

# NEAR-DEATH EXPERIENCE BECOMES *a* CATALYST *for the* GOSPEL



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## A WOUNDED WARRIOR FINDS HEALING *and* RETURNS *to* VIETNAM *to* SHARE CHRIST

As chairman of TBN, one of the questions I'm asked a lot is, "What does it take to send the Gospel across the globe through Christian television?" The quick answer is, "30+ networks broadcasting in 14 languages, riding on 81 satellite transponders."

But that's only a partial answer. The equipment and hardware are necessary to infiltrate regions where, otherwise, people would have no way to access biblical content in their native language. Yet our broadcast infrastructure and satellite signals are only a portion of the strategy. The true power to effect change in people's lives lies in producing God-inspired content. Many times, this leads us on a search for great stories of people making an impact for Jesus.

Recently, this led our team to Vietnam with TBN's longtime friend, Dave Roever. We have been privileged to know Dave for decades. And if you've watched *Praise the Lord* through the years, you're probably familiar with his story as well.

Dave is a U.S. Vietnam veteran who suffered a tragic injury when a grenade blew up right next to his head in 1969. The devastating blast left his face and parts of his body with 3rd degree burns and changed his life forever.

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In Dave's own words, "Your life can change in one second. Sniper fire in Vietnam set off a grenade that blew off my face, ear, hair, and opened my chest. I could literally see my own heart beating in my chest, the wounds were so bad."

It was a miracle he survived his wounds and the aftermath of depression and suicidal thoughts. More importantly, he never blamed God for what happened to him. In fact, God produced a fearlessness

motivating Dave to find a way to spread His love to the people of Vietnam.

Dave has sown seeds of love for decades in Vietnam. The people know Dave because they've seen his good works. He's built a pediatric wing at a local hospital and a clinic in their country. He's preached and shared Jesus with them for decades, and his generosity has opened their hearts to receive the message of Christ.

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### WE GO WHERE THE STORIES ARE

To continue to bring you cutting-edge content, we go where the stories are. Dave's life story is so compelling, we decided to travel all the way to Vietnam to film a documentary about it. It was surreal being with him as he led us to the very place where he was nearly killed by a grenade. We are in the production stages right now and can't wait for you to see the final product in the near future.

### THE FUTURE OF CHRISTIAN TV IN VIETNAM AND ASIA

We are hopeful about the expansion of Christian television in Asia. We're praying that in the near future the Vietnamese will have their first Christian-content broadcasting network.

You are the reason these kinds of developments are happening all around the world. Your support is creating opportunities for people to receive the Gospel in their native languages, but it also puts boots on the ground in the form of people like Dave Roever who are willing to go and be a physical expression of the love of God.

### WE'RE STRONGER TOGETHER

All of us working together as a team are truly making an impact. We are getting stronger together in grace, while, at the same time, helping the unsaved receive Jesus. And this month we are also focusing on becoming stronger in our health and wellness. We have renowned Christian doctors Janet Maccaro and Scott Hannen to



*Evangelist, missionary, and speaker Dave Roever with Paul & Jan Crouch.*

arm us with their practical knowledge, helping us to live long and strong. When it comes to great health, it's not always spiritual. God designed natural remedies to better our health, and we want to bless you with this powerful insight!

When you give your best gift in support of TBN's outreach to places like Vietnam and other key areas of need around the world, we are going to bless you with Dr. Janet Maccaro's amazing natural health guidebook, *Natural Health Remedies*.

**God wants to empower, restore, and strengthen you.**

If you're able to share a gift of \$120 or more, we'll also include two additional key resources by our friend Dr. Scott Hannen—his *Stop the Pain* teaching series on DVD and his eye-opening book *Healing by Design*. God wants to empower, restore, and strengthen you. These health references can serve as "self-care manuals" with information on natural remedies for the common cold, inflammation, and chronic pain. These are your blueprint for better health, and we can't wait to send them to you.

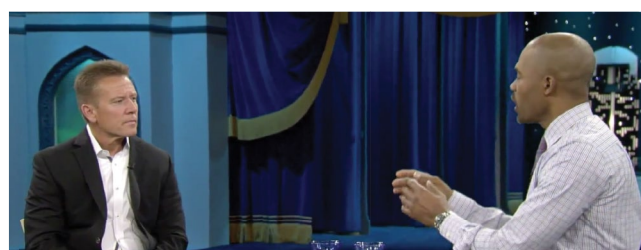
Laurie and I want you to know how much we love you. You are in our prayers, as we believe with you for your continued growth in grace through the knowledge of the Lord Jesus. God bless you! **TBN**



# Praise

## HIGHLIGHTS

View the episodes below at  
**TBN.ORG/AUG2018**



Dr. Scott Hannen discusses tips for a healthier lifestyle with Dr. Ian Smith.



Matt & Laurie Crouch have an uplifting conversation with Charles Stanley on overcoming adversity and trusting God.



Matt sits down with Bear Grylls, star of the television series Man vs. Wild, as Grylls discusses how he came to faith in God.



Jordin Sparks leads worship at Harvest Crusade in Southern California.

