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FROM THE DESK OF MARCUS LAMB

Dear Partner,

Jonathan & Suzy are going to have a baby boy! He is scheduled to arrive in the middle of October. (Jonathan was born in October and so was I.) Please pray for them.

This will be mine and Joni's first **grandchild**. Do you have any suggestions for what the baby should call us?

Rachel graduated a few weeks ago from **Oral Roberts University in Tulsa**. She had the highest academic honors of Summa Cum Laude and earned a bachelor's degree in business.

Rebecca, our youngest, is working on a documentary (to be shown on Daystar) of her month long missions trip to **Uganda**, where they helped former **child soldiers**.

Daystar has been nominated for three **Daytime Emmy Awards!** As a comparison, CNN and Oprah only got nominated for one each. (Daystar was the only Christian network nominated.)

Dr. Jack Hayford has left another network after around 20 years so he can be on Daystar! He is on Sundays at 1:00 p.m. ET.

Kong Hee is the pastor of the largest church in **Singapore**. He is now on Daystar on Mondays at 10:30 p.m. ET.

Gary & Drenda Keesee from Ohio are now on Daystar daily (Monday thru Friday) at 5:30 p.m. ET.

Dr. Paul Dhinakaran from **India** is now on Daystar on Mondays at 1:30 p.m. ET.

***Daystar will broadcast **live** the **Southwest Believers Convention** with **Kenneth & Gloria Copeland** from July 2 – 5 from 8:30 p.m. ET – 10 p.m. ET. (Daystar has been showing this exclusively now for 17 years!)

Hello **Houston, TX!** I will be preaching at Dominion International Church for Pastor Toye Ademola on Monday night, July 2. For more info call toll free: 1-866-370-6352

Partner, Joni & I are so thankful for your **faithfulness!** Your giving this month will take the good news of the Gospel into every city in America, and every country of the world!

Yours For Christian Television,

Marcus Lamb

Marcus D. Lamb
Founder/President
Daystar Television Network

TESTIMONIES
from
AROUND THE WORLD

"My husband and I were in desperate need of a vehicle. One day I was EXTREMELY stressed out about not having any transportation to get us where we needed to go and I was in a state of deep despair. I am a college student and our car had broken down for the second time since my classes started. I had to drop two classes and rearrange my other classes to avoid losing my financial aid. I called in and a lady from your prayer team prayed with me. We got a car last Monday! We didn't know where the money was coming from, but God provided for us. Thank you, Jesus and thanks to your prayer team at Daystar!" –Mindy

The Christian's freedom of choice is not, of itself, the fulfillment of liberty; it is but our first step toward freedom from slavery and bondage. **Compulsive decision making leads the believer into sin and harm. The free man is the one whose choices lead him to greener pastures** (Psalm 23). The man that is free is still servant to the one who set him free – Jesus (Romans 1:1). The free man does not use his God-



Refreshing Times Conference is only four months away! I am so looking forward to the times of powerful worship and ministry from T.D. Jakes, John Hagee, John Paul Jackson and others. Best of all, the conference is totally free of charge so everyone will be able to attend.

One of the speakers we are really excited about hearing from is Jentezen Franklin. He always brings a relevant message for the Body of Christ and this will be his first time at Refreshing Times Conference. As the pastor of Free Chapel in Gainesville, Georgia, and a programmer on Daystar, he is no stranger to many of you. He is able to share his heart in unique ways that reach everyone in the audience – male or female, young or old. You will

certainly enjoy hearing what he has to say.

Make plans now to come to RTC, November 1-3 at the Fort Worth Convention Center. Be sure to register soon. We are already experiencing record registration numbers, and we don't want you to miss out. I can't wait to see all God has planned for us!



NOVEMBER 1-3 : REGISTRATION IS FREE BUT REQUIRED : WWW.DAYSTAR.COM/RTC

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Eastham Prison

Several years ago the Daystar Singers visited one of the prisons in Texas. We were blessed by the inmates openness to the Gospel, and received many positive letters like this after we returned home:

I am doing a life term here. I have been here from 1985 until now. I had just about given up all hope, but you put hope back in my life. I have always believed in God but I

got to the point of life that I thought he hated me – didn't want anything to do with me anymore. Maybe he sent you to bring me out of my depression. God sends a lot of people to save one.

