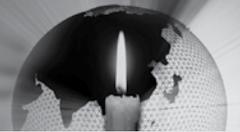


People to People



“A farmer went out to plant his seed...other seed fell on fertile soil. This seed grew and produced a crop that was a hundred times as much as had been planted!” —Luke 8:5, 8 NLT

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Jim Lyon

Host,
CBH ViewPoint

Everybody has a story. Seeing our story from Heaven’s view frames our weekly **ViewPoint** broadcast. A wise guy once observed that “some people look at a rose bush and wonder why God place thorns on the stem, while others look at the rose bush and marvel that God placed a rose among the thorns.” What we look for—what we seek—will be found. Roses. Or thorns.

As the year 2011 moves to its close, **ViewPoint** will introduce you to some extraordinary stories. In each

story there are some thorns and roses. The beauty and fragrance of the roses will make the thorns fade from view. We’re pursuing Heaven’s view, after all. These are stories from which all of us can draw lessons and find the beauty and opportunity in our own lives too.

As Christmas comes into view, what we see will be defined by candlelight—a series of programs bringing the light of Christ into full view. Candles have, for twenty centuries, represented Jesus, the Light of the World. The world can be shrouded in darkness, obscuring, hiding, and clouding the truth. The power of Heaven’s light to shine in this dark world, expressed in both

the Old and New Testaments, will be our theme. The light of Christ searches the deepest reach of our own hearts and projects far ahead of us as we walk into the future. Again, it’s all about what we see—what we look for—that determines what we will find. Again, much depends on the light we use and how brightly we allow it to shine in us and through us.

Fifty-two weeks a year, **ViewPoint** circumnavigates the globe inviting listeners to our table, into the conversation, into the light. Join us. And invite friends to join us as well, as you share with them how they too can stay tuned. When you see the world from Heaven’s view, your world will look better.

Trust Me, God Is Using You

A man hears a broadcast and asks God to help him break his cycle of depression and despair, and he gets back on his feet. A woman in prison for unthinkable crimes listens to the programs and receives a personal letter from the speaker in response to her questions; she finally accepts Christ into her life. A young woman has never heard the broadcast, but

knows that the church she grew up in was built and founded by a man in her village who heard about Jesus for the first time because of CBH. A man’s entire community is swept away by a tidal wave; only he and his radio remain in a tree untouched; he hears CBH and turns away from idol worship, turns to Christ, and is now a pastor. A woman is moving to a new

apartment; she hears the radio in her new neighbor’s apartment, which opens the door for her neighbor to share Christ with her.

I’ve talked to these people on the phone. Touched their tear-stained letters. Felt my own tears while reading their e-mails. I’ve shaken some of their hands and looked in their now hopeful

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eyes. I've been invited to their homes to meet their families, who are now Christians too.

This ministry is changing lives every single day across the globe in more languages and media outlets than ever before. And it's all because of the

prayerful and financial involvement of people like you. Thank you!

We've been invited by national leaders of the Church of God in several new countries this year, but in order to expand and continue touching more lives than ever before, we need you.

Give a year-end gift to Christians

Broadcasting Hope this year and know that your gift will touch countless lives and will reverberate across the globe for years to come.

I know God will work through you—because I know a few of the people who have been changed.

—Andrew Lyon

2011 CBH Challenge Team

We've had lots of additions to the CBH 365 Challenge team this year! Each of the names below have supported at least a half day of broadcasting with CBH in 2011. We know many of you wait until the end of the year to get financially involved—there's still time to sign up. Remember, your gifts are tax deductible as long as they're postmarked by December 31, 2011. Give the gift of Hope today and join the 365 team!

Alice Ann & Rex Ready, Vincennes, IN
Anna Wharton, Flint, MI
Ben & Diania Murphy, Wise, VA
Betta & William Cox, Naperville, IL—in honor of her parents, Laurence and Flora Sammons
Big Lake Church of God, Columbia City, IN
Bill & Garnet Stapleton, Ashland, KY
Bob & Marie Underwood, Charleston, WV
Breiel Boulevard First Church of God, Middletown, OH
Carroll & Marjorie Smith, Granite Falls, NC
Cedar Creek Church of God, Greeneville, TN
Centralia Community Church of God, Centralia, WA
Charles & Patricia Kline, Chappell Hill, TX
Charles & Karen Myers, Dacula, GA
Charlotte First Church of God, Charlotte, NC
Cloverdale Church of God, Lakewood, CO
Courtyard Church, Tulsa, OK
Cypress Street Church of God, West Monroe, LA
Deloris & Floyd Wolford, Chesterfield, IN—in honor of Lloyd and Delcie Hargett
Don & Maxine McCall, Morganton, NC
Don & Mildred Lyon, Anderson, IN
Doris & James Klock, Lake Elsinore, CA
Edith Qualman, Flint, MI
Etta Mae Mitchell, West Monroe, LA
Fellowship Church of God, Inc., Bradenton, FL
First Church of God, Alma, MI
First Church of God, Archdale, NC
First Church of God, Delta, CO
First Church of God, Germantown, OH
First Church of God, Marion, SD
First Church of God, Mount Vernon, OH
First Church of God, Ontario, OH
First Church of God, Pryor, OK
First Church of God, Saint Joseph, MI

