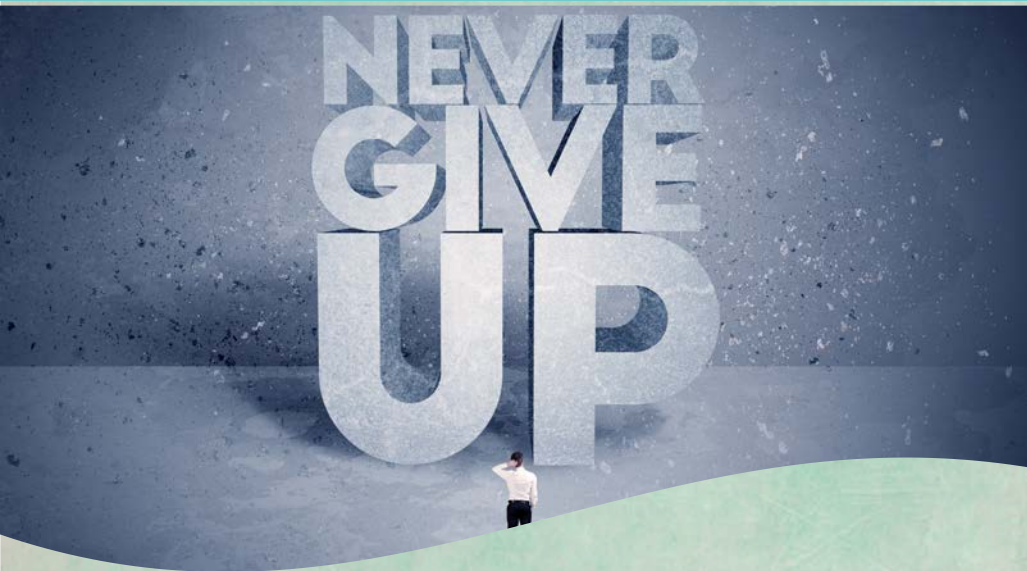


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# Reflections

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*by Jeremy Reynalds, Ph.D., Founder and CEO, Joy Junction Inc.*

When God gives us a vision and there is no immediate fulfillment, the temptation is to give up. Don't. Keep hanging on to God's Word!

Shortly after giving my life to the Lord in England in 1976, I first sensed His leading to come to America. In 1977, I was 20, had just graduated high school, was living with my parents and broke.

I began sharing with my parents and friends at church that I was going to emigrate to America. As the weeks and months passed with no manifestation of that declaration, they began looking at me quizzically. I kept the vision in my heart, and in mid 1978, I finally arrived in Orlando, Florida, with \$50 in my pocket.



Not really sure what I wanted to do other than work for God and share about His love, I plunged right ahead trying to carry out God's directive in my own steam. Unfortunately, this didn't work very well and I became homeless. While being homeless wasn't pleasant, it did provide me invaluable insights in preparation for what was going to become my life's work: sharing God's love in tangible ways with the homeless.

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# Never Give Up continued...

After quickly making up my mind that I would return to doing things God's way, He began to clarify His vision for my life. From 1982 through 1986 I opened up a coffeehouse/overnight shelter for homeless men in Santa Fe. It was an amazing experience with many ups and downs. Now, looking back in retrospect, I can see God's hand was at work.

Challenges? In those four years I had two front teeth punched out by a drunk, took only four days off, resigned the ministry, and "told" God I would do anything He wanted except open up another shelter. Never tell God never-it's just not a good idea.

Within a short period of time, I again, had to submit to God's plans, not mine. This is when the property which is now Joy Junction became available. God's vision was a shelter which would keep entire homeless families together at one of the worst times in their lives.

Over the last 31 years, Joy Junction has become New Mexico's largest emergency homeless shelter. God's faithfulness and His people's generosity allow us to shelter as many as 300 people nightly and feed as many as 16,000 people a month--all without government assistance.

The moral? Ask God for a vision and keep it tucked away in your heart, even when nothing seems to be happening. Just remember, God's vision may not unfold according to our timing as He prepares us to bless other people...but keep believing and it WILL happen.



