SENDING THE HOPE AND GRACE OF JESUS TO THE WORLD

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The Lord Your God is with You!

In his book Standing Strong, TBN friend and programmer Charles Stanley shows us how to storm-proof our life with God's Word.

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ISAIAH 41:10

If the past months of uncertainty and turmoil have revealed anything, it is that fear is a real issue that touches everyone. The good news is that for those of us who love Jesus and embrace His finished work of salvation, God has an inescapable command filled with abundant promise: “Fear not, for I am with you; be not dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you, yes, I will help you, I will uphold you with My righteous right hand” (Isaiah 41:10).

This is just one of the many scriptures throughout the Bible assuring us that as God’s children, we have an inheritance that empowers us to stand confidently and declare with David—“The Lord is on my side; I will not fear” (Psalm 56:3). Like David, for each of us there are going to be times in our lives when fear tries to assault us. In order to stand in victory over that fear we will have to face it head on, with the choice of faith in what God’s Word tells us over the feelings we have at any particular moment.

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When David declared, “The Lord is on my side, I will not fear,” it’s clear that he did not mean he was never afraid. Writes Joyce: “I think he was declaring that when he did feel afraid, he would not let fear control him.” She goes on to encourage us that as believers, we can embrace the same posture as David: “In fact, it is the only acceptable attitude for a Christian to have. Fear is not from God, and we should resist it firmly in the power of the Holy Spirit. To resist it means to choose not to let it affect our decisions.”

Now let’s be clear: Our choice of faith over fear does not come out of thin air. It is the result of being reminded time and again that God is with us through our faith in Jesus, and that His Word is filled with promises of His care and compassion in every situation we face.

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In their weakness, the telling of their inspiring accounts of faith and victory might have been far different. But God never allowed fear to dominate their stories—just as it doesn’t have to define our lives and circumstances.

King David had a good handle on this truth when he declared to God: “Whenever I am afraid, I will trust in You” (Psalm 56:3). Like David, for each of us there are going to be times in our lives when fear tries to assault us. In order to stand in victory over that fear we will have to face it head on, with the choice of faith in what God’s Word tells us over the feelings we have at any particular moment.

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What I’m really talking about is believing standing strong together as we navigate the trials and testings in our daily walk of faith. When we face fear and other issues relevant to our faith in God, it’s much easier to be confident when we are side-by-side with like-minded Christ followers, spurring each other on with God’s Word and an encouraging voice.

That’s called community, it’s vital to our faith in Christ, and for nearly fifty years it has been foundational to our vision and mission here at TBN. From the first day TBN went on the air, our commitment has been to provide a friendly and safe place—a community—where anyone can find salvation through Jesus, and the hope, healing, and peace only He can provide. And with every moment of every broadcast day, that community extends to providing you and other believers across the earth with inspiration, encouragement, teaching, worship, prayer, uplifting conversation, and much more every time you tune in to TBN.

Another vital part of that community is the commitment individuals just like you are making to stand—and go—with TBN as we fulfill Christ’s Great Commission by taking His love and salvation to individuals and families on every continent—as well as to those in our own communities. Through your prayer, your financial partnership, and through sharing TBN programming with those you know and love (find out more about this on page 7), you are helping to extend God’s Kingdom.

Dear friend, thank you for joining us in this epic, biblical quest to take God’s love “to the ends of the earth” (Acts 1:8). Never forget that Laurie and I—and our TBN team—lift you up in prayer, asking God to make you fruitful in His Kingdom, and to fulfill His purpose in your life.

God bless you and yours,
TBN PRAISE & PROGRAMMING

WATCH WEEKNIGHTS@8/7C
And view all your favorite past Praise shows on-demand at watch.tbn.org/praise.

In this special Praise program, popular CBS sportscaster James Brown hosted NFL Commissioner Roger Goodell to talk about the current state of pro football and how the NFL is addressing racism and other major issues facing our culture.

Middle East expert Erick Stakelbeck welcomed five-time New York Times bestselling author Jonathan Cahn (right) to introduce his new book The Harbinger II, the highly anticipated sequel to Cahn’s 2012 blockbuster end-times narrative The Harbinger.

In September we featured a new film produced by Pastor Greg Laurie and Harvest Crusades, bringing viewers of all ages and walks of life valuable answers to some of life’s most crucial questions.

Award-winning singer and songwriter Javen hosted an evening of worship and praise, featuring guest artists Dante Bowe, Phil Thompson, Tim Bowman and Faith City Music, and Kaci Stewart and CityLife Worship.

