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Dear 3ABN Family,

I was recently in Paradise, California, doing a follow-up program about last year's tragic fire that killed 85 people and destroyed over 18,000 structures. Most of the damage was done in about four hours as the fire spread at incredible speed of 80 football fields every 60 seconds! I spoke with many individuals who barely escaped with their lives.

One survivor told me that as the fire quickly overtook their neighborhood, they barely had time to escape their home. Putting a few items in their car, they hurriedly drove down the street. At this point of the story, they paused, and I could see the pain showing on their face. "I drove by one of my neighbor's homes, not realizing they needed someone to drive them to safety," they said, "and unfortunately, they passed away that terrible day. I had room in my car for them as I drove out to safety—if I'd only known they needed help."

The Bible tells us that this earth will soon be destroyed by fire at Christ's Second Coming in 2 Peter 3:10, "But the day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night, in which the heavens will pass away with a great noise, and the elements will melt with fervent heat; both the earth and the works that are in it will be burned up."

How sad it would be to get to Heaven and know we could have done more to reach those precious souls.

We know people all around us who are lost in sin, but we can help them find a way of escape through the saving grace of Jesus Christ. How sad it would be to get to Heaven and know we could have done more to reach those precious souls.

As we start a New Year, I want to dedicate my life to reaching more people for Jesus. To be intentional in sharing the gospel with the world while there is still time. I'm praying for God's guidance as 3ABN presses into new parts of the world, and for new ways of delivering the gospel to those who are searching for Jesus. 3ABN is ultimately God's ministry, but after that, it's your ministry, too. It's your monthly donation that makes it possible for 3ABN to deliver Bible-based programs 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Thank you for being intentional about saving souls for the kingdom of God!

Greg Morikone
3ABN President

We have some great programs to help you get healthy in 2020!



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DARE TO DREAM— A Better Way to Live

by Shelley Quinn

Dr. Yvonne Lewis (now Yvonne Shelton) arrived at 3ABN in 2010 to be interviewed, unaware God had a greater plan in store. As staff visited with her afterwards, it became apparent to all she possessed “3ABN DNA”—the special qualities we look for in hiring personnel—and was God’s choice to spearhead an urban network we had struggled to launch. When we presented her the challenge, God poured His passion for the project into Yvonne’s heart. She immediately began working to make the dream a reality, eventually moving to southern Illinois to join our staff.

A NETWORK IS BORN

3ABN Dare to Dream Network launched in January, 2011, with Yvonne serving as general manager. The network targets inner city residents with the gospel of Jesus Christ and practical tools for living, featuring programs that address the issues of crime, poverty, substance abuse, chronic health

concerns, and the erosion of the family unit, from a spiritual perspective.

From the time of her arrival, it was obvious Yvonne was a woman of prayer. She enlisted us as prayer partners for the urban outreach, and for her sons’ return to Christ. God breathed life first into the network, and three years later, into her finally surrendered sons. When her younger son Jason accepted an invitation to visit 3ABN, he was—like his mother before him—completely unaware a first-time visit would be life-changing.

It was January, 2014, when Jason joined us for our Annual Day of Prayer—a time of devotion, reflection, and “vision casting” for the New Year. 3ABN founder, Danny Shelton, addressed staff and visitors, concluding, “If you leave this place and can’t get it out of your mind, perhaps this is where God wants you to be.” Those words would echo in Jason’s mind—it was the call of God on his life!

A CLOSE CALL

Jason shares, “After attending college, I entered the hospitality industry, and worked seventy hours a week, managing a sports bar in Atlanta, Georgia. Seeking money and the party life, I enjoyed it all for a short time. But the mental and emotional pain that resulted wasn’t worth it. A brush with the law, and facing a possible 15-year prison sentence on a drug charge, was a wake-up call.

“An unseen hand guided me through the aftermath, and I escaped the crushing consequences of the devil’s clutches. Focused on staying out of trouble, I modified my behavior and altered my lifestyle, but still without the Lord. I had a deep emptiness within. I recognized my need of God. That’s the starting point. If you don’t realize you have a problem and need divine help, your life just keeps going in the same unhealthy circles. Suddenly, I reached a turning point—I had an urge to turn to God and serve Him, as my mother had taught me from childhood.

