

FAITH FORWARD

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A GLOBAL GOSPEL EXPLOSION ON THE WORLD'S STAGE

FAITH FORWARD. These two words hold massive meaning and speak to the unprecedented opportunity Jesus has laid before us all as Believers.

In order to carry out His Great Commission, everything we do at TBN is to answer the question, how can we carry our faith forward to more people, more effectively?

This was our mindset as we prepared for our most recent ministry trip, and it was truly amazing.

TESTING NEW METHODS FOR SUSTAINING MISSIONS

Our team was in high spirits as we made our first stop in Tanzania. There we met with James Meyer, a revolutionary missionary who believes missions work can be self-sustained through farming, rather than relying on traditional fundraising methods. It was intense as

it took a nearly 4-hour drive on flooded roads just to get to him, but once we did reach him, we captured film of the farm and learned of his varying techniques. He's currently assessing goat farming. Though there have been many adjustments from his original plan, we see the long-term potential of his revolutionary ideas. We'll continue to substantially support the program and James' belief that modern techniques and employing local people to farm could be a sustainable model to support missions for decades.

THE GOSPEL CONTINUES TO SPREAD IN AFRICA

Our next stop was Zimbabwe, where we had the opportunity to strategize with our African regional managers. In our meetings, we discussed how *TBN in Africa* has

become the premier network.

As we left Zimbabwe for South Africa, our entire team could sense the building momentum. We were truly excited to look at potential new properties for *TBN Mzansi*. As the counterpart and sister network to *TBN in Africa*, *Mzansi* helps reach lower-income Africans and rides on a new distribution platform reaching 46 of 54 African nations, giving nearly 1 billion African viewers access to the Gospel over the air for free.

Currently *Mzansi* is outgrowing its facilities and is in the process of a major facility upgrade. This major network is just the first of three. It will eventually be followed by a Nigerian network that will focus on West Africa and another in either Johannesburg or Uganda, focusing on East African languages.

The timing of these pending advances couldn't be better. With a new hope for the future, we see major things coming out of Africa. And you are the reason it's happening.

2 MILLION CHRISTIANS MARCH FOR JESUS IN BRAZIL

We left Africa ecstatic about the new developments, but we were not prepared for what happened next in Brazil. We had heard about Rede Gospel's *March for Jesus*. Yet nothing could prepare us for being involved in a march where close to 2 million Christians took to the streets to glorify Jesus. The 12-hour event took place in São Paulo and combined praise and worship, uplifting ministry, and fellowship with other Believers, all culminating in one big celebration to the Lord. Seeing such a huge mass of people worshipping God in unison gave us an image of what the children of Israel looked like marching out of Egypt.

We were excited to document such an awesome event and to connect with such an excellent Christian organization like Rede Gospel—TBN's network affiliate

in Brazil. We're thankful because powerful connections are being made between Christian entities, which gives us exponential potential for greater impact. The world is beginning to see millions of Christians willing to stand up for Jesus. And TBN will be there to capture and tell the story.

GOING DEEPER

We didn't stop there. We finished off our trip by visiting Argentina, Paraguay, Uruguay, and Costa Rica.

We had the opportunity to meet with our *Enlace* station managers, in particular Melissa Gonzalez who is embracing forward-thinking methods for the future of Christian programming across Latin America.

Partners like you are the reason TBN has been able to penetrate into the countries we reach.

The future is bright as we plan on continuing deeper into these regions, which means better distribution in these countries, more local programming, better presence, and more contacts. This, in turn, means more people will be able to receive God's amazing grace through Christian television.

We realize that in order to make an indelible mark on this planet for Christ, we must work in unison with faithful partners like you. Ultimately, we can't "**faith forward**" without you.

In fact, your role as an agent of God's grace in the earth can't be overstated. **This is a viewer-supported venture that simply won't work without you.** Your support makes us better and keeps the Gospel on air 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, free of telethons all around the world.

Laurie and I are so very encouraged by your friendship. We know there are no limits to what God can do, and we are excited to see what the future holds as we take our faith forward and make a mark for Christ! **TBN**

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TBN ORIGINAL SERIES



Huckabee



Mark Batterson: Chase the Lion



Drive Thru History: Acts to Revelation



Max Lucado: Unshakable Hope



Mike Rowe: Somebody's Gotta Do It



Smoketown



Praise



Restoring the Shack



Jesus the Game Changer
(Premieres this month!)