## Jewish Federation of New Mexico's Heart of Jewish New Mexico Campaign

Son Broadcasting was honored to participate in the Federation of New Mexico's 2016-2017 "Heart of Jewish New Mexico campaign". The goal of the campaign was to raise \$540,000. 87% of the donor dollars that were collected go directly toward allocations (grants) and their own programs and services. Only 13% go toward general overhead, so folks can rest assured that they are actively impacting the community and Israel when they choose to contribute. The latest round of allocations supported the following organizations across New Mexico and in Israel:

- 2017 Southwest Conference on Disabilities
- American Friends of Leket Israel (Working to end hunger in Israel)
- BBYO (Jewish youth organization)
- Congregation Beit Tikva, Santa Fe
- Congregation B'nai Israel, Albuquerque
- Congregation Nahalat Shalom, Albuquerque
- Creativity for Peace (Summer camp in Santa Fe area for Jewish and Arab girls from Israel)
- D'vora Project (Local effort to serve victims of domestic violence)
- Hadassah of Greater Albuquerque (ABQ chapter of international women's Zionist organization)
- JCC of Greater Albuquerque
- Jewish Community Council of Northern New Mexico
- Jewish Genealogical Society of New Mexico
- Keshet Dance and Center for the Arts
- Las Vegas, NM, Jewish Community
- New Mexico Jewish Historical Society
- Rabbinic and Cantorial Association of Albuquerque
- Ramat HaNegev Regional Council, Israel (Our federation's partner region in Israel. We support environmental and agricultural research and medical services for women and infants.)
- Taos Jewish Center
- Temple Beth Shalom, Santa Fe
- World ORT (International Jewish education organization)

The Jewish Federation of New Mexico's own programs and services include:

- Jewish Care Program, serving senior citizens (home visits, gift baskets, research and referral services, social work services, etc.), Holocaust survivors, low-income families, and the aggrieved
- Hillel at the University of New Mexico (UNM chapter of international Jewish student organization, which in turn supports Lobos for Israel and AIPAC on Campus)
- New Mexico Jewish Link (Statewide Jewish newspaper)
- Chai Desert Radio (Brand new Jewish Federation of NM podcast, released bi-monthly and searchable worldwide on iTunes)
- Jane and Stephen Hochberg Annual Community Seder serving Santa Fe and Northern NM
- PJ Library Program (free books for Jewish children ages 2-11)
- ABQ Tribe Young Adult Division (programming for young professionals and young adults ages 18-45)



**Left to right: Deborah Albrycht, Director of Finance and Administration of the Jewish Federation of NM. Ted Gonzales, President of Son Broadcasting. Zachary Benjamin, Executive Director of the Jewish Federation of New Mexico.**



## New Programs on KCHF TV 11

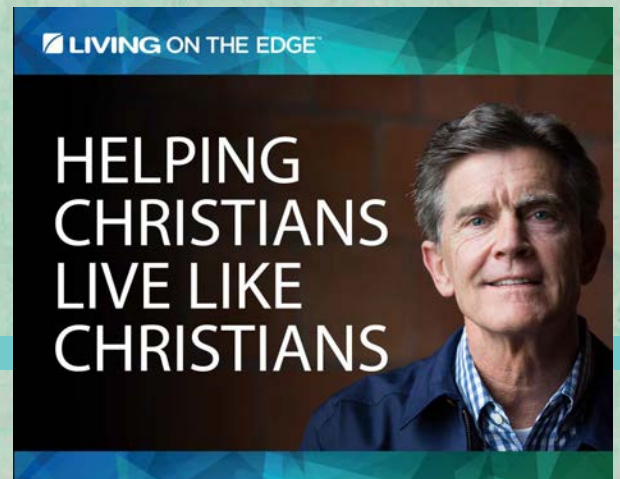


*Tomorrow's World* proclaims to the world the good news of Jesus Christ's coming Kingdom, and blows a bold "warning trumpet" of God's impending judgment, calling for repentance and spiritual change. We teach and practice original Christianity as taught and practiced by Jesus Christ and the original Apostles.

Tomorrows World airs Monday at 7:30am and Friday at 9pm!

*Living on the Edge* exists to help Christians live like Christians. The ministry was established in 1995 as a radio ministry of pastor and author Chip Ingram. The ministry creates Biblical teaching and tools that challenge and equip spiritually hungry Christians to become mature disciples of Jesus.

*Living on the Edge* airs Sunday at 1:30pm and Thursday at 7pm!