“After my first visit, I couldn’t get 3ABN out of my mind. Danny’s words pulled at me like nothing ever had before. I hate quitting a job, but I phoned Mom and told her I believed God was calling me to 3ABN. I submitted my resume, interviewed with Mollie Steenson, and was offered a job as Mom’s greatly needed assistant. I resigned from my Atlanta job that paid twice as much, joined the 3ABN staff, and have never looked back.”

Jason developed a personal devotional life, immersing himself daily in Bible study, and learning to depend upon God in prayer. He listened intently to the speakers and hosts on the Dare to Dream Network as he worked side-by-side with his mother to produce programs like *Salvation in Symbols and Signs*, *Urban*

Report, *Dollars and Sen\$e*, *Take it to the Bank*, *Pure Choices*, *Pumped Up Parents*, *A Father’s Heart*, *Workin’ the Dream*, *Live to be Well*, and *Creative Cooking*. Soon, he was hosting programs, involved in prison ministry, preaching at churches, and speaking at universities.

DARE TO DREAM - A BETTER WAY TO LIVE

In September of 2018, Jason Bradley assumed the position of General Manager for the Dare to Dream Network, which is available on YouTube, or on streaming devices such as Roku, Amazon Fire TV, and mySDAtv. Dare to Dream can also be viewed using our free 3ABN app on smartphones or tablets, and streamed from d2dnetwork.tv or Truli.com.

“My passion to show people a better way to live is generated by what the Lord did in my own life,” Jason asserts. “He lifted me from the pit and put my feet on higher ground. People are hurting and searching for answers, and they need to know the basics of connecting personally with God and leading a fundamentally sound life. Dare to Dream exists to lead people to Christ, to provide resources that will empower them to break negative behavioral patterns, and uplift communities around the world.” ☺



Yvonne Shelton and her son Jason Bradley (right) interview Pastor Edward & Xinia Bryan on the set of *Urban Report*.

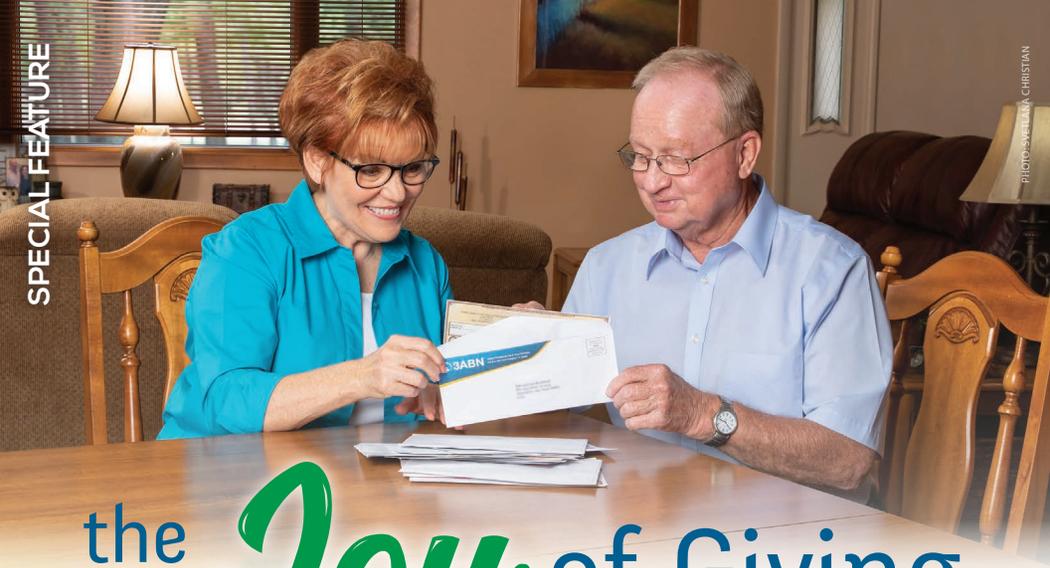


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the Joy of Giving

by Roy Hunt, Jr.

Most of us have just celebrated the birth of our Lord, Jesus Christ. There were family gatherings and gifts exchanged, and special offerings at church to celebrate our Lord and be used to help those who have little in their lives. We feel joy in our hearts when we give and then see the smiles on the faces of individuals or families receiving a precious gift that will bring much happiness into their lives.

Three Angels Broadcasting Network has been spreading joy for 35 years. The three angels' messages are full of good news for all who are looking for eternal life.

You can have a part in providing a smile, enthusiasm, and the desire to live forever with our Lord.

3ABN has several ways for you to help accomplish the mission of spreading the joy of meeting our Savior face-to-face. Here are a few ways for you to consider, and I know there are one or maybe two areas you will find attractive as a supporter of this ministry—especially when you

consider that you do not pay any legal fees for them.

Completing a Self-Administered Trust or a Will assures a portion or all of your estate will come to 3ABN only when both spouses have gone to sleep in the Lord. If you have not completed an estate document, then it is time to plan what happens to your estate, when the unthinkable happens. Remember, a well-planned estate is your best gift to God and family.

A Charitable Gift Annuity. Based on your age, a Charitable Gift Annuity is designed to give you a good interest rate and a monthly or quarterly fixed interest payment on the money you have invested. Payment is guaranteed for your life and your surviving spouse, if done together. When you and your surviving spouse pass away, the balance of the annuity comes directly to 3ABN. There are great tax benefits when you invest in this ministry, and it is irrevocable.

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You can keep the amount that is required for you to take or you can donate it and any amount above what is coming to you—up to \$100,000, each calendar year.



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Roy and Earlene Hunt look forward to meeting your needs as you plan for the future and help proclaim the good news of the gospel.

To get the appropriate receipt, you must have your Financial Institution send the IRA donation directly to 3ABN. If it does not come directly from them, you may have to pay taxes on the amount taken from your IRA account. If the correct steps are taken, you don't have to report the withdrawal on your tax return as income.

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You may reach us at 800-886-4800 or mail us at 3ABN Planned Giving & Trust Services, PO Box 220, West Frankfort, Illinois 62896. ☎

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Irrevocable	Revocable
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May not withdraw funds	May withdraw funds for emergency need
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PST -2 hours • MST -1 hour • EST +1 hour **Red titles are changes effective this month.**
CC = CLOSED CAPTIONED **L** = LIVE PROGRAM **★** = NEW SERIES **↻** = REPEAT OF LIVE PROGRAM

CST	SUNDAY
2:00a	Pillars of Faith CC 1hr
3:00	Featured Ministries CC
3:30	From Sickness to Health CC
4:00	House Calls CC 1hr
5:00	The Incomparable Jesus CC
5:30	Free Indeed CC
6:00	Body & Spirit Aerobics CC
6:30	Amazing Facts with Doug Batchelor CC
7:00	Amazing Adventures CC 1hr
8:00	3ABN Today CC 1hr
9:00	Your Favorites By Request CC
9:30	Adventures in Missions CC
10:00	Focus on God's Word CC 1hr
11:00	Inspirational Hour CC 1hr
12:00p	Secrets to Wellness CC
12:30	Piano Praise ★ CC
1:00	A Sharper Focus ↻ 1hr
2:00	Body & Spirit CC
2:30	Tiny Tots Kitchen/Tiny Tots Worship CC
3:00	3ABN Today LIVE ↻ 2hrs
5:00	The Carter Report CC 1hr
6:00	Raw Questions/Intimate Clarity CC
6:30	Salvation in Symbols & Signs CC
7:00	Sabbath School Panel CC 1hr
8:00	3ABN Today CC 1hr
9:00	Celebrating Life in Recovery CC 1hr
10:00	Featured Ministries CC
10:30	Lineage CC
11:00	3ABN Today CC 1hr
12:00a	Secrets Unsealed Presents CC 1hr
1:00	Celebrating Life in Recovery CC 1hr

CST	MONDAY
2:00a	Revelation of Hope CC 1hr
3:00	3ABN Homecoming CC 1hr
4:00	Table Talk CC 1hr
5:00	His Words Are Life/Grandma's House CC
5:30	Cook:30 CC
6:00	Body & Spirit CC
6:30	Pressing in to His Presence CC
7:00	Tiny Tots for Jesus CC
7:30	Bible Gems / Creation Crafts CC
8:00	3ABN Today CC 1hr
9:00	House Calls CC 1hr
10:00	Free Indeed CC
10:30	Books of the Book CC
11:00	Sabbath School Panel CC 1hr
12:00p	Behold the Lamb Presents CC 1hr
1:00	Off the Grid CC
1:30	Abundant Living CC
2:00	Action 4 Life (Casio Jones) CC
2:30	Heaven's Point of View CC
3:00	3ABN Today CC 1hr
4:00	Kids Camp Kitchen Fun CC
4:30	Tiny Tots Kitchen/Tiny Tots Worship CC
5:00	Liberty Insider CC
5:30	Your Favorites by Request CC
6:00	Grace Pipeline CC
6:30	Salvation in Symbols & Signs CC
7:00	Revelation's Ancient Discoveries CC 1hr
8:00	3ABN Today CC 1hr
9:00	Spring Camp Meeting CC 1hr
10:00	The Carter Report CC 1hr
11:00	3ABN Today CC 1hr
12:00a	Multitude of Counselors
12:30	Music CC
1:00	ASI Conventions CC 1hr

