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

AS WE BEGIN THIS NEW YEAR OF BROADCASTING, LET ME POINT OUT SOME PROGRAMMING CHANGES THAT HAVE TAKEN PLACE.

FIRST LET ME SAY THAT THERE ARE NOT AS MANY CHANGES AS I FEARED A FEW WEEKS AGO. WHEN MOODY RADIO ANNOUNCES THEY WERE DISCONTINUING ALL OF THEIR CLASSIC KIDS PROGRAMS, INCLUDING STORIES OF GREAT CHRISTIANS, I WAS LOOKING AT SOME MAJOR CHANGES. THANKS TO THE FEEDBACK THEY RECEIVED FROM LISTENERS ALL OF THE KIDS PROGRAMS WERE SAVED, EXCEPT ONE. YOU WILL FIND THAT RANGER BILL HAS BEEN REPLACED WITH LAMPLIGHTER THEATRE SATURDAY MORNINGS AT 9:00 AM.

OTHER CHANGES INCLUDE REPLACING THE PROGRAM 'LET MY PEOPLE THINK' WITH MUSIC. RAVI ZACHARIAS, THE SPEAKER ON THAT PROGRAM, PASSED AWAY RECENTLY AND HIS MESSAGES ARE NO LONGER AVAILABLE. THAT PROGRAM WAS HEARD SUNDAY AFTERNOONS AT 1:30 pm.

ONE OTHER PROGRAMMING CHANGE WAS POINTED OUT IN THIS EMAIL, CAL THOMAS IS BACK ON IN THE MORNINGS AT 7:32 MONDAY – FRIDAY.

[Dan & Angela - Green Bay] My wife and I listen to Morning Watch most every weekday as we get ready for work. We initially started listening to WRVM on a regular basis because of the Cal Thomas Commentary, so we wanted to thank you for bringing that feature back. We were pleasantly surprised when we heard it this morning! SRN News is really one of the few sources of objective journalism I can find on the radio (or anywhere) and we greatly appreciate that as well. Cal Thomas has the ability to take major events of the day and present them through a biblical worldview lens. We also enjoy John Stonestreet on breakpoint for this reason as well. Politics has become increasingly corrupt and frightening but as unpleasant as it is, it is imperative Christians stay informed and involved. WRVM programming presents news and commentary that makes this easier while surrounding it with words and songs of encouragