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Dear Ministry Partner,

Even though someone is pursuing you to take your life, the life of my lord will be bound securely in the bundle of the living by the Lord your God, but the lives of your enemies he will hurl away as from the pocket of a sling. (1 Sam 25:29)
- Abigail's prophetic word to David)

"DAVID'S SLING"

This past week has been quite eventful. It was an important week for our VOICE OF HOPE – ISRAEL radio station broadcasting live into the Middle East with the message of Hope and Salvation in Jesus. Just a few days ago, several incoming Syrian missiles were thwarted by Israel and others fell into the Sea of Galilee within full view of our VOICE OF HOPE team who were broadcasting live on the air at the time. We are so thankful that no one was hurt as God protected our staff and our neighbors living in the Galilee.



John and Heather sharing their faith in God's plan for the Middle East as they lead the VOICE OF HOPE – ISRAEL 1287 AM

We recognize fully how much we need to intensify our intercessory prayer efforts for our staff and our listeners. Will you commit to pray for John and me, our VOICE OF HOPE on air staff, our leadership? We also need prayer in our finances as God provides exactly what we need to operate this strategic radio station. The VOICE OF HOPE – 1287 AM is God's strategic tool to reach millions everyday in Syria, Jordan, Lebanon and Israel. Many listeners are *coming to faith* and *growing* their faith in Jesus!

OUR ENEMY IS REAL

You see we've engaged a very real enemy and the presence of a powerful Christian radio station proclaiming Jesus' Salvation and Hope from God's word are taking a "bite" out of what he has long considered "his" territory. John and I are choosing to make an intentional dent right where it matters - smack dab in the head of a God-defying giant very much like what David faced in 1 Sam 17:49.

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- Encouraging persecuted Christians and Syrian Refugees through targeted broadcasts.
- Emphasis on evangelism, discipleship and Bible training.

VOICE OF HOPE – ISRAEL 1287 AM
1287 AM Galilee Israel - Reaching Israel, Syria, Lebanon and Jordan on Israel's only Christian radio station and the only Evangelical Christian radio station in the Middle East.

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Powerful world-class radio station reaching over 75% of Africa with the Gospel. Covering South, Central and West Africa.

VOICE OF HOPE – AMERICAS
With regular listeners in Cuba, Mexico, Central America and United States, this station has been broadcasting the Gospel since 1986 and today remains as a tool of the "Harvest" by which tens of thousands have received Jesus, studied God's word and grown in Faith.

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Your gift, no matter the size, is a huge blessing to strategically deliver God's Word to millions.
Thank you!
- John and Heather Tayloe*

As the news broke on Israel's rapid response, the world learned that a new defensive weapon had been deployed in Israel called, "David's Sling." This caused us to think about when David pulled out his slingshot as the guardian of his father's sheep, it was intentional, never arbitrary. And when David readied his slingshot again, aiming it at his intended enemy, a 9-foot tall, God-defying giant, David was focused on bringing down this immediate threat against God's people. His thoughts, actions and determination of the moment were not scattered, but clear and very serious in his purpose. Ours must be too as we pray and do the work God has put into our hands for this specific time in spiritual history!

God's preparation of David began in the hills of Judea against the lion and the bear. So when David pulled out his slingshot against the Giant, he aimed it with deliberate, accurate "precision" and with clear "intentionality" to hit his mark. Failure was not an option for David. His vision was one with God's in that defining moment. Our vision must mirror David's vision. When we "hear" defiance, what's our response to be? The answer that rings back through the ages is this one...we stand fast on the power of the anointing that was given through the Living God!

David faced the Giant with only a staff and sling in his hands. As he picked up five smooth stones and sent one into the forehead of the mammoth Philistine, it was clear that the Giant had underestimated Israel's champion yes, but more than that, he'd underestimated Israel's God!

STAND WITH US IN PRAYER

It's important that as you stand with us in prayer, it is our intention to "set the captives free" by felling the enemy's lying voice in whatever form the "anti-Christ's" message is taking, and to send out "the missiles", not in the form of stones, but in the greater form of God's living and active Word that accomplishes ALL that it is sent forth to do! (Is 55:11).



PRAY FOR OUR LEADERSHIP: Ray Robinson – Vice President Global Operations, Chela Silwamba – Vice President VOICE OF HOPE - AFRICA, John Tayloe – Founder and President, and Gary Hull – General Overseer VOICE OF HOPE – ISRAEL.

GOD'S WORD TRANSFORMS LIVES

As we broadcast the Word we are receiving many testimonies of changed and transformed lives. Recently, we learned of several Muslims who have now committed to follow Jesus. Also Christian listeners are growing in their faith and are strengthened through the daily Bible teaching and anointed Christian music and are answering our challenge to take their faith in Jesus and share it with others.

We recognize our warfare is with spiritual principalities and powers that are no less intimidating, fearsome and defiant today as they were for David. Thank you for standing with us and for supporting our VOICE OF HOPE radio stations with your prayers and monthly giving as we are together reaching tens of millions in the Middle East, Africa and Latin America.

David prepared himself with five smooth stones for the battle, even though he only needed just one. Would you help us prepare VOICE OF HOPE for its battle to deliver the salvation message of Jesus to the Middle East?

In His service,

John and Heather Otis Tayloe
President and Founders
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