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2:00a	Optimize 4 Life CC
2:30	Mission TREK CC
3:00	Melody From My Heart CC
3:30	Sanctuary, Salvation, & Our Savior CC
4:00	New Perceptions CC 1hr
5:00	Salvation in Symbols & Signs CC
5:30	Wonderfully Made CC
6:00	Body & Spirit Aerobics CC
6:30	The Heavens Declare CC
7:00	Tiny Tots for Jesus CC
7:30	Maranatha Mission Stories CC
8:00	3ABN Today LIVE ↻ 2hrs
10:00	Pressing in to His Presence CC
10:30	Thunder in the Holy Land CC
11:00	Featured Ministries CC
11:30	Books of the Book CC
12:00p	Anchors of Truth CC 1hr
1:00	Your Favorites by Request CC
1:30	Cook:30 CC
2:00	Body & Spirit CC
2:30	HeartLift CC
3:00	3ABN Today CC 1hr
4:00	Bible Gems / Bible Buzz CC
4:30	The Creation Case CC
5:00	From Sickness to Health CC
5:30	Multitude of Counselors CC
6:00	Mission 360 CC
6:30	Salvation in Symbols & Signs CC
7:00	Secrets Unsealed Presents CC 1hr
8:00	3ABN Today CC 1hr
9:00	Behold the Lamb Presents CC 1hr
10:00	Amazing Facts with Doug Batchelor CC
10:30	The Creator Revealed CC
11:00	3ABN Today CC 1hr
12:00a	Raw Questions/Intimate Clarity CC
12:30	Exalting His Word CC
1:00	Adventures in Missions CC
1:30	The Creator Revealed CC

CST	WEDNESDAY
2:00a	Celebrating Life in Recovery CC 1hr
3:00	Revelation's Ancient Discoveries CC 1hr
4:00	Spring Camp Meeting CC 1hr
5:00	Praise CC
5:30	Adventist World Radio CC
6:00	Body & Spirit CC
6:30	It Is Written CC
7:00	Amazing Facts with Doug Batchelor CC
7:30	It Is Written Canada CC
8:00	3ABN Today CC 1hr
9:00	Remodeling Your Life CC
9:30	The Incomparable Jesus CC
10:00	3ABN Australia Homecoming CC 1hr
11:00	Table Talk CC 1hr
12:00p	Kenneth Cox Ministries CC 1hr
1:00	Issues and Answers CC
1:30	Abundant Living CC
2:00	Action 4 Life CC
2:30	Perfecting Me CC
3:00	3ABN Today CC 1hr
4:00	Sing Along / Bible Treasures CC
4:30	Tiny Tots Kitchen/Tiny Tots Worship CC
5:00	Sabbath School Panel CC 1hr
6:00	Sanctuary, Salvation, & Our Savior CC
6:30	Salvation in Symbols & Signs
7:00	A Sharper Focus L 1hr
8:00	3ABN Today CC 1hr
9:00	Amazing Facts with Doug Batchelor CC
9:30	Secrets to Wellness CC
10:00	It Is Written CC
10:30	Liberty Insider CC
11:00	3ABN Today CC 1hr
12:00a	A Sharper Focus ↻ 1hr
1:00	Lineage CC
1:30	Life After Choice/Divine Design CC



