WELCOME TO THE MANAGER'S DESK, I'M MIKE CORNELL.

IF YOU WERE LISTENING TO THIS PROGRAM THE OTHER DAY, YOU HEARD ME SHARE AN EMAIL FROM A FORMER LISTENER WHO WAS LOOKING FOR A THEME SONG SHE HEARD ON A MORNING PROGRAM AIRED ON WRVM BACK IN THE 1980'S. NONE OF OUR CURRENT STAFF WAS FAMILIAR WITH IT. SO I REACHED OUT TO A FORMER STAFF MEMBER, DENNIS JONES, WHO WAS HERE FROM 1972 UNTIL JUST RECENTLY. DENNIS KNEW THE SONG THAT WAS ASKED ABOUT AND WE STILL HAVE IT; ON VINYL RECORD OF COURSE! WE DON'T HAVE A TURNTABLE ANY MORE. SO, I RESPONDED TO THE FORMER LISTENER OFFERING TO SEND HER THE RECORD. BY THE WAY, THE NAME OF THE SONG IS "TIME TO GET UP" AND WAS SUNG BY A GROUP KNOWN AS ETERNITY. THE ALBUM WAS RELEASED IN 1976. I SEARCHED ONLINE TO SEE IF I COULD FIND THE LYRICS POSTED ANYWHERE. THE CLOSEST I FOUND WAS A SONG BOOK OF ALL THE SONGS ON THIS ALBUM THAT WAS FOR SALE ON AMAZON FOR \$1,008. YES, YOU HEARD ME RIGHT. \$1,008! THERE WAS ONLY ONE NEW ONE AVAILABLE. I PASSED ON SUCH A GOOD DEAL. HOPEFULLY THIS FORMER LISTENER HAS A RECORD PLAYER OR ACCESS TO ONE TO GET THE LYRICS SHE WANTED.

[SAM – EMAILED OVER THE WEEKEND] WRVM, I've spent a fair amount of time recently behind the windshield. On a trip to SW Wisconsin I was able to listen to 102.7 almost to Cadott. I drove just south of Oshkosh the other day and had uninterrupted signal on 102.7 for the entire trip. As a contributor to your new tower fund, it made me feel very proud that I was able to be a part of such a wonderful ministry. Sitting in my cabin, north of White Lake in the Crocker Hills, WRVM is one of the few radio stations with good signal. On a cold rainy fall night, WRVM is a constant companion. I sure appreciate your ministry and the edification it has had on my soul. Thank you and keep up the great work.

GOD HAS CERTAINLY BLESSED US WITH NEW STATIONS, BOTH FULL POWER AND LOW POWER TRANSLATORS, TO MAKE IT POSSIBLE FOR MORE AND MORE PEOPLE TO HEAR US CLEARLY HERE IN NE WISCONSIN. THAT EXPANSION WAS MADE POSSIBLE BY LISTENERS LIKE SAM AND MANY OTHERS. OPPORTUNITIES TO EXPAND DO NOT HAPPEN VERY OFTEN. BUT WHEN THEY DO WE ARE ALWAYS SEEKING GOD'S LEADING IN WHETHER TO PURSUE IT OR NOT. PRAY THAT GOD WILL CLEARLY SHOW US HIS MIND AT THESE TIMES.

YOUR SUPPORT, BOTH PRAYERS AND GIFTS, HELP TO MAKE THIS LISTENER SUPPORTED RADIO MINISTRY POSSIBLE. THANK YOU SO MUCH AND MAY GOD BLESS YOU FOR IT.

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