### Watch Praise

Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays,  
and Fridays at 8:00pm ET / 8:00pm PT or  
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## Walk For FREEDOM

*TBN Partners stand with A21 in their  
fight against modern-day slavery*

**A21** is an international organization founded by Christine Caine, dedicated to abolishing slavery everywhere, forever. And TBN is a proud sponsor of their annual *Walk For Freedom*, taking place this year on October 20. The *Walk For Freedom* will bring together thousands of people in hundreds of locations, across more than 40 countries, in the fight against human trafficking.

Millions of people are enslaved across the world today, subjected to forced labor, domestic servitude, and even forced prostitution. To find a location near you, host your own event, or get more information, visit [www.A21.org/walk](http://www.A21.org/walk).



## — EXCITING FALL LINEUP *for YOU!* —



### ***Better Together***

Join Laurie and a cast of friends as they gather around a table and share conversations about life, family, marriage, and the hope and grace of Jesus Christ.

***Coming soon!***

### ***Love Speaks***



Carl Wesley Anderson shares his journey of learning how history was changed by people who obeyed God when He spoke. Be inspired to hear God speak through His Word, the Holy Spirit, and the overwhelming presence of His love.

### ***Jesus the Game Changer***



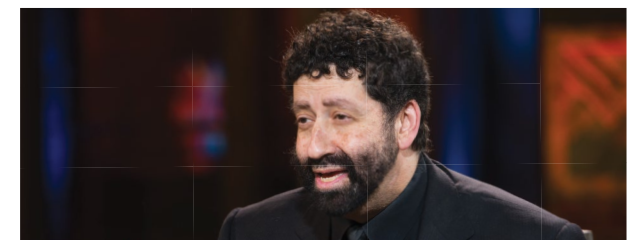
TBN invites you to join Karl Faase on this amazing journey through the UK, U.S., Singapore, India, and Australia, as he talks with authors and academics about how Jesus changed history.

### ***Anonymous***



In *Anonymous*, Alicia Chole examines the significance of God's calling on our lives and how He uses "hidden years" of insignificance to prepare us for greatness. Discover how God uses anonymity to strengthen your soul and how your destiny is developed in the silent years of ministry.

### ***The Book of Mysteries***



Jonathan Cahn's *The Book of Mysteries* will take you on a journey of divine revelation through ancient Scriptures, the laws of creation, the hidden insight of history, the most important keys of spiritual truth, end-time mysteries, and the secrets of life.



# TBN Joins Israel for Its 70TH ANNIVERSARY

This has been a landmark year for the nation of Israel. The United States' acknowledgement of Jerusalem as Israel's true capital combined with the commemoration of the 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Israel's founding as a nation, marked a pivotal season in the scope of God's plans. And TBN was favored to be the premier Christian broadcaster capturing this historic moment.



Jay Sekulow, Pastor John Hagee, and Matt & Laurie Crouch at the TBN Studio in Jerusalem.



Pastor John Hagee leads prayer for a special Praise episode in Jerusalem.



Gov. Mike Huckabee of TBN's Huckabee speaks on the biblical and cultural significance of the U.S. Embassy move to Jerusalem.



Matt & Laurie with Sarah & Ross Perot Jr.



Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu at the U.S. Embassy Dedication Ceremony in Jerusalem.

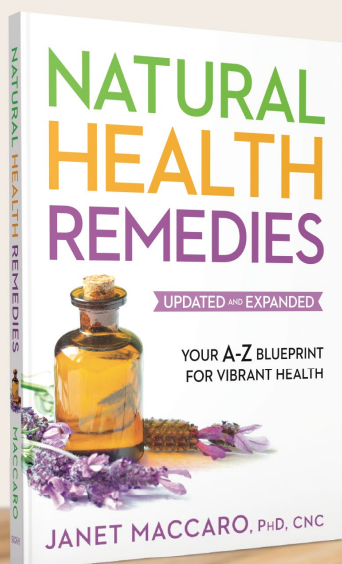


Matt & Laurie visit the new U.S. Embassy in Jerusalem.



# Tap into Solutions for Better Health the Natural Way!

Do you seem to catch every cold bug that goes around? Have you battled frequent, severe headaches? TBN wants to help you learn to overcome these and scores of other common ailments and to live in optimum health! *Natural Health Remedies* by Dr. Janet Maccaro provides an in-depth, A-to-Z blueprint, written from a Christian perspective, to help your family discover the benefits of natural medicine. Discover how to take advantage of God's natural gifts of herbs, vitamins, minerals, and more to address the root causes of many common symptoms.



*"It is my prayer that this book will replace fear with fact, hopelessness with healing, and despair with renewal!"*  
—Dr. Janet Maccaro

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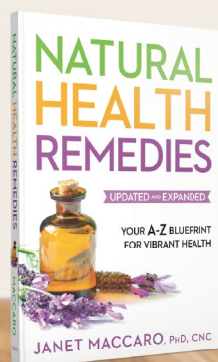
God doesn't want you settling for a life plagued by pain. He created your body to function properly so you can experience the fullness of your destiny. Dr. Scott Hannen will empower you with revolutionary insight about the causes of chronic pain and show you how God designed your body to heal itself, in his *Stop the Pain* 4-DVD set, along with his book *Healing by Design*.

*"Everything you once believed regarding healthcare is about to change. Armed with biblical principles and medical facts, you'll have the tools you need to make better health choices for yourself and your family from now on."*

—Dr. Scott Hannen

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