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CST	THURSDAY
2:00a	Laymen Ministries CC
2:30	Maranatha Mission Stories CC
3:00	Spring Camp Meeting CC 1hr
4:00	Secrets Unsealed CC 1hr
5:00	Discover CC 1hr
6:00	Body & Spirit Aerobics CC
6:30	Jesus for Asia Now CC
7:00	Kids Camp Kitchen Fun CC
7:30	Tiny Tots Kitchen /Tiny Tots Worship CC
8:00	3ABN Today CC 1hr
9:00	ASI Conventions CC 1hr
10:00	From Sickness to Health CC
10:30	Mission TREK CC
11:00	Revelation of Hope CC 1hr
12:00p	Ultimate Prescription CC
12:30	Multitude of Counselors CC
1:00	The Heavens Declare CC
1:30	Amazing Facts with Doug Batchelor CC
2:00	Body & Spirit CC
2:30	Contending for the Faith CC
3:00	3ABN Today CC 1hr
4:00	Creation Crafts / Bible Buzz CC
4:30	The Creation Case CC
5:00	3ABN Homecoming CC 1hr
6:00	The Carter Report CC 1hr
7:00	Sabbath School Study Hour CC 1hr
8:00	3ABN Today LIVE 2hrs
10:00	Kenneth Cox Ministries CC 1hr
11:00	3ABN Today CC 1hr
12:00a	Table Talk CC 1hr
1:00	3ABN Today LIVE 2hrs

CST	FRIDAY
3:00	Action 4 Life CC
3:30	Heavens Point of View
4:00	Liberty Insider CC
4:30	Battles of Faith CC
5:00	Sabbath School Study Hour CC 1hr
6:00	Body & Spirit CC
6:30	Contending for the Faith CC
7:00	Amazing Adventures CC 1hr
8:00	3ABN Today CC 1hr
9:00	Optimize 4 Life CC 1hr
9:30	Cook:30
10:00	Health for a Lifetime CC
10:30	Life After Choice/Divine Design CC
11:00	Thompsonville Worship Hour CC 1hr
12:00p	Daniel All Access CC 1hr
1:00	Behold the Lamb Presents CC 1hr
2:00	Music CC
2:30	HeartLift CC
3:00	3ABN Today CC 1hr
4:00	A Day With the King CC
4:30	Sing Along / Bible Treasures CC
5:00	Featured Ministries CC
5:30	Piano Praise ★ CC
6:00	Jesus for Asia Now CC
6:30	The Incomparable Jesus CC
7:00	Sabbath School Panel CC 1hr
8:00	3ABN Today Family Worship CC 1hr
9:00	It is Written CC
9:30	Maranatha Mission Stories CC
10:00	Mission 360 CC
10:30	Hope in Motion/Praise Him Music Videos CC
11:00	3ABN Today Family Worship CC 1hr
12:00a	ASI Conventions CC 1hr
1:00	Breath of Life CC
1:30	Thunder in the Holy Land CC

CST	SATURDAY
2:00a	Praise! CC
2:30	It Is Written CC
3:00	Daniel All Access CC 1hr
4:00	Revelation Now CC 1hr
5:00	Revelation Insights CC 1hr
6:00	Amazing Facts with Doug Batchelor CC
6:30	Tiny Tots for Jesus CC
7:00	Bible Gems / Bible Buzz CC
7:30	Sing Along / Bible Treasures CC
8:00	3ABN Today CC 1hr
9:00	Sabbath School Panel CC 1hr
10:00	Revelation's Ancient Discoveries CC 1hr
11:00	Spring Camp Meeting CC 1hr
12:00p	Sabbath School Study Hour CC 1hr
1:00	New Perceptions CC 1hr
2:00	Kids Praise Too! CC
2:30	Adventist World Radio
3:00	3ABN Today CC 1hr
4:00	Maranatha Mission Stories CC
4:30	Hope in Motion/Praise Him Music Videos CC
5:00	Sanctuary, Salvation, & Our Savior CC
5:30	Lineage CC
6:00	Laymen Ministries CC
6:30	Salvation in Symbols & Signs CC
7:00	Table Talk 1hr CC
8:00	3ABN Today CC 1hr
9:00	Breath of Life CC 1hr
9:30	Raw Questions / Intimate Clarity CC
10:00	GYC CC 1hr
11:00	3ABN Today CC 1hr
12:00a	Discover CC 1hr
1:00	Anchors of Truth CC 1hr

NEW FROM 3ABN PRAISE HIM MUSIC NETWORK

Begins FRIDAY, JANUARY 3 5:30 p.m. Central

There's something about a simple gospel song that stirs up sentiment, invoking memories and an attitude of worship. Moments like these are perfect for realigning our busy minds and distracted hearts as we sing along or simply be still and listen. Welcome to *Piano Praise*, a musical program by various pianists for the purpose of leading us to the throne of God. Let's worship the King and make His praise glorious!

