





he COVID-19 pandemic is unlike anything most of us have ever experienced. In just a few short months, the novel coronavirus has turned life upside down worldwide. Quarantines have become a part of life for billions of people. Routines and familiarity have been replaced with fear and anxiety about the future.

News reports have described the situation as unprecedented, and it is, both physically and

spiritually. You see, rarely have so many people—entire nations—entered a season of spiritual seeking all at once.

In the uncertainty, they are looking for answers and comfort to ease their worry, and your TBN is ready. Together, we are uniquely positioned to bring our world the hope and grace of Jesus. Even as people across the globe have been isolated from their loved ones and unable to meet

in their churches, we are here, sending God's Word into homes and believing for a spiritual awakening in 2020.

In a very real sense, God has been preparing us as a TBN family "for such a time as this" (Esther 4:14). From the beginning, our mission has been to bring the life-changing message of the Gospel of Jesus Christ to every corner of the earth.

TBN went "on the air" on May 28, 1973, with a single, low-power TV station. We were limited to just a few hours a day, and programming was homemade and snowy. But God was at work. The content was compelling, and the message of the Gospel spread through the airwaves, changing lives and equipping the saints.

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It's awe-inspiring to see the numerous television stations, transmitters, satellite transponders, and now vast online presence that friends and partners like you have made possible. TBN's programs and programmers are available around the world at a time when people of all ages and races most need the hope and grace of Jesus Christ.

EVERY NATION

Since the launch of that single TBN channel, we've grown until there are now more than 30 distinct networks. These include *JCTV Pakistan* and *Lighthouse Television Uganda*, among the many networks in other countries. A search of TBN's website shows the variety of global networks, and the languages spoken in service to the

Gospel and Jesus-honoring programming now include Arabic, Russian, French, Italian, Swedish, Polish, Spanish, and many more.

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Parents and families; children, young adults, and the elderly around the world have been looking for comfort in these uncertain times. And many are connected socially in ways others of us aren't. In fact, a large percentage of the world's population doesn't even watch television. They are watching on computers, tablets, and phones.

That's why we've focused on presenting the best faith content possible through every medium possible. Whether on our video-on-demand platform (watch.tbn.tv) or through social media or live streaming, you'll find Dr. David Jeremiah, T.D. Jakes, Joyce Meyer, Joel Osteen, Jentezen Franklin, Steven Furtick, and

Christine Caine

Franklin, Steven Furtick, and many more are delivering teaching that ministers to all age groups.

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What's more, we are creating original content with programs like *Jesus the Game Changer*, *Huckabee*, and *John Gray World* to reach new audiences of seekers and Believers alike. Even for those without faith, the inspiring and entertaining content TBN provides is a welcomed change from the barrage of news updates that can so easily discourage.

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As you know, this year, we launched The State of Faith 2020 project, a multifaceted cinematic achievement documenting the historic spread of Christianity to the ends of the earth. And, similar to the spread of Christianity, the TBN distribution network now reaches every inhabitable continent. Today and every day, we have the ability to spread the Gospel over the airwaves, through space, across closed borders, and through the internet. And the upgrade continues to high definition in many places. As we produce an expanding variety of quality content that reaches a more diverse audience, we are also expanding the means of distribution.

NOW MORE THAN EVER

TBN is here for you, and for the lost of our world, in this unprecedented time, bringing teachers and ministers into your home to encourage and strengthen your faith. Plus, we are going a step further. We've offered support and instruction for online streaming to pastors and leaders

of local churches who are unable to meet with their congregations in person.

Even when we cannot collectively gather within the four walls of the local church, we can be the Church, sharing the Good News with a world that desperately needs it. As of the time we're writing this letter to you, we are also making resources available that are designed to help strengthen your faith in challenging times. Visit **tbn.org/offers** and let us share these encouraging, hope-filled teachings with you!

We know there are no limits to what God can do through us when we follow Him in faith and obedience.

This truly is a "we" effort, as it has been from day one. But today, the world needs Christ's message of restoration more than ever before. We know there are no limits to what God can do through us when we follow Him in faith and obedience. As we walk through the doors He opens, no audience is out of reach!

... the one who is in you is greater than the one who is in the world (1 John 4:4).

... for everyone born of God overcomes the world. This is the victory that has overcome the world, even our faith (1 John 5:4).

Let's be bold and aggressive about lifting up the Name of Jesus. Fear and uncertainty won't keep us from bringing in this harvest of souls. Let's trust God and be courageous and generous! Thank you for your prayers and support!

TUNE IN TO HOPE WITH TBN



TBN provides encouragement during these unprecedented times.



Eric Metaxas interviews Mark Batterson on The Eric Metaxas Radio Show!



Matt & Laurie interview Max Lucado on Praise



Better Together meets virtually with Laurie Crouch, Priscilla Shirer, Christine Caine, Chrystal Evans Hurst, and Bianca Olthoff



Be encouraged by God's Word and overcome fear and anxiety: watch.tbn.org/faith-topic-fear-anxiety.

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Her children arise and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praises her: "Many women do noble things, but you surpass them all."

PROVERBS 31:28-29, NIV







IS THURSDAY, MAY 7TH

If ever there has been a time when our nation needed to come together and pray, it is now. Join with TBN to pray for America on Thursday, May 7th.

This year's theme and Scripture come from Habakkuk 2:14, For the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the LORD as the waters cover the sea.



Life Can Be Messy. But There's Good News.

Let's be real, ladies. Not one of us has it all together. That's why we have Jesus, the support of godly friends, and Tuesday nights on TBN. Tune in and be encouraged, starting at 8:00pm ET.



Enjoying Everyday Life with Joyce Meyer

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Equip & Empower with Christine Caine



Living Proof with Beth Moore



Watch Better Together Mom's Week

May 4-8 at 10:30am ET

Let your *Better Together* friends encourage and speak life over you during Mom's Week, whether you're a mom, a grandmother, or a caregiver.

View these programs anytime at watch.tbn.tv





Recent research shows that 41 percent of churches have never posted any portion of their services online, leaving many now scrambling to adapt to a quarantine culture.

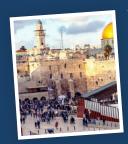
In a 10-minute online tutorial titled "How to Stream Your Church Service Using Facebook Live," TBN walks pastors through each step in the streaming process, offering helpful tips on how to move church meetings to a digital format. As of the time we're writing this to you, over 1,000 pastors have signed up for this training to make the online experience available to their church congregations.

For this and other timely content, visit:

tbn.org/coronavirus-disease-2019

CATCH UP ON





TBN spent three years documenting the Godinspired move that has carried Christianity from its Jewish roots in the Holy Land to the far reaches of the earth.

If you missed the original airing of an episode on TBN you can still tune in anytime to *The State of Faith* journey online! You'll find special regional stories on *Praise* and *Drive Thru History*, plus exclusive web content and a duo of exciting documentaries in the series *Inexplicable: How Christianity Spread to the Ends of the Earth*.



Track the Journey Online:

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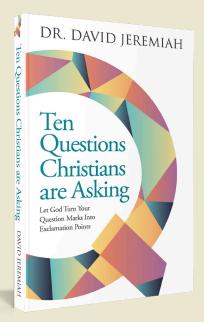
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Dr. Jeremiah Gives Us the Answers to 10 Questions Christians are Asking in These Unprecedented Times.



Matt & Laurie with Dr. David Jeremiah



Ten Questions Christians are Asking

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