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HAPPY **NEW YEAR** **2018**

A YEAR OF ENDLESS
POSSIBILITIES

**HARNESSING
REVELATION WISDOM**

*See Brian Warren's
article on page 1*

Salt and Light

by LAURA-LYNN TYLER THOMPSON
Co-host, *The 700 Club Canada*



There is a trumpet sounding in the nation of Canada, calling those who are righteous to stand up and speak. We are called to be salt and

light and not fear the darkness.

This was the commission for both Ezekiel and Jeremiah, when God called them to stand for truth amongst a people who did not listen. It's interesting that God spoke in Ezekiel 2:1-7 (NIV), *He said to me, "Son of man, stand up on your feet and I will speak to you. ... The people to whom I am sending you are obstinate and stubborn. Say to them, 'This is what the Sovereign LORD says.' And whether they listen or fail to listen... Do not be afraid of what they say or be terrified by them, though they are a rebellious people. You must speak my words to them, whether they listen or fail to listen, for they are rebellious."*

God has asked us to stand up for his principles and the Word of God without fear. Being a "politically correct" country has been our downfall as we have failed to speak up on morality, because we don't think anyone will hear us—and maybe we're afraid that they will rise against us. God told Jeremiah in Jeremiah 1:17 (NIV), *"Get yourself ready! Stand up and say to them whatever I command you. Do not be terrified by them or I will terrify you before them."*

We are called to be bold and courageous for God and we are not to be terrified before those who do not adhere to God's ways. May our nation grow in righteousness as we stand up for the Way, the Truth, and the Life.



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JERUSALEM DATELINE

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Every year, about a half-billion birds migrate through Israel's Hula Valley. The area is known as one of the richest sites in the world for bird-watching. Birds of all sorts make the migration, but cranes dominate the population. Tour guides who take tourists through the valley say that there is no other place in the world to see so many cranes in such a small area.

JANUARY 17

Jews are flocking to Israel. Many are coming from America, saying that it has been a life-long dream to live in their homeland. While all new immigrants have their own reason for migrating, they all seem to say the same thing: Israel is where they feel they belong.

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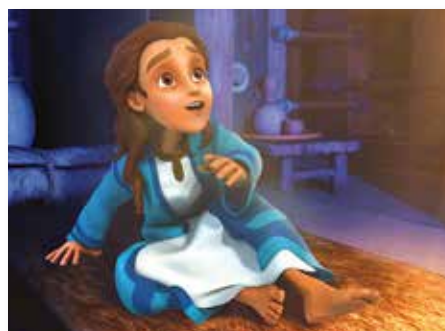
THE BIRTH OF JOHN THE BAPTIST Monday, January 1

Superbook whisks Chris, Joy and Gizmo back in time to meet Zechariah and Elizabeth, an older couple who couldn't have children. Witness how an angel promises they will have a son who will prepare the way for the Lord. You'll be amazed to see how nothing is impossible with God!



SAMUEL AND THE CALL OF GOD Monday, January 5

Your family will love watching this exciting adventure as Superbook takes Chris, Joy and Gizmo to meet the prophet Samuel. Witness how he answers God's call as a child, then grows up to become Israel's leader. Our heroes discover that you're never too young to be called by God.



Harnessing Revelation Wisdom

by BRIAN WARREN
Co-host, *The 700 Club Canada*



Happy New Year! This is the year of Endless Possibilities. As we launch into this new frontier, just as a car's gears must be engaged to drive, it's vital that we also engage God's

Word and lay hold of the secret to getting the full benefit of "endless possibilities."

Proverbs 4:7 (NKJV) says, "*Wisdom is the principal thing; therefore get wisdom. And in all your getting, get understanding.*" According to Proverbs, wisdom is an anointing—the power of God that removes burdens and destroys yokes. As 1 Corinthians 1:24 (ESV) tells us, *but to those who are called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God.*

Did you get that? Christ is Revelation Wisdom! The personified, revealed-from-heaven wisdom of God. David possessed this revelation wisdom; he could see Goliath lying headless on the ground before he ever put that rock in his sling. How do we know he had revelation wisdom? Because he prophesied his revelation: "*This day the LORD will deliver you into my hand, and I will strike you down and cut off your head*" (1 Samuel 17:46 ESV).