God Uses Humble Beginnings

With a twinkle in his eye, Pastor Claude Turner pauses for a moment and asks, “Back in 1920, who would have thought I would live to be 100 years old? Truly, God had a plan I didn’t know about at that time, but I’m grateful for His many blessings through the years, which included 75 years of happy married life with my wife Lois, and three wonderful children.”

Born and raised in eastern Colorado by God-fearing parents, he says his uncle, John Turner, and the famed evangelist, H.M.S. Richards, held a country evangelistic series that resulted in the Seventh-day Adventist Church and school at Ford, Colorado. “That’s where I attended elementary school, and later, I went to Campion Academy in

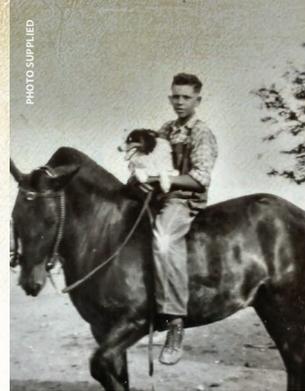
Loveland for high school. Then, in the summer of 1938, I decided to go door-to-door as a literature evangelist,” he says. “I remember parking my bicycle and sitting on the bank of a ditch for morning worship one day, and dedicating my life to Jesus. Although I worked hard, by the end of the summer I’d only made a profit of \$30. But I didn’t feel like a failure,” he says.

His call to ministry came while he was a student at Union College in Nebraska, and after graduating, he was called to be a minister in the church he grew up in.

Then, two years later, he became a Bible teacher at the academy he attended—and that’s when he was able to see the fruit of his earlier labor.

“I took a group of students on a seminar weekend, and I met a family that had purchased a Bible and some books from me,” Pastor Turner says. “Then I found out that through those books, they’d become Seventh-day Adventists!”

His next call came from the Illinois Conference where he pastored several churches before becoming the Educational Secretary for all their church schools. “I also helped with the Little Grassy Lake Youth Camp in southern Illinois, and that’s where I met Danny Shelton,” he recalls. “Danny was a junior camper, and I never thought that someday there would be a 3ABN, or that I’d ever be part of their prayer ministry.”



Claude and his dog, Trixy, go for a ride on his favorite horse, Billy. “They were great contributors in giving me some ‘horse sense’ or ‘common sense!’” he says.

After 24 years in Illinois, Pastor Turner and his wife Lois moved to Loma Linda University in California, where she worked as a nurse and he worked as a chaplain. Then, in 2015, Lois passed away, and later, Claude became ill. “I remember the doctor asking me if I would consider spending the rest of my life on pain medication,” he says, “and when I visited a retirement home to make arrangements, I looked around and saw a lot of old people. That’s when I said to myself, *Oh no. Not yet!* So I took a plane and visited my son David in Illinois, who had been a carpenter at 3ABN for about 30 years. While there, I visited 3ABN’s Pastoral Department, and J.D. Quinn, the director, asked me if I’d like to go to work. My reply was ‘Why not?’ and that was two years ago. God restored my health and I feel fine. Thank you, Jesus!”

Pastor Turner has ministered on 3ABN’s prayer line ever since, giving encouragement to those who need it, and receiving encouragement, too!

He recalls one experience when a retired nurse from Texas called several times, asking for prayer. “She didn’t know what to do because she was facing dire financial hardship, so one day I told her I knew of a couple of ladies who were looking for caregivers here. She moved to southern Illinois and accepted one of those positions, and now she says it was a life-changing answer to prayer. She’s now a member of our local church, and in her spare time, she volunteers in our Pastoral and Prison Ministry Department!

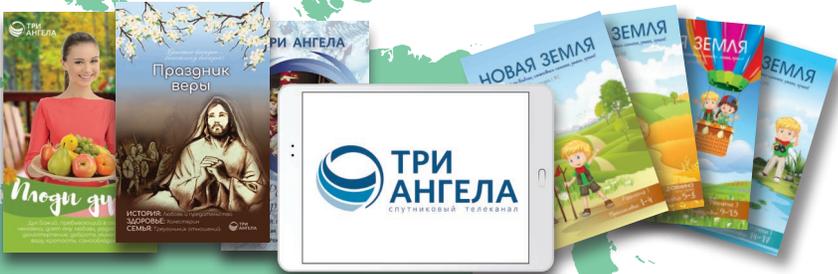
“During a recent camp meeting, a lady named Katie Thompson-Jones came up to me and asked if I remembered her. She’d taken some Bible studies, and when I’d visited to urge her to get baptized, she said that *in a dream*, she’d been fighting with me! That seemed strange, but her interpretation was that the devil didn’t want her to become a Christian. Sometime after that, I was honored to baptize her; and now, nearly 60 years later, she came back and blessed me with her story!

