

MANAGER'S DESK FOR THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2021

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

LETTER MONTH IS COMING. AND JUST WHEN WE FELT LIKE ONLY OLDER LISTENERS WRITE LETTERS CAME THIS EMAIL LAST SEPTEMBER. HERE ARE EXCERPTS FROM IT:

Hi WRVM, my name is Ben. I'm 27 years old. I'm fortunate enough to be able to listen to you much of the day while I'm at work and on my own time in the car and at home. I'm single, and often struggle with feelings of loneliness, confusion, low self-worth, feeling betrayed, and occasionally anger at God for the situation. Having your station as my constant companion speaking life into my life and always reminding me that God has a plan and that He is good and trustworthy is such a blessing to me and I can't thank you enough. It is still hard, but your station has kept my spirit up and has helped me grow in my walk of faith. I thoroughly enjoy your programming, especially your music. The Gospel Greats and WRVM's own simple times of music are my favorites. I just love the variety of it. It is a welcome alternative to the typical loop of the same few contemporary songs most stations have. Those have their time and their place, but I appreciate your songs so much more. The lyrics are often so much deeper and more meaningful, and the artistry in the music is top notch.

I also like Morning Watch a lot, as well as many of your teaching programs. I especially like Haven Today, Revive our Hearts, Truth for Life, Focus on the Family, Focal Point, and Night Sounds. Night Sounds is especially comforting and an excellent way to end the day. I also really like Breakpoint and the Public Square. I also really enjoy the kids programming, especially Adventures in Odyssey, Sailor Sam, and Ranger Bill. In general, I love the preaching and much of it is very good and helps me grow, but if I had to pick a direction I'd lean towards more music. Music speaks more toward the heart which is what I feel I need most right now. Again, thanks for all you do. You guys are such a blessing to me. I pray that you'll continue to have success as a ministry, and be on the air for many, many years to come.

BEN ALSO SHARED SOME OF THE PROGRAMS HE DOESN'T CARE FOR AND THAT INFORMATION IS ALSO HELPFUL TO US. MOST LETTERS ARE NOT THIS LONG BUT HE GAVE US SOME GREAT INSIGHT INTO HOW WRVM IS IMPACTING HIS LIFE THROUGH MUSIC AND VARIOUS PROGRAMS. I WOULD LOVE TO HEAR WHAT DRAWS YOU TO OUR PROGRAMMING AND HOW IT IMPACTS YOU AND YOUR WALK WITH CHRIST. SPRING LETTER MONTH STARTS MARCH 1.

I CLOSE WITH THIS NEW TESTAMENT BENEDICTION:

2 Pet. 3:18 - (May you) grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To him be the glory both now and to the day of eternity. Amen.

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THANK YOU FOR JOINING ME FOR THE MANAGER'S DESK, I'M MIKE CORNELL.