

Read the Bible. Hear the Word of God.

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57 Years of Declaring God's Word - The Bible!

O magnify the LORD with me, and let us exalt His Name together. Psalms 34:3



Magnifying God's Word, the Bible, has been the hallmark of the ministry of Family Radio since its first broadcasts on February 4, 1959, over KEAR in San Francisco.

Today, 57 years later, the emphasis remains: to enable people everywhere to discover, read, trust, and profess the Word of God, the Bible.

Throughout the years, God has established a unique relationship between the ministry and God's people, all rejoicing together in His work, and to His glory, as Psalm 92:4 - 5 declare:

For thou, LORD, hast made me glad through Thy work: I will triumph in the works of Thy hands. O LORD, how great are Thy works! and Thy thoughts are very deep.

One exciting outreach that the Lord is blessing is proclaiming the Gospel to every nation through the Internet.

As Family Radio regularly updates its Website, people all over the world can be fed daily with God's Word in their own language at a time that's convenient for them. Bible reading and study programs, free materials and literature, audio and video archives of programs, and online "live" broadcasts are available without charge to all visitors to the Website.

Also, Family Radio has developed an app to help easily receive its broadcasts and Website content with just a click, on popular handheld devices such as smart phones and tablets.

As Family Radio continues into another year of service to God, may it always be a time when we are seeking opportunities to declare His Word, the Bible, as 1 Kings 8:60 tells us:

That all the people of the earth may know that the LORD is God, and that there is none else.

A Tribute & Memorial:

Mike Zeimann Home with the Lord!



Our dear brother in the Lord Mike Zeimann, host of our morning program, "The Christian Home," was called home to his heavenly Father late last year. We thank the Lord for 37 years of his fellowship and faithful service at Family Radio - not only as

program host, but as a former regional manager and station manager at WKDN (Camden, NJ). We're also most grateful for modern technology, which will allow us to continue to hear him share his heart for the Lord and His people over "The Christian Home!" Our love, prayers, and great thanks for sharing him go out to his family.

Family Radio Today

In December and now in February, you have received the publication, <u>Family Radio Today</u>. You might have wondered what it is, or what happened to <u>OpenLine</u>. <u>Family Radio Today</u> is a revision of <u>OpenLine</u> to reflect upon how God is currently working through Family Radio's ministries throughout the world. As we continue to provide you with insights, devotional thoughts, and comments from those whom the Lord has touched, we hope to give you a better look at <u>Family Radio Today</u>.

Our mission has not changed, but the world that we live in has. We are always seeking God's direction for His open-door opportunities to: "shew forth from day to day His salvation" (1 Chronicles 16:23). May you be blessed and encouraged by God as we share with you His marvelous "deeds among the people" - to His honor and glory!

Everything we do at Family Radio is to enable people to discover, read, trust, and profess the Word of God, the Bible. Howbeit when He, the Spirit of truth, is come, He will guide you into all truth: for He shall not speak of Himself; but whatsoever He shall hear, that shall He speak... John 16:13

Sweet Blessings!

Psalm 34:8 says, "O taste and see that the LORD is good: blessed is the man that trusteth in Him." I have indeed tasted the sweetness of God's goodness. On December 12, 2015, my boyfriend of over two years got down on one knee and proposed. Surrounded by daisies, candles, and a view of the entire South San Francisco Bay, I excitedly answered, "Yes!" as J.D. put the ring on my finger.

That evening, my future mother-in-law gave me a necklace with three hearts intertwined, symbolizing my heart, J.D.'s heart, and Jesus' heart. She told us for our marriage to succeed, we need to seek Christ's heart and keep Him in the center of our relationship. It's our desire together to know God better through the reading of His Word. It's there that He tells us to "love one another, as I have loved you" (John 15:12).

It's a tall order, to love as Christ loved, one that requires commitment, selflessness, and patience. And it isn't limited to romantic love (Matthew 22:39), or when it comes easily (Proverbs 17:17). Thankfully, even though I may struggle with these things as I start this new season in life, God will help me along the way. 2 Corinthians 9:8 says, "And God is able to make all grace abound toward you; that ye, always having all sufficiency in all things, may abound to every good work..."

Please keep my fiancé and me in your prayers as we learn and grow together, enjoying the sweetness of God's blessings. Join us as we try to love each other with the love of Christ. Let's glo-

rify God together by living out His Word!

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What People Are Saying...

The following are comments from listeners of KEAR in the San Francisco Bay Area where Family Radio first began:

"Thanks so much for being there for so long. I started listening in 1969, and am still listening!"

Oakland, CA - KEAR

"We thank you for proclaiming the Word of God that we may hear. May the Lord work in you and through you to His purpose. God bless us all!" - William

Castro Valley, CA - KEAR

"I'm thankful for Family Radio! I enjoy the music and Bible reading. May the Lord bless all your efforts." - Doris

Oakland, CA - KEAR

"Thank you for the privilege of being a part of reaching the "world" for Jesus, our Savior and Lord and coming King. Great program." - Mrs. Cooper

Petaluma, CA – KEAR

"Me and my husband are very thankful that you are in our life. Everyday we are thankful to the Lord, that we hear His Word on Family Radio. It helps us walk and focus on His Name, Jesus Christ."

Concord, CA - KEAR

Words of Comfort, Words of Hope!

And now abideth faith, hope, charity, these three; but the greatest of these is charity (love). 1Corinthians 13:13

And walk in love, as Christ also hath loved us, and hath given Himself for us an offering and a sacrifice to God for a sweetsmelling savour. Ephesians 5:2

Beloved, let us love one another: for love is of God; and every one that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God. 1 John 4:7

He that loveth not knoweth not God; for God is love.1 John 4:8

But God commendeth his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us. Romans 5:8

Thank you for sharing your stories. We love to hear how the Bible has touched your lives and how God has transformed your hearts through hearing it.

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