“I thank the Lord for all the great people who inspired me to help carry the gospel to the world,” he concludes. “I want to encourage all to catch the same vision we have here at 3ABN. You may have very humble beginnings, but God wants to use you to help finish the work. Yes, life’s journey has taken 100 years; but for me, it’s not finished. Let’s get busy. I want to live to see Jesus return!”



Pastor Turner reunites with Katie Thompson-Jones at a 3ABN camp meeting. “He baptized me over 60 years ago!” she says.

Editor’s note: Pastor Claude Turner does not believe in retiring, so several times a week, he faithfully climbs the stairs to our Pastoral Department to volunteer for Jesus! We are so grateful for his service.



GREAT NEWS & Needs in Russia

Your help makes all the difference, and recently, we received some great news from our 3ABN Russia executive manager, Julia Outkina. “3ABN Russia is carried full-time on two Russian satellites—Express AT 1 and AT 2—and part-time on eight other satellites and their foreign partners throughout our entire country,” she says. “The monthly cost and technical-related expenses amount to approximately \$9,000 a month, and we’re so very thankful for the family that has covered this expense, providing us an amazing opportunity for expansion! Because of this satellite coverage, we’re now carried full-time by 192 cable companies and their partners—and those are just the ones we know of! This means 3ABN Russia is now available in 1,518 big and small cities, towns, and villages, and at least two new cable companies are added to our list every week. We’re also carried part-time on eight other satellites and their foreign partners, as well as on 42 regional TV stations. Just recently, we’ve also entered into contract relations with a big new TV content aggregator called *Smotryoshka*. What awesome opportunities the Lord has provided in the midst of difficult political times! For us, these are indicators that He approves of what we do and the programs we make to His honor and glory.”

With this outstanding expansion, 3ABN Russia’s audience is growing quickly, but their Call Center and Internet funds remain very limited. “Our Call Center currently consists of only one worker,” Julia says, “and our budget for publishing and mailing hasn’t grown for the past several years.

“The need to publish and send out new literature is very great, and we’ve been carefully conservative in our plans. Our approximate needs for the following year include \$3,000 for new booklets about our programs, \$1,000 for donation pamphlets, \$2,300 for our *3ABN Russia* magazine, \$6,000 for our free children’s Bible study course, and \$8,700 for Internet advertising of our children’s books, recipe books, and literature about fighting addictions.

“In addition, our 3ABN Russia production crew has a huge dream of purchasing \$95,000 worth of LED panels for taping both in our studio and in our large sanctuary,” Julia says. “We pray that the Lord will answer as He sees fit. We’ll rejoice if He answers yes, and we’ll humbly accept if He says no, because we realize how large this amount is. Either way, we continue to praise Him for His awesome blessings, guidance, and protection! Thank you so much, dear 3ABN family, for caring for the salvation of the Russian-speaking people of the world!”



Babaghanoush

by Fay Kazzi

INGREDIENTS

- 2 large eggplants
- ¼ cup of tahini
- juice of half a lemon
- 3 cloves of garlic
- 1 tsp of salt
- a few dashes of cayenne
- pita bread

GARNISH

- kalamata olives
- tomatoes
- parsley
- olive oil
- other herbs

DIRECTIONS

1. Roast eggplants whole on an open flame for 15-20 minutes, or until charred on the outside and soft on the inside.* Set aside to cool for a few minutes, then remove skin.
2. Using a fork, mash up eggplant to a chunky consistency, then add tahini, lemon juice, garlic, salt, and cayenne, mixing well. You may also use a food processor and pulse the mixture instead, but using a fork is a more authentic way to prepare it. If mixture is too thick, add a few tablespoons of water. Refrigerate the mixture.
3. (Optional) For crispy pita bread, cut it into small triangles, separate the joined pieces, and toast in oven until crispy.
4. Remove babaghanoush from the refrigerator, spread on a plate, drizzle olive oil and style as desired. Dip pita in the mixture, and enjoy!

* If you do not want to cook on an open flame, you may roast the eggplant in the oven on the broil setting.



Fay Kazzi and Angela Lomacang on the set of *3ABN Today*.



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