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*"In the past couple of years, I have struggled with several illnesses which led to depression. One night when I was talking with my dad about my fears, he told me to turn on Daystar to calm myself. I began to watch and hearing God's Word has taken my fear away. I have now prayed to be born again and look forward to great things God has in store for me!"*

*Mariah from California*



# A DECADE OF DOUBLE HARVEST

WITH DANIEL KOLENDA

**Q: Tell us about your call into ministry.**

**A:** I come from a long line of preachers, five generations on my father's side to be exact. I think everyone assumed all along that I would follow in their footsteps. But from an early age, my heart was drawn to the lost. As a boy, I knew that I wanted to be a missionary in Africa. Although I did pastor and work in local churches for a while, my burden for the nations – and especially for Africa – never changed. It's amazing to think that today I am doing what the Holy Spirit put into my heart as a child.

**Q: From there, how did you come to partner with Evangelist Reinhard Bonnke at Christ for all Nations?**

**A:** My journey with Christ for all Nations began in the warehouse. I began stocking shelves and mailing packages. It was not a ministry position and it was not prestigious, but I knew that I was a part of the harvest and I was grateful. Eventually Evangelist Bonnke invited me to travel with him from time to time as a substitute personal assistant. This is when we became friends and when he saw the hand of God on my life. Although I never shared with him my calling to Africa, the Lord spoke to him and said, "The anointed must be appointed." That was the beginning of a process whereby, little by little, Evangelist Bonnke began to give me more and more responsibility until finally, in 2009, I became the President of Christ for all Nations. Since that time I have been leading the ministry globally.

**Q: You've had the incredible opportunity to be mentored by Evangelist Bonnke for many years. What is one of the most important things you've learned from him?**

**A:** I once had a group of young evangelists ask me to sum up the most important lesson I'd learned from Evangelist Bonnke in one word. I said, "obey." I have seen over and over again how his willingness to obey, when others would question and hesitate, has set him apart as one of the greatest evangelists in history.

**Q: Your ministry and the CfaN crusades have been marked by significant miracles. What is the most memorable miracle you've seen take place?**

**A:** There are too many to mention. In the city of Sapele, Nigeria a three-year-old boy was raised from the dead after I prayed for him. In the United Kingdom Jesus caused a woman's shriveled foot to grow out to normal size until the shoe she wore to the meeting didn't fit anymore (she went home barefoot). I've seen blind eyes

and deaf ears open on the platform with hundreds of thousands looking on. Every single meeting is marked by miracles – not because I am special, but because Jesus is alive!

**Q: Why do you think we aren't seeing more widespread miracles in our communities and churches?**

**A:** Because we don't expect or contend for these things. People often ask me, "Why do more miracles happen in Africa?" I think the problem is in the question itself. If we already have this idea that miracles happen in other places (or at other times in history) but not here and now, it is a sort of self-fulfilling prophecy. Hebrews 11:6 says, "...anyone who comes to him must believe..." James 5:15 says it's the "prayer of faith" that saves the sick. Our experience does not change the Word of God. We need to get rid of our unbelief, throw out all the excuses and determine to contend for the full manifestation of God's glory in our lives.

**Q: What would you tell someone who wants to evangelize their community, but doesn't know how to start?**

**A:** Instead of thinking of yourself as a "soul-winner", think about yourself as a seed planter. This is the way Jesus taught us to spread the word of God. This mentality will change how you define success. People WILL reject you. They rejected the prophets and every great man and woman of God throughout history – including Jesus Himself. Being rejected is not failure. Not getting an instantaneous conversion is not failure. If you sowed a

seed, you succeeded – because that's what you've been asked to do. If your goal is to win twenty people to Jesus every day, you will find yourself burning out very quickly, and finding very little success. But if your goal is to love people and plant seeds every day – you will find that very possible to do.

**Q: Looking ahead, what is your vision for this next season of ministry?**

**A:** God has given us a vision for a "Decade of Double Harvest" in the crusade ministry. Since 1987 we have seen over 77-million people come to Christ in our Gospel Crusades in Africa. Over the next ten years I believe we will see that number double to more than 150-million. I also believe that God is going to give us an open door for the Gospel in places on the African continent that have been closed to us in the past. In addition, I believe the Lord is going to help us to raise up an army of evangelists in Africa that will spark a movement of evangelism.

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Martyrs and Missionaries: Evangelist Kolenda shares the legacy of those who have gone before him in Africa at [Daystar.com/DanielKolenda](http://Daystar.com/DanielKolenda).





# DAYSTAR'S PRAYER LINE

*It happens in the still moments of life, that aching that echoes in the soul. Like a screaming silence, it cries through blood shot eyes looking back in the mirror, and with a faint whisper, we hear the sting of brokenness singing its lullaby. Then in the flickering glow of the television, hope pierces the darkness prompting a heart to reach out and realize they are not alone.*

*Each day, through the Daystar prayer line, people from all over the world are finding the love, support, and encouragement they need to face some of life's toughest circumstances. For many, this is the first time they are encountering someone that truly cares about what they are going through; and when prayer confronts their need, **we are seeing lives changed.***

*By making a special gift this month using the enclosed form, you are empowering us to take the Gospel to the world utilizing any means available. With prayer partners available **24 hours a day, seven days a week**, we can speak right into the darkest places around the world to shine the light of Christ!*

*We are only able to do what we do because you care about every heart, and heaven sees every life you touch through your continued faithfulness. When you show love to the least of these, **you capture the heart of God.***

## Dream On

I absolutely love spring! The endless beauty of God's creation and the intricate, thoughtful detail He puts into even the smallest flower never ceases to amaze me.