First Church of God, Vero Beach, FL
First Church of God, Vinita, OK
First Church of God, Winter Haven, FL
Gene & Gala Slagle, Sun City Center, FL—in honor of Rolly and Fanny Lighty
Geneva & Harry Pennington, Ashland, KY
Gladys & Wally Krueger, Didsbury, AB—in honor of HC and Florence Heffren
Highland Park Community Church, Casper, WY
Holladay Park Church of God, Portland, OR
Hoodview Church of God, Woodburn, OR
Hucrest Community Church of God, Roseburg, OR
Ilabel Osterhout, Cleveland, OK
Iva & Charles Rogers, Ashland, KY
Jack Mills, New Springfield, OH
James Lewis, Brooklyn, NY
Jeanne Hossler, Olympia, WA
Jim & Carol Chapman, Bradenton, FL
Jim & LaVerne Walters, Anderson, IN
Jo & David Evans, Anderson, IN
Joanie & Ron Karpanty, Benton Harbor, MI
Joyce & Bob Pierce, Bristow, OK
Lakeview Church of God, Parma, OH
LaVern & Ruby McKinley, Colorado Springs, CO—in memory of Ruby's parents
Lents-Gilbert Church of God, Portland, OR
LifePoint Church, Goshen, IN
Luella Bale, Coffeyville, KS
Lynchwood Church of God, Portland, OR
Mabel Scheierman, Stratton, CO
Madison Park Church of God, Anderson, IN
Maiden Lane Church of God, Springfield, OH
Marianne Wilson, Fort Myers, FL
Mark & Barbara Denton, Shelton, WA
Maureen & David Mackrory, Calgary, AB
Mildred Whiteley, Flint, MI

Mollie Hembruch, Flint, MI
Mt Scott Church of God, Portland, OR
Myron & Priscilla Forsyth, Cupertino, CA
Nancy & Bruce Moore-Fabian, Port Orange, FL
New Beginnings Church of God, Albuquerque, NM
Northwood Church of God, Northwood, OH
Oak Park Community Church of God, Salem, OR
Park Place Church of God, Anderson, IN
Park Place Church of God, Connersville, IN
Patterson Avenue Church of God, Ulysses, KS
Paul Flanagan, Longview, WA
Paul & Mary Ellen Hicks, Pasadena, TX
Paul Malcom, Omaha, NE
Paula & Richard Jones, Jamestown, NC
Robert & Bettie Jones, Angleton, TX
Robert & Janet Redman, Saint Johns, MI
Sarah Andrews, Flint, MI
Savas & Olive Joannides, Anderson, IN
Shirley & Arlyn Engbrecht, Anderson, IN—in memory of Almeda Geeting
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Sterling Walls, Hueytown, AL
Steven & Sandra Hildebrand, Decatur, IN
The Church at the Crossing, Indianapolis, IN
The Mark and Barbara Denton Family Foundation, Inc., Noblesville, IN
Tim & Donna Worthen, Anchorage, AK
Verna Bruss, Woodburn, OR
Washington Avenue Church of God, Saint Joseph, MI
Wayne Halbleib, Union City, MI
WCG—First Church of God, West Liberty, OH
WCG—Meade Station Church of God, Ashland, KY
West Court Street Church of God, Flint, MI

CBH Speaker Testimonies

CBH is thriving across the globe! Here's an update on each of the nine language broadcasts, as well as some exciting new opportunities.

CBH-Spanish

What an awesome opportunity *Hermandad Cristiana* has to proclaim the great news of Christ's love, not only in the United States but around the world. The life-changing message is preached plainly and faithfully each week and the correspondence received assures us that the radio ministry continues to be a fantastic vehicle through which the Lord speaks to so many.

—Gilberto Davila
CBH-Spanish Speaker

CBH-French

Note: CBH recently sent speaker Daniel N'Goran to a radio training conference in Ghana, just east of Côte d'Ivoire.

Please hear our sincere thanks and our profound gratitude, not only for my participation in the conference, but also for everything that you've already done, that you are doing and will do to help make it so that the radio continues to be a powerful instrument in the hands of our Savior Jesus Christ—helping to save French-speaking West Africa and all of Africa, beginning in Côte d'Ivoire.

