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

IT'S DAY 4 OF OUR BIRTHDAY LETTER MONTH. WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO HEARING FROM YOU!

JASON HAS THE DISTINCTION OF THIS YEAR'S FIRST LETTER MONTH LETTER RECEIVED.

IT CAME IN THE FORM OF AN EMAIL EARLY MONDAY MORNING. IN HIS EMAIL HE
SHARED WHEN HE FIRST STARTED LISTENING SAYING "WHEN I FIRST MOVED UP TO
PHILLIPS IN 2012 I DID A SEARCH FOR CHRISTIAN RADIO UP THERE. I NOW LIVE IN GLEASON."

OUR SECOND RECEIVED LETTER MONTH LETTER CAME IN A LITTLE LATER ON MONDAY MORNING, ALSO AN EMAIL, FROM SUSAN IN POUND WHO WROTE:

Dear WRVM. Happy birthday! I am thankful for you and the ministry you have in my life each day. It might be waking me up in the morning with Morning Watch, telling me the correct time, giving me the weather report for the day, saying the verse for the day, playing a song that draws me to think more about my Savior and worship Him or a teaching program. I really like the music change in the afternoon with more music between 3 and 4 o'clock. Thank you for your ministry in my life and so many others.

NOW I INTENTIONALLY SAID "RECEIVED LETTER" BECAUSE SOME OF YOU MAY HAVE ACTUALLY WRITTEN YOUR LETTER EARLIER BUT BECAUSE OF THE HOLIDAY WE DIDN'T GET MAIL UNTIL YESTERDAY.

YESTERDAY, I TALKED ABOUT OUR NEED TO REPLACE THE TRANSMITTER HERE IN SURING AND OUR NEED TO RAISE \$105,000 TO PAY FOR IT. EACH DAY WE WILL GIVE YOU PROGRESS REPORTS AS TO HOW MUCH HAS BEEN RECEIVED FOR THAT PROJECT. IF YOU WISH TO DONATE AN 'OVER AND ABOVE' GIFT FOR THE NEW TRANSMITTER BE SURE TO INDICATE THAT ON YOUR CHECK OR IN A NOTE. IF YOU ARE COMBINING YOUR NORMAL GIFT PLUS EXTRA FOR THE TRANSMITTER JUST INDICATE THAT IN YOUR LETTER TO US.

I MENTION MAKING THIS AN 'OVER AND ABOVE GIFT' BECAUSE OUR GENERAL FUND ALSO NEEDS YOUR HELP THIS MONTH. THIS SUMMER WE HAVE HAD TO DIP DEEP INTO OUR RESERVE FUNDS TO STAY CURRENT WITH OUR MONTHLY EXPENSES.

WE CELEBRATE 52 YEARS OF BROADCASTING THE GOOD NEWS THIS MONTH BECAUSE OF THE GENEROUS AND FAITHFUL SUPPORT OF OUR LISTENERS. I HOPE TO HEAR FROM YOU THIS MONTH.

OUR MAILING ADDRESS IS: WRVM, PO BOX 212, SURING WI, 54174 OR GIVE ONLINE AT WWW.WRVM.ORG.

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