During this season, I often spend quiet moments surrounded by the life blooming in my backyard as I think about His faithfulness over the years I've spent in ministry. Like many of you, Marcus and I have faced setbacks, disappointments, and failures while in pursuit of the dream God placed in our hearts to reach the world with the Gospel. But through it all, God's Word and His promise in my favorite verse have always sustained me.

"For I know the plans I have for you," says the Lord. "They are plans for good and not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope." Jeremiah 29:11

Each year, the chill of winter comes, causing all that is green and alive to lie dormant until the warmth of spring awakens it to new life. I believe our God-given dreams are a lot like that. Heartbreaking challenges may have convinced you that the good plans God has for your life are gone, never to emerge again. But that's just not true.

In midst of our pain, fears, and frustrations, His plan is still at work. You may not see it. You may not feel it. But God has not forgotten about you or the dreams He's placed in your heart.

In fact, even as you're reading this, He's there with you. I encourage you to take a few moments right now and pray. As you surrender the pain of your past, I believe you can fully trust Him to give you hope and a future filled with passion and purpose. And just like the flowers each spring, God will make all things new as your dreams begin to breakthrough and bloom.

*Joni*

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## LOVE HAS MADE A WAY

The lamps flickered chasing shadows along the wall as the disciples lounged against the table. The last three years had been exciting, but the conversation fell silent as Jesus held up a loaf of bread.

His next words would thunder in their hearts for years to come. Breaking the bread, He called it His body. Then raising a cup of wine, He called it His blood. They didn't understand it in that moment, but by sunset the following day, they would come face to face with its meaning.

By dawn, they were scattered and hiding. Only John remained in the crowd as even Peter, the rock, had fled. Looking up at his teacher nailed to a cross, tears filled his eyes.

It was the ultimate display of love lifted up for the whole world to see – a Savior canceling a debt no one could pay, and with the authority of heaven, He sealed the act as He said, "It is finished." In that moment, the shackles of sin, the chains of shame and the weight of guilt shattered. The account had been reckoned as God wiped away every barrier that separated us from Him.

This Good Friday, remember that God so wanted an unhindered relationship with you that He gave His only son; and whatever you need today, you can come to the Father confidently. Don't wait. **Love has already made a way!**





March 2018

Dear Partners & Friends,

What a great spring *Heart for the World* we had! If you responded to it, I want to say a huge thank you!

When I was praying about my letter to you, I felt like the Lord said for me to talk to you about **“faithfulness.”** The meaning of faithful is to keep your promise, to be steadfast in your commitment. A faithful person is one who can be trusted; someone who can be counted on.

God is a faithful God. He keeps His promises. He is steadfast and never changes. You can trust Him. And you can count on Him! Aren't you glad about that? I know I am.

When a person is faithful to God, great blessings come. When you are faithful over a little, God will make you ruler over a lot!

Are you a faithful person? If you have ever made a pledge to Daystar, you were really making the pledge to God. I want to keep my pledges to God, don't you?

It takes “willingness” to pledge. And it takes “obedience” to pay a pledge. **Isaiah 1:19 says, “To him or her that is willing and obedient, they will eat the good of the land!”** In other words, when you keep your commitment to God, He will keep His commitment to you!

What do you want from God? What do you need God to do for you? What miracle do you need? What prayer do you need answered?

The key is **obedience**. You see, “obedience is the key that unlocks every door.” If you really want to see God move for you, then you need to be obedient to what He tells you to do.

If you have ever made a pledge, then you need to pay on that pledge until you get it totally paid. Our Heavenly Father is never more proud of us than when we are obedient!

Think about how happy you were every time your children were obedient. And think about how disappointed you were every time they didn't keep their word.

So I want to encourage you today to keep paying on your pledges and trust God that not only will He provide for you, but that He will also send you **blessings**.

Yours For Christian Television,

Marcus D. Lamb  
Founder & President, Daystar Television Network

P.S. I can't wait to hear what happens as a result of your obedience!

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### MARCUS & JONI

**MARCH 6** - Reinhard Bonnke

**MARCH 13** - Nick Vujicic

**MARCH 14** - Roma Downey

**MARCH 20** - Rabbi Jonathan Cahn

**MARCH 21** - Dr. Morris Cerullo

### JONI TABLE TALK MARCH 6

#### Jentezen Franklin - “Fasting”

Have we lost the understanding of one of Christianity's core disciplines? Don't miss Pastor Jentezen Franklin as he examines fasting and reveals why it's important, especially for the Church today.

### MARCH 8

#### Amanda Ferguson - “Her Story”

Can God really bring beauty from ashes? Author and speaker, Amanda Ferguson, joins the table to share about overcoming past abuse and depression, and how she discovered hope on the other side.

### MARCH 21

#### Dr. Alicia Britt Chole - “The Sacred Slow”

Have you put your faith in the express lane? Dr. Alicia Britt Chole joins the table to reveal how you can experience a deeper intimacy with God through what she calls the “Sacred Slow.”

### MARCH 28

#### Baldwin Family - “Almost Gone”

A manipulative relationship and a dangerous decision! Don't miss MacKenzie Baldwin, along with her parents John and Stephanie, as she shares how her parents saved her life.

*"I found Daystar by accident but it has been such a source of information and encouragement to me. I have learned so much about the Lord and the land of Israel. I am now a supporter because I believe I should live for a higher purpose and the Bible teaches us to give. Thank you!"*

Michael from Florida

*"Truly Daystar has played a major role in my life in so many ways. I honestly don't know what I would do without the guidance of the many people that are on Daystar as well as the many testimonies. Thank you for your prayers and all that you do for the glory of God."*

Tammy from Pennsylvania

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