In 2018, it's time you see yourself as God sees you. Ask God for Revelation Wisdom and see yourself healed. See yourself as that anointed Man/Woman of God, preaching the Gospel and setting captives free. See your children saved, filled with the Holy Ghost on fire for God. See yourself walking in joy, peace, and divine favour. Remember, expectation is the breeding ground for manifestation. You have to believe to see! Now let's take it to the next level. No more neutral; declare: "I Operate in Wisdom Today!"

Watch and Be Amazed

Special Programming in January on *The 700 Club Canada*

Seeing the light

Her parents' divorce and then life with an unstable mother led Lauren to doubt her self-worth. She was constantly depressed and nothing she did could make her feel better. Then one day, she went on a trip with a co-worker who told her something that changed her life.



Beating the odds

Being born without arms and legs, Kyle's entire life has been about conquering the impossible. He had studied Brazilian jiu jitsu, played football in high school, and became a motivational speaker, yet, his most important challenge was yet to come.



A radical change

Herman was one of the wealthiest cocaine dealers in New York City. Although he was able to provide his family with anything they wanted, there was no peace in their lives. One day, the law caught up with him and he was sent to jail. But it was in jail where he met the last person he ever expected to see there.



THIS MONTH

IN FOCUS

JANUARY 12 – Freedom of Conscience and Religion

In the wake of recent events that appear to discriminate against those with pro-life views, Faytene Grasseschi will discuss the ongoing issue of freedom of conscience and religion in Canada. Faytene will share her views on how Canada may have now shifted into a reverse discrimination culture in the name of tolerance.

JANUARY 26 – Immigration Issues

Last fall almost 7,000 migrants walked into Canada between Canada Day and the end of August. In contrast, Christian Leader Vaden Earle and his wife have faced roadblocks in their efforts to bring their adopted Haitian daughter — previously an orphan — home to Canada. On the one hand, our government seems to be indiscriminately letting in thousands of refugees while Canadian families are stuck in the system.



Transformed

BY THE LOVE
OF CHRIST



21-DAY DANIEL FAST

From January 8-28, 2018, Canada In Prayer and the 700 Club Canada are calling on the Body of Christ to join their **"House of Prayer 21-Day Fast"**. This fast is based on the scripture in **Isaiah 56:7**: "...these I will bring to my holy mountain and give them joy in my house of prayer. Their burnt offerings and sacrifices will be accepted on my altar; for my house will be called a house of prayer for all nations."

For more information and the daily prayer guide please visit www.canadainprayer.com

Raise the Standard
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PRAYER**
21-DAY FAST
JAN 8-28, 2018



A Fresh Start

HELPING HEARTS IN THE NEW YEAR

Happy New Year to all our valued partners! May God bless you in the coming year. The Bible tells us in 2 Corinthians 5:17 (NIVUK) that “if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come: the old has gone, the new is here!” What a great reminder of God’s grace as we enter into a new year. Be blessed in knowing that if you have accepted Christ as your Saviour, you are a new creation. Let us let go of any shame and guilt and start fresh this year, remembering how God has made us new.

The Scott Mission

The Scott Mission is a Christian faith-based street mission out of Toronto whose aim is to meet the needs of people with love and compassion and seek to bring spiritual, physical, and emotional wholeness to their lives. This Christmas, through your partnership, The 700 Club Canada and The Scott Mission were able to provide 250 snowsuits and jackets for children in need, as well as 540 gift cards for youth Christmas gifts. By your generous donations, these children and youth were able to experience the tangible love of Jesus.

Almond Tree Ministries

For the Key First Nation, Christmastime truly is a celebration of Jesus! After the success of last year, this Christmas season The 700 Club Canada again partnered with Almond Tree Ministries to bring love and support to the Key First Nation near Canora, Saskatchewan. The community was blessed with a Christmas celebration, and Superbook DVDs were provided to families in order for children to learn more about Jesus. Almond Tree Ministries is dedicated to working to redeem, restore and reconcile people to God—creating healthy, productive and godly men, women, children, youth, families, and communities by the Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ. Join us as we continue to support and pray for this ministry.

