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SEATTLE/TACOMA — STATION NUMBER SEVEN!!!

Beloved TV Partners:

As I write this letter to you a sense of holy awe surrounds me. Ten years ago this month, God began the vision for TRINITY BROADCASTING. In those early formative months God also spoke a promise by a word of prophesy:

... my heart exults in the Lord, my horn is exalted in the Lord, my mouth speaks boldly against my enemies, because I rejoice in thy salvation... the bows of the mighty are shattered, but the feeble gird on strength... those who were hungry cease to hunger. EVEN THE BARREN GIVES BIRTH TO SEVEN.

(I Samuel 2:1,2,4 & 5b)

When this Word was given **we were indeed barren!** No TV station, No finances, no strength or special abilities — **JUST THE PROMISE OF GOD! But that was enough!**

Now, PRAISE THE LORD, the glorious fulfillment of the vision is in view! The GOOD NEWS — on DECEMBER 8, 1982 the contract was signed by both parties looking toward the transfer of Channel 20 which will cover the entire Puget Sound area and even up into Vancouver, B.C. with CHRISTIAN TELEVISION! And, because of the unique way this contract is arranged, we will be able to begin construction almost immediately! Please pray that everything will move quickly and smoothly through the FCC since everything must be approved by them.

Beloved partners, I know in my spirit that we are **NOW** on the threshold of God's great final call to humanity. The tempo is accelerating at a breathtaking pace. Thank God the call is going out 24-hours a day into homes, hospital rooms, prison cells, and partners, there is a steady stream of salvation reports streaming into the telephone prayer lines daily! Praise the Lord! But now, we must gird ourselves spiritually for this final thrust. The **NEW YEAR OF 1983** is going to be GLORIOUS! The Holy Beamer will be rolling EVERYWHERE — to all of our sister stations from New York to Los Angeles. Special revivals with Nicky Cruz, James Robison, Jimmy Swaggart, Morris Cerullo, Ken

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Copeland, just to name a few of the highlights. Arthur Blessitt will be sending us special reports from Europe as he walks with the Cross all over that Continent. Foreign language PTL continues to expand now in EIGHT languages from Europe around the world to the Orient! PTL!

And the best news is: **YOU ARE GOING WITH US!** Yes, you will have a front row seat in your living room as we literally **GO IN ALL THE WORLD**—preaching the GOSPEL to every creature! Thank you for being our SOUL WINNING partners as we GO, GO, GO! Without **YOU** none of this would be possible. Your sacrifices of love are literally changing our world—**GLORY BE TO GOD—WE ARE WINNING!** We know because . .

Rock music is on the rocks!
Prisoners are finding Christ.
Drug Addicts are being delivered.
The hungry are being fed.
Satan's lies are being exposed.
Souls are being saved.
We're claiming every TV station in sight!
PRAISE THE LORD—JESUS IS ABOUT TO RETURN!

Partners, let's warn the lost ones all around us that the time is near. Jesus said in Matthew 24:

For the coming of the Son of Man will be just like the days of Noah. For as in those days which were before the flood they were eating and drinking, they were marrying and giving in marriage, UNTIL THE DAY THAT NOAH ENTERED THE ARK, and they did not understand until the flood came and TOOK THEM ALL AWAY, so shall the coming of the Son of Man be.
(Matthew 24:38-39)

Partners, another flood is coming. This time it will be a flood of God's judgement upon all the earth. Will you continue to help Jan and me warn them? Let us hear from you this month so that we will know your love and support is still strong! We do love you and will be your prayer and faith partner till Jesus comes!

Sincerely your brother in Christ,

Paul

LOVE LETTERS FROM OUR TBN FAMILY

My Dearest Paul and Jan,

As a chapter of my life comes to a close I want to thank you and your ministry. August 13, 1982, I was arrested on charges;

I have lost that battle with the law and though I've never been arrested in my life, I may be spending the next 7 years in a solitary cell under protective custody. I tell you this so you may continue to send your messages to us and to give strength to the importance of the satellite disc programs. When I came to the Oklahoma County Jail, 111 (one hundred and eleven) days ago I entered this 12 bunk cell where murder, knifings and beatings have taken place. I am in Max. Security with a 24 hour T.V. camera, lights and listening microphones constantly surveying us. Once every hour from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. CST guards walk by our cage—but I still have seen beatings and a number of things I do not want to even remember today. You see Satan has made a major mistake. He allowed four born again Christians—Don Woods, Greenberry McIntosh, O'Neal Douglas, and Bobby Manor to be together.

