

Sixty Years Together!



You are a very special part of the Family Radio community. Since you are a part of our family, we wanted to share with you our excitement of celebrating Family Radio's 60th anniversary! Thanks to our listeners' generosity, God's Word has been shared around the world through the ministry for sixty years. Joy fills our hearts every time we hear from you and other listeners about how the Holy Spirit has changed lives through Family Radio.

"So shall My word be that goes forth from My mouth; It shall not return to Me void, but it shall accomplish what I please, And it shall prosper in the thing for which I sent it." Isaiah 55:11

As God transforms us—Family Radio staff and listeners alike—through His Word, community grows in importance. Ecclesiastes 4:12 reminds us, "A threefold cord is not quickly broken." *Together*, we can learn. *Together*, we can encourage one another. *Together*, we can reach others with the Gospel.

We serve God better together—when there is unity within the community of believers. All that matters is that we have the same goal: shining brightly for Christ. "Fulfill my joy by being like-minded, having the same love, being of one accord, of one mind" (Philippians 2:2).

Thank you for partnering with us in the work of the Gospel. Thank you for your commitment, your support, and your prayers. Thank you for your unity with us in the community of Christ.

Together, we are Family Radio!

Why should God's people be united?

Galatians 3:28 — "There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither bond nor free, there is neither male nor female: for ye are all one in Christ Jesus."

Hebrews 10:24-25 — "And let us consider one another to provoke unto love and to good works: not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another: and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching."

Psalms 133:1 — "Behold, how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity!"

Romans 15:5-6 — "Now the God of patience and consolation grant you to be likeminded one toward another according to Christ Jesus: that ye may with one mind and one mouth glorify God, even the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ."

1 Peter 3:8 — "Finally, be ye all of one mind, having compassion one of another, love as brethren, be pitiful, be courteous."

For more answers, listen to our podcast,

Life's Questions, God's Answers[™]

at familyradio.org

Sanctify them through thy truth: thy word is truth. John 17:17

New Partnerships! New Opportunities!



You make it possible for Family Radio to share the Gospel with thousands of people each and every day. Family Radio is just one avenue God uses to share His love. That's why we are partnering with other ministries! Over Christmas you may have heard our feature, "Making of the Music" as we partnered with Getty Music. And, you've probably already been blessed by the powerful teaching of Alistair Begg, John MacArthur, and R.C. Sproul. These are just a few of the first-rate partners we are working with—all dedicated to proclaiming the Word of God!

Soon we will inform you about some of the new ministries that support Family Radio financially. We still need your support! But we also want to bless you by introducing you to the wonderful Christian organizations partnering with Family Radio! These underwriting organizations will help bridge the gap between donations and our operating costs. These partnerships allow us to continue to serve you, our listeners, while working with other members of the body of Christ to proclaim the Gospel!



"Say, Brothers, Will You Meet Us?" is an old spiritual with many origin stories. By the mid-1800s, it was included in many Christian hymnals and often sung in camp meeting revivals.

In 1859, John Brown, a famous abolitionist, was hung for inciting slave rebellions. His death escalated the start of the Civil War. Within a month, the old camp meeting spiritual was adapted by Union soldiers into a new marching song, "John Brown's Body."

Two years later, Julia Ward Howe composed new lyrics to fit the familiar melody. "The Battle Hymn of the Republic" became a rally song for the abolition of slavery and has been a favorite in American households ever since.

What People Are Saying

Eugene - "I was first introduced to Family Radio in 1961. I have continued to listen to the beautiful Christ-centered music. So many changes have occurred in the past year or so, and they are all making a more listenable radio station. I have passed my 91st birthday. I don't see very well or think too clearly, but still love the Family Radio's programming in my 56th year with you on the air. Praise the Lord for all the blessings you have been sending out over the air waves for the millions of needy people to hear – the declaration that JESUS SAVES. I am thoroughly enjoying the changes I'm hearing on the air. I'll continue to pray for you."

P. Nelson - "Thank God for watching over me with Family Radio's help. Thanks, guys, for staying strong through all these years. May God Bless!"

Jenny - "May God continue to bless your ministry. I feel greatly blessed in spirit since I've been listening. It's easy to see how God is using you to get out the Word – the truth! God bless you! Thank you."

Kathy - "Thank you so much for your prayers for my family. Family Radio has blessed me in so many ways. It is wonderful to be able to listen to this station on the radio. I love the beautiful music and your daily devotionals are inspiring and a great way to start my day! I am very thankful for your ministry. It gives me hope and strength. May God bless you."

Anonymous - "I am a longtime, everyday listener. Family Radio is my teacher, my preacher, my fellowship, and my friend. Family Radio is helping us keep our eyes on things above! There are a lot of programs that I love, but it's the hymns and Bible reading that mean the most to me."

Beryl - "Your programs are a source of comfort to us. It also amazes me how many programs ministered to me in each of the circumstances I face every day. It has offered insight, encouragement, hope and joy to our souls! Family Radio has been such a blessing to our lives. Also, it increased my knowledge that I can use to help and share God's love with others. . . . May the Lord bless you all as you continue in this wonderful service for Christ!"