RETURN OF THE HARBINGER

BEHIND THE NFL SHIELD

Friday, October 30, 2020 | 8pm/7c ON TBN

Don’t miss the excitement and great music that make up the annual GMA Dove Awards. TBN brings you all of the action and emotion as the Christian music community gathers to honor the singers, songwriters, musicians, and professionals responsible for the music that is bringing hope, healing, and changed lives to people everywhere.

Download the TBN App to your favorite device or watch online at watch.tbn.tv.

A Night of Music, Inspiration, and Hope

TBN partnered with the Museum of the Bible for a concert event to bring hope to individuals during the pandemic and other crises. Hosted by Christian singer-songwriter Matthew West, the concert featured performances by artists Leanna Crawford, for KING & COUNTRY, the Newsboys, Matt Maher, Danny Gokey, Mandisa, Zach Williams, CeCe Winans, and Christine D’Clario.

TBN 24 Hour Prayer Line: 714-731-1000 or go to www.TBN.org/Prayer
**Share TBN With Family and Friends — Here’s How!**

We’re excited about your partnership with TBN in fulfilling Christ’s Great Commission to go and share His love. One effective way you can do that is by sharing TBN’s life-changing programming with those around you.

We’ve made it easy for you to do that. In the envelope with this newsletter we’ve included a set of special Share Cards that tell about TBN and three of our most popular and impacting programs.

Here’s a simple way you can plant seeds that will open the hearts of those you care about to the love and salvation Jesus has for them:

1) take the enclosed Share Cards in your hands; 2) ask God to show you those individuals He wants you to share them with; and 3) look for opportunities to tell others about the life-transforming programs you enjoy every day on TBN. Then share these cards that tell them about some of TBN’s great programs.

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**TBN Israel Is Touching the World With Dynamic, Life-Changing Content**

Since 2013 TBN has had a state-of-the-art studio in the heart of Jerusalem, creating compelling programming that is seen globally across the TBN family of networks.

One of the most exciting was the historic interview Matt Crouch conducted in January of this year with Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu in Israel, during which the prime minister emphasized the importance of the support his nation receives from the Christian community in America and beyond.

Additionally, TBN Israel produces Praise programs and specials in Israel and the Middle East, many of the special segments featured in TBN’s State of Faith series, and popular Israel-themed programs such as Why Israel Matters and The Watchman With Erick Stakelbeck.

A number of TBN global networks have had programming produced at the Jerusalem studio, including TBN Nordic, TBN Polska, Life TV in Estonia, Bulgarian Christian Television, TBN España, and Brazil’s Rede Praise Gospel network.

Matt Crouch interviewed Benjamin Netanyahu about the Middle East and why Christians must stand strong for Israel.

Matt Crouch recalled the prophetic scripture that says “the Lord’s teaching will go out from Zion; his word will go out from Jerusalem” (Micah 4:2, NLT). “Just as Jerusalem was the launchpad for the early church to evangelize the world,” he noted, “TBN Israel continues that tradition today by producing programming in multiple languages that is proclaiming the gospel across the earth.”

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**Elections: Making Your Vote Count**

For Americans, there is no responsibility more fundamental to the liberty we cherish than voting.

In the weeks leading up to the all-important November 3rd national elections, historians David and Tim Barton from WallBuilders.com are hosting the exclusive TBN series Elections, exploring the unique foundations of America’s constitutional republic, the crucial role our electoral process plays in our nation’s heritage of ordered liberty, and why voting is such an important responsibility for Americans — and for Christians.

Each episode of the six-week Elections series deals with a crucial aspect of America’s constitutional foundations — from the roles and responsibilities of our three distinct governing branches, to national, state, and local elections, the way we elect our president, and how Christians can be sure they are voting biblically and responsibly.
It is one of the most common emotions faced by every person who has ever lived. But as God’s child you can rise above fear. In her latest book Do It Afraid, bestselling author and teacher Joyce Meyer shows you how to stand up to the fears that try to hold you back, and embrace Holy Spirit-empowered courage and faith in the face of every obstacle.

Our “Thank You” this month for your gift of any amount to TBN!

In Standing Strong beloved pastor Charles Stanley guides you through some valuable teachings on how to navigate life’s tests and trials by embracing the unchanging truth of God’s Word.

Receive Do It Afraid and Standing Strong as our thanks for your gift to TBN this month of $35 or more.

The HelpFinder Bible in the New Living Translation makes it easy for you to find help in the Bible for your immediate need. Informative notes connect you to relevant truths from Scripture, and an extensive topical index guides you to specific verses on issues important to your daily walk with God. The HelpFinder Bible brings God’s Word right where you need it!

The two books, plus the HelpFinder Bible, are yours with our thanks for your gift to TBN of $75 or more.