We are going back to minister in a prison later this month. But it's great to know that when we can't be there in person, Daystar is there, through our "Called to Care" program, in prisons all across Texas, every day. Thanks to the faithful commitment of partners like you, we can minister the hope of the Gospel to people in desperate need. We couldn't do it without each of you!

"The Spirit of the Sovereign Lord is upon me, because the Lord has anointed me to preach good news to the poor. He has sent me to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim freedom to the captives and release from darkness for the prisoners." Isaiah 61:1

<< The Pathway to Freedom >>

Whom the Son Sets Free is Free Indeed, John 8:36

given liberty for his own advantage, but rather, as a means to glorify God by serving the Kingdom and its King. The man that is still slave to his selfish ambition, pride and self-rule will destroy all spiritual hope of him becoming a spiritual son or daughter by his choices. His selfish compulsions, binding him hand and foot to the flesh, will never allow him to do and achieve that which God plans and wills, but will only be used to survive and further personal

goals (Galatians 5:13). The free man must always use the power of prayer and sacrifice as his weapons in the war against the flesh, but **like all weapons they must be used with deliberate aim, not just with a vague aspiration or in token spirituality, but purposely, for freedom to serve Christ to the uttermost** (Psalm 51:17).

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Upcoming EVENTS

DON'T FORGET!

Refreshing Times
Conference!

NOV 1-3



2-3
July

Divine Encounter 2012 Conference - Dominion International

Pastors Toye & Wumi Ademola - Houston, Texas

Marcus and Joni Lamb and the Daystar Singers

2-20
July

JONI

July 2-6 - Celebrate our nation's Independence with guests James Robison, David Barton, Anthony Evans || **July 9-13** - Jim Garlow, Marilyn Hickey and Howard Storm answer some tough questions.

|| **July 16-20** - Join Jennifer Maggio, Tony Evans and more as we navigate through the life and trials of the modern single.

www.daystar.com/joni

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Oct

Redemption Church International

Pastor Ed King - Knoxville, TN

Marcus & Joni Lamb and the Daystar Singers

1-3
Nov

Refreshing Times Conference 2012

Registration is now open for Daystar's Refreshing Times

Conference! Come be refreshed and renewed as we hear from such speakers as Bishop T.D. Jakes, John Hagee, John Paul Jackson and more!

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The Flickering Light of America

JAMES ROBISON

Whatever happened to the "shining city on a hill," as President Reagan and other leaders once used to describe America? The description, of course, originated with Jesus Christ. Yet our nation, once a shining flame of freedom, is well on its way to becoming a flickering ember of debt, despair, dissension, and defeat. It does not have to continue.

Who bears the greatest responsibility for this predicament? I believe Christians do—those believers who are called to be light and reveal "The Light" of the world in order to inspire the ongoing presence of a true shining city that cannot be hidden.

In the Sermon on the Mount, Jesus made it clear that we as believers

are both salt and light. Salt helps preserve that which is precious and important while enhancing the flavor. Likewise, the Christian witness should have a positive effect on every aspect of life and culture. Jesus said that if salt loses its effect, it is good for nothing but to be trampled under the feet of men. Sure enough, everything sacred is being trampled under the feet of those who consider God unimportant or non-existent. Faith, family, and freedom are being trampled by many who call themselves liberals, socialists, progressives, and activists.

The multitudes are stumbling in darkness because many who have been commanded to put the light in a prominent place—on a lampstand—have actually hidden and diminished their influence on the public by accepting religious coverings, false comfort, compromise, and complacency. Light reveals danger and pitfalls while illuminating the path to security and success. Is it any wonder we are in such trouble when salt and light fails to fulfill its divine assignment?

While it's true that these are "the last days," this in no way justifies a lack of commitment and action. The apostle Paul, the disciples, and New Testament Christians believed they were living in the last days. Still, they did not rest. They faithfully began a spiritual revolution, turning their upside-down world right-side up. They were bold, fearless, and uncompromising witnesses. They were moved to action by the Spirit of God, overflowing from them and controlling every aspect of their lives.

Paul continually warned people day and night with tears, calling for repentance. He challenges every one of us as true believers to "fight the fight of faith as a good soldier of the Lord Jesus Christ." We are to be witnesses until He comes. Now is the time to awaken, gird up your loins, lift the shield of faith and sword of the Spirit, and go out to win the battle against the devil and the godless, self-serving, and meaningless promises of mere men.

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