America's Hidden History

- Watch programs on the go on any device
- Locate content faster on easily searchable archives
- Watch live streaming broadcasts
- Catch up on your favorite shows at your convenience

INSPIRED AND ENCOURAGING TEACHING:



Steven Furtick



*Joyce Meyer:
Enjoying Everyday Life*



*Pastor Robert
Morris Ministries*



Joel Osteen



*Kingdom Connection
with Jentezen Franklin*



Creflo Dollar



*In Touch with
Dr. Charles Stanley*



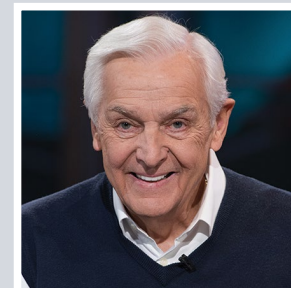
Joseph Prince



Dr. Tony Evans



*Andrew Wommack:
Gospel Truth*



*Turning Point with
Dr. David Jeremiah*



*The Potter's Touch
with T.D. Jakes*

FAITH FORWARD

See how far our partners are **moving faith forward** with their support of Christian television!

JERUSALEM

TBN was favored to be the premier Christian broadcaster capturing the historic U.S. Embassy move, and we celebrated Israel's 70th anniversary.

AFRICA

We met with missionary James Meyer in Tanzania, strategized with TBN's African regional managers in Zimbabwe, and worked on expanding TBN's presence in South Africa to provide new stations and content.

CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA

TBN shared the experience of Rede Gospel's *March for Jesus* in São Paulo, Brazil, with nearly 2 million people, and we met with *Enlace* station managers to discuss the future of Christian television for Latinos.

In South Africa, we are working on new networks, including *TBN Mzansi*, which provides millions with free access to the Good News. Much of the new African content will be in native languages!

Praise

HIGHLIGHTS

Watch Praise
Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays at 8:00pm ET / 8:00pm PT or on-demand for timely encouragement, ministry, relevant topics, entertainment, and more!

watch.tbn.tv/praise

Laurie interviews Priscilla Shirer and her mother, Dr. Lois Evans, as they discuss the power of motherhood.

Matt & Laurie sit with Jentezen Franklin as he discusses overcoming your past and loving like you've never been hurt.

The Katinas host an exciting night of uplifting music, praise, and worship.

Matt & Laurie host John Hagee, Jay Sekulow, Mike Huckabee, and Erick Stakelbeck in Jerusalem, Israel.

Matt & Laurie sit down with Mr. T as he discusses the impact of the Gospel and how it has changed his life.



MEET YOUR TBN TEAM

Spotlight on Cody Crouch

MY MAIN ROLE AT TBN involves production, editing, and being in charge of my parents' international filming. My ultimate focus is learning as much as I can before one day becoming part of the leadership of Trinity Broadcasting Network.

AFTER FINISHING HIGH SCHOOL, I WENT STRAIGHT TO WORK AT TBN to get hands-on experience. I started out as a grip for *Praise the Lord*. Eventually, I moved to camera and production setup. With the help of my brother and other crew members, I have served in this capacity for 6 years in more than 65 countries.

WITH MY MAIN INTERESTS BEING CREATIVE PRODUCTION AND CONTENT DEVELOPMENT, I plan to produce content of my own to impact people's lives in fun, entertaining ways in the near future. As the third generation of TBN, I hope to carry the torch of spreading the message of Jesus to the nations, just like my parents and grandparents before me.

Matt & Laurie with President Trump and Mike Huckabee.
(Official White House Photo by Joyce N. Boghosian)

Mike Huckabee interviews President Trump for a recent episode of Huckabee.
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Matt Crouch with Vice President Pence and Mike Huckabee after filming for Huckabee.



◀ Recently, TBN was privileged to visit the White House to record an upcoming episode of *Huckabee*. We were honored to meet the President, Vice President, and staff while on assignment producing Christian content relevant to our times.