—Daniel N'Goran
CBH-French Speaker

CBH-Portuguese

Note: A CBH team traveled to Brazil in July to dedicate a second studio about eight hours away from the current studio to allow the show to interact with a larger and more diverse listening audience.

Pray for us! We have found a new world for the gospel of Jesus. Never have we found so many open doors for our ministry. Praise God! Andrew and his group came to this small studio and prayed and dedicated it for us. It is a miracle what God is doing with this new studio.

—Pastor Mario Hort
CBH-Portuguese Speaker

CBH-Arabic

In 2011, a studio was built, a team was trained, and this fall the first demo programs were produced. We're now sending the demos to stations across the Middle East that we believe will be interested in the program. In 2012, we believe countless lives will be changed and touched by Jesus through your involvement in this program. Thank you for your prayerful and financial investment in making this happen. The harvest will be great, I'm sure.

CBH-Oriya and Hindi

Asim Das, speaker and producer of both CBH-Hindi and CBH-Oriya, retired from his roles with CBH this year, handing off his responsibilities to Benoi Day. Benoi has been involved in the broadcast for many years as an actor on the Oriya broadcast and, more recently, helping to coordinate the logistics of recording each broadcast. He has been a part of the CBH ministry for many years and believes wholeheartedly in the mission of CBH to touch the world for Christ in India.

CBH in the Future

During a ViewPoint-on-Expedition trip this past May, CBH producer John Walters and speaker Jim Lyon traveled

with a CBH team to Haiti to record some programs on the ground there. While there, the team was approached by church leadership in Haiti about the possibility of a new broadcast based in the impoverished island country. John Walters traveled there again to review the possibility this past October, and we believe there is a real potential for life change through radio on the ground in Haiti. We're currently waiting for an official detailed proposal from the Church of God in Haiti.

CBH-Swahili

I send a word of *jambo* to you and others in the grateful media ministry that God has granted us to reach others with word of everlasting life. Radio programs are going on well. Thanks so much for reading from you. Keep the same interaction. Greet all other co-workers in this ministry of our Lord Jesus Christ.

—Obed Okech
CBH-Swahili Producer

CBH-Russian

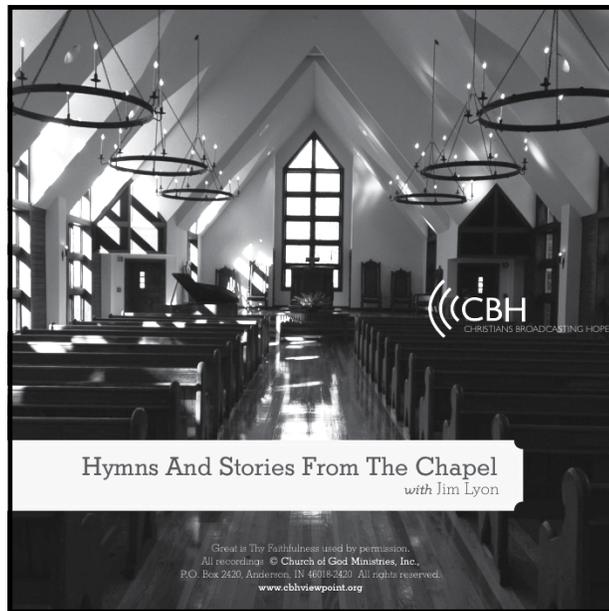
Speaker Walentin Schüle continues to receive many responses from Eastern Europe about the CBH-Russian broadcast. This past May, Walentin led a trip in partnership with the German church to work with churches that have sprung up from the CBH broadcasts. They went to assist in building a community center, which can house about one hundred people. The center can be used for a variety of ministry purposes by the church and will be another example of the long-term concrete impact that CBH radio broadcasts have had in that area of the world.

STAFF PICKS

FAVORITE BOOKS, VIDEOS, AND MUSIC FROM THE CBH STAFF

Hymns and Stories DVD

People to People was the first place you were able to get the *Hymns and Stories from the Chapel with Jim Lyon* CD last year at Christmas—a wonderful gift for the holidays. The CD has become such a big hit, we decided to record a video DVD version of the CD performed live at this year's North American Convention of the Church of God in Anderson, Indiana. The DVD tells the stories behind the lyrics and music of six of your favorite hymns, and they're then performed by friends of CBH from around the country. This is the first place the DVD is offered, and if you give a year-end donation of ANY AMOUNT, we'll send you a copy of the DVD. If you sponsor at least three hours of radio ministry by offering more than \$107.50, we'll send you a bundle of the DVD and CD together.



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