## Praise that Precedes Victory

by Karen Warin, Faith@Work / Come to the Banquet - Ministries of The Navigators, GAP Guest

*At the seventh time, when the priests blew the trumpets, Joshua said to the people, "Shout! For the Lord has given you the city." Joshua 6:16*

When Joshua was commanded by God to lead his army around the city of Jericho in battle formation for seven days without engaging the enemy, he must have wondered what on earth they were doing! March seven times around the outer walls? Shout victoriously before even encountering a single soul? What good could possibly come from such a presumptuous display of confidence? And yet, their shouts dropped the walls! The Israelites gave God the glory and trusted in His provision before they had fired a single arrow, or wielded a single sword. And God ultimately gave them victory.

When we face our own insurmountable walls how should we respond? We can cry out in fear, asking why and how and what now. Or we can praise God and wait with expectant hope for victory to come. In my own personal times of trial I have sometimes had to praise Him through clenched teeth. With tears in my eyes, I have repeated the words of a well-known Christian song, *"Blessed be your name; on the road marked with suffering, though there's pain in the offering, blessed be your name."* And I have discovered that when I address Him this way, before I have seen any evidence of deliverance, He works in my circumstances, but mostly in my heart, enabling me to trust Him more.

Praising God while the walls still stand demonstrates our belief that He is worthy, no matter what the outcome. And God loves to respond in the afterglow of our praise. The next time you face a challenge, try praising Him for the unseen victory. Praise Him in the waiting. Praise Him in the suffering. Then wait and see what walls God will drop!





# Son Broadcasting September Specials

**Seeking The Lost - September 9th at 8:30pm, September 15th at 6:30pm, September 24th at 8:00am**

We are surrounded by opportunities to share our faith every day, but it can be challenging. Follow three stories of people seeking the lost and sharing Christ's message of salvation. [www.billygraham.tv](http://www.billygraham.tv)

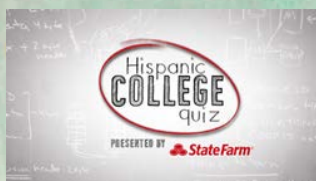
**In God We Trust 9/11 Triumph From Tragedy - September 9th at 8pm, September 10th at 9pm (30min)**



This special features Mike Huckabee, Pat Robertson, Alveda King, Andrew Wommack, and many other national Christian leaders. They will share how we

can overcome fear and division that flood our nation. Hosted by Jacki Velasquez.

**Hispanic College Quiz - Saturdays at 1:30pm (30min), October 1st at 8pm (2hrs)**



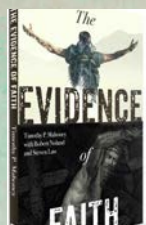
This four part program features college students competing to answer questions on Latino heritage for a chance to win scholarships. Hispanic College Quiz has helped increase awareness and support for Hispanic/Latino higher education.

**Like A Country Song - September 3rd at 8pm (2hrs)**



With his music future in front of him, an up and coming country singer, Jake Reeson, throws it all away after discovering his mother's long kept secret about his father. Starring Billy Ray Cyrus, Joel Smallbone, Jennifer Taylor and BooBoo Stewart

**Evidence Of Faith - September 10th at 8pm**



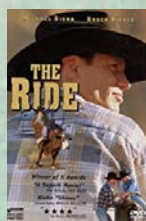
There are archaeologists and theologians today who agree that many of the early events in the Bible like the Exodus and the conquering of the Promised Land never actually took place. But why does the truth of Genesis through Joshua even matter to your Christian faith today?

**Because of Gracia Insider - September 10th at 9:30pm (30min)**



A special behind-the-scenes look and interview with cast and crew on the new upcoming theatrical release of "Because of Gracia" - set to release in theaters in the US on September 15, 2017.

**The Ride - September 17th at 8pm (2hrs)**



With action, humor, and emotion, tough cowboy and former rodeo champ, Smokey Banks forms an unlikely friendship with a courageous orphaned teen who touches his life for eternity. [www.billygraham.tv](http://www.billygraham.tv)

**Black Music Honors - September 24th at 8pm (2hrs)**



"Black Music Honors"

Entertainment special will honor legendary icons who have made significant contributions to African American music including Aretha Franklin, Boyz II Men and EnVogue.

## Son Broadcasts Supports Life!

We were proud to sponsor Care Net of Albuquerque 2017 Walk for Life "Pursue The Possibilities"

We are also honored to stand with Care Net of Santa Fe at their upcoming 2017 Annual Fundraising Banquet!

"I knew you before I formed you in your mother's womb.

Before you were born I set you apart and appointed you as my prophet to the nations." -Jeremiah 1:5



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