Windsor Life Centre

The mission of the Windsor Life Centre is to stabilize Canada’s women through restoration and training to transition back to society for a better future. Through residential treatment, they seek to break addictions for generations to come. This Christmas, thanks to your generous support, we were able to provide the organization with financial support to help the women who reside at the treatment home.

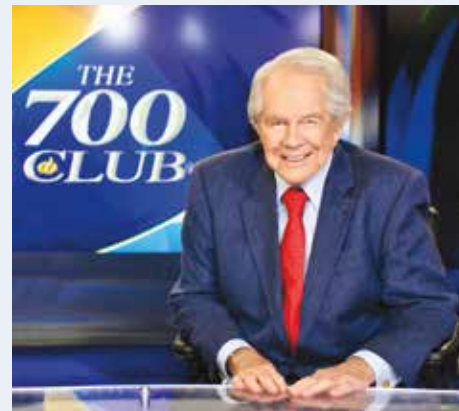


Let’s continue to pray for our nation this new year—that lives would be transformed and that many would come to know the love of Jesus Christ. We thank you, our partners, for how you have richly blessed The 700 Club Canada and allowed us to help many in need, in the name of Jesus.

SEEN ON THE 700 CLUB

Your Questions, Honest Answers

WITH PAT ROBERTSON



I have received great blessings from God after I began tithing regularly and my blessings have increased after I increased my giving. I find myself happily giving and can’t wait to see how the Lord will bless me next. Is this wrong? Am I being selfish because I am giving to see what blessings the Lord will give me next?

No, you are not being selfish. If it was selfish, Jesus would not have spoken these words in Luke 6:38, when He said, “Give and it will be given to you...” It’s in the Bible. It’s an incentive to give. “A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you.”

Again, the incentive is to give. And it will be given to you. If this was a bad emotion, then Jesus wouldn’t have spoken these words, and they would not have been included in the Bible. These words are in there. So rejoice in what God is doing for you.

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who cares will pray for you.



Building Faith and Bearing Fruit in the Future

It's all about where we place our trust

by GORDON ROBERTSON, Chief Executive Officer, CBN

As we end one year and begin another, it's good to consider how we can persevere in faithfully serving the Lord.

God tells us in Jeremiah 17:7-8: *"Blessed is the man who trusts in the LORD, and whose hope is the LORD. For he shall be like a tree planted by the waters, which spreads out its roots by the river, and will not fear when heat comes; but its leaf will be green, and will not be anxious in the year of drought, nor will cease from yielding fruit."*

In stark contrast, verses 5-6 say: *"Cursed is the man who trusts in man and makes flesh his strength, whose heart departs from the LORD. For he shall be like a shrub in the desert."*

To be fruitful, we must put our faith in God. In the story of Joseph, he had it all—his father's favour and the coat of many colours. His jealous brothers pretended he was dead and sold him into slavery. When Joseph rejected the advances of his master's wife, he went to jail. Even so, he still had God's favour and the jailer let him run the prison.

While there, he interpreted the dream of Pharaoh's jailed butler, predicting he would soon be restored. Joseph then asked that the butler mention him to

Pharaoh, hoping to get out of prison.

When we start trusting in people and what they say they will do, we are in the wrong place. Remember that God always stands by His words, and He never forgets His promises.

The butler, however, forgot about Joseph for two long years—until Pharaoh had a dream that no one could interpret. That's when Joseph was finally freed, given great authority, and ultimately reconciled to the very brothers who had sold him into slavery.

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forgets His promises.*

And then Joseph told them something amazing: *"You meant evil against me; but God meant it for good, in order to ... save many people alive"* (Genesis 50:20).

We need to have that same kind of trust—that God is working through everything.

We may not know where to go or what to do, but God does. And when circumstances look bad, we can trust that He is working all things together for good. When we have that faith, we are like a tree planted by the waters, unaffected by drought and never ceasing to bear fruit. God bless you.

Scripture is quoted from the NKJV. This teaching was given during a CBN staff chapel.

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