Miracles started to happen and TBN programs started to appear on T.V. I was

saved after watching Praise the Lord August 21, 1982, eight days after entering jail ...

Since then I've received letters, books (including some Mexican New Testaments and Bible) and a pen pal (Mrs. Teresa Ferralos) from within your organization.

Today we have 14 men in here—all Christians—that's 100% PRAISE THE LORD. We have Daily Bible study with books from many ministries of which I am now the "leader." Thank you Jesus. We have cleaned the walls of obscene words and put PRAISE THE LORD, JESUS IS THE ANSWER and I have a cross that was drawn on my bunk. We get attacked by Satan every once in a while but we bind, and rebuke him in the Name of Jesus then we pray to wash the cell in the Blood of Jesus (our best weapon in emergencies) and the Word of God

I look around—I see two men Juan Longoria and Kole Davis studying the Word. I see Byron Beamer and Tony Sise making a beautiful cross. I see two more in another corner in fellowship and witnessing to each other. I see two on the floor watching T.V. after our Bible study and I see three up above me in

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fellowship and two playing cards. And myself writing you. I love my brethren here and I wish the state could realize how much Jesus Christ heals. I want to do so much for Jesus now, but I will spend my time studying and when I can, witnessing.

I love you guys so much and when I get to Lexington Assessment and Reception Center I will be given a Prison number. I should be there before Christmas. Please pray for me and write me again—....

1 John 5:18-21

Len Mikes (A free man in Christ)

P.S. Paul—I want to thank you for helping make His Word alive and everything to me—Bless you in His Name Jesus.

P.S. Jan—Thanks for your special concern and ministry for the downtrodden. I prayed that I could meet you and Paul

I know you have many letters addressed to you and I want to thank you for the personal letter typed to me relating to my last two letters—God bless you.

SPECIAL EVENTS AT YOUR TBN—GREAT HAPPENINGS COAST TO COAST AND YOU WERE THERE!!



Jan talking to the children in Brooklyn, New York. Paul & Jan and 12 members of Brooklyn Tabernacle Church went to a city park in Brooklyn and gave out 1,000's of dolls to the children—each was given in the name of Jesus.



Paul and members of Brooklyn Tabernacle Church giving out dolls and trucks to 1,000's of children in New York! Each one was sent by you and given out in the name of Jesus—Thank you for your LOVE to the children of the WORLD! They are precious in HIS SIGHT and OURS!



New York Studio—Paul & Jan visited the brand new New York TV Studio for Channel 54—It is going to be beautiful. A Southern Mansion on beautiful acreage in the Poughkeepsie/Fishkill area of N.Y.—50 miles north of New York City! This is a miracle—thank you for helping get Jesus all over New York.



What a JOY to welcome our brother Andraé Crouch to PTL—He invited us all to visit Melodyland for the Christmas special! Andraé blessed us right out of our socks when he sang "Thru it All"! We love you Andraé—come home ANYTIME, OK?



The Holy Beamer on the 18 Wheeler continues to roll coast to coast bringing GREAT EVENTS into YOUR HOME—like the night we welcomed Jerry Falwell LIVE from E.V. Hill's church in SOUTH CENTRAL L.A.! Help keep the Holy Beamer rolling for JESUS!



What a JOY to be invited to Melodyland to join in their CHRISTMAS SPLENDOR—TBN aired this on Christmas Eve—Thanks to RICH COOK—ANDRAÉ CROUCH and DANNIEBELLE HALL—PASTOR RALPH WILKERSON and all the MEMBERS of Melodyland for letting TBN join in the celebration.



Hal Lindsey was spectacular New Year's Eve as we broadcast LIVE from Melodyland! Holy Communion—Dr. Danny Shaeffer and HAL LINDSEY—all brought to you via satellite into YOUR home!