daytona Beach, Florida. What a great blessing and encouragement they were to Jan and me in those early days of pioneering. **THE DATE: JUNE**

15, 1975 — TBN RALLY IN ANGELUS TEMPLE, LOS ANGELES. THE WORD OF PROPHECY:

"For the Lord Himself would say unto you, the investments of time and money, the investments of life and blood itself that you have made for my cause have been noted by the Lord and has been taken note of even in the record books of heaven."

The prophecy was precious and powerful. I've printed the entire word in my book, *Hello, World* (write and ask for it and try to tuck in an offering of ten dollars or more to cover the costs). I must include, here, the final word of this prophecy which has literally come true:

"I, the Lord, will cause my work to prosper and grow. There will be no great power that will come against my will that will overpower it!"

How Jan and I stood on this awesome word as we agonized those eight long years defending and fighting for TBN's TV licenses in federal court (*again, read my book!*). But, here was the final word of the Lord:

"I will accomplish the work that I have set forth to do. For I am the Lord and it is my work, saith the Lord God Almighty!"

WOW (WALK ON WATER)! Here we are now 37 years later and together we have worked, laughed, cried, nearly died, but have seen the hand of the Lord raise up not just one TV network, but **10 great networks** — TBN, the Church Channel, JCTV youth channel, Smile

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VIRGINIA BEACH, VA Channel 21— WELCOME TO YOUR TBN FAMILY!



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of a Child children's channel, plus Spanish Enlace, Italian, Russian, Arabic, Farsi, and finally a high definition version of TBN being picked up more and more by the cable and DISH networks! Hallelujah!

Dear partners: Rejoice, rejoice! Because of YOU — yes, ALL of this great TBN family working together —

“All the earth shall worship [God] and sing of your glories. Come, see the glorious things God has done.” Psa. 66:4-5 TLB.

And, finally, the psalmist says what we all want to say: **“What marvelous miracles happen to his people!” Psa. 66:5**

I have often said that if 37 years ago I had been a professing atheist, I would now *HAVE* to believe. I have seen with my own eyes MIRACLES that only our God could have done!

Oh, dear partners, lift your hands with me in mighty praise to our wonderful Lord. Oh, sing that sweet chorus with me:

*Our wonderful Lord, our wonderful Lord
By angels and seraphs in heaven adored
We bow at thy shrine
Our Savior Divine
Our wonderful, wonderful Lord*

Many of you may not realize how close we came to losing all of our precious TV licenses. The psalmist also had some great trouble. So, here is what he did:

“Now I have come to your Temple with burnt offerings to pay my vows. For when I was in trouble I promised you many offerings.” Psa. 66:13-14 TLB

Let me tell you, Jan and I did exactly the same thing! We brought our “many offerings” to the Lord and wept our thanks to our God of miracles! Perhaps you have done



The prophecy God gave to Jerry 35 years ago about TBN has come true: **“I, the Lord, will cause my work to prosper and grow.”** (Photo from 1975: Paul and Jan with Jerry Bernard at Angelus Temple).

the same. If not, we ALL owe God an offering of thanks for saving this great Voice to the world called TRINITY BROADCASTING NETWORK!

So, where do we go from here? Again, the psalmist says it for us: **“In the farthest corners of the earth the glorious acts of God shall startle everyone”** (Psa. 65:8 TLB)! And, finally, the prophecy concludes with: **“Praise God, O world!”** (Psa. 67:5).

So, help me welcome greater Virginia Beach to our ever growing TBN family. Let's all lift our voice and say it with the psalmist to our 21st century billions:

“PRAISE GOD, O WORLD!”

Paul

P.S. You Virginia Beach partners have been enjoying TBN for some time, but we were leasing the station at first — **now we and YOU OWN IT! PTL!**



Paul, Matt and Laurie recently paid a visit to TBN's beautiful Manhattan, New York studio. One of the new programs being produced in New York is *DINO* — featuring a half hour of some of the most beautiful music this side of heaven with hosts **Dino** and **Cheryl Kartsonakis** (pictured with special guest, internationally acclaimed opera singer **Angela Brown**). Watch *DINO* on Mondays at 3:00 AM and Tuesdays at 9:30 PM (Pacific time).



TBN Reaching India with the Love of Jesus!

TBN's partners have helped send thousands of satellite receiving dishes to churches, villages and homes in various parts of India. Among the recipients was an orphanage in Madurai, where the children can now watch TBN, as well as Smile of a Child and JCTV!



These precious children are able to watch Christian TV because of YOU, our TBN family!



FOR YOUR LOVE GIFT THIS MONTH OF SEPTEMBER:



A PEN OF LIGHT!

WOW — we continue to search the world for useful and spiritual love gifts, and have found several great pens in the past, but this one trumps them all! Yes, not only a (writing) pen of light, but a unique pen for life! Push the button and — PRESTO — the top of the barrel lights up in a way...well, you'll have to see it to enjoy it. I can't even describe it completely to you! To top it off, the ancient symbol of the early Christians is clearly seen: the fish and menorah combined with the Star of David proves in this recently discovered symbol that the early church of Jerusalem was both Christian and Jewish.

Your love gift or Praise-a-Thon pledge will bring this most unique writing pen to you with Jan's and my love to you as always.

Paul & Jan

P.S. This is not a throw away pen — the small batteries are replaceable — keep writing till Jesus comes!

Call TBN's Pledge and/or Prayer Line:

1-888-731-1000 (toll free in U.S. and Canada). International: +1-714-731-1000

To make or renew your Praise-a-Thon pledge, or for more information about TBN, please go to www.tbn.org, or write: TBN, P.O. Box A, Santa Ana, California 92711

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BEHIND THE SCENES at the Holy Land Experience

Paul and Jan recently hosted a delightful *Behind the Scenes* program from the Holy Land Experience in Orlando, Florida.



Matt along with HLE cast member, Les Cheveldayoff joined Paul and Jan as they talked about HLE's exciting, new coming attraction—The Church of All Nations auditorium, which will seat 2,000 people!



For more information about the Holy Land Experience, go to www.holylandexperience.com or call 1-800-447-7235. 4655 Vineland Road, Orlando, Florida 32811 • Open Monday – Saturday from 10:00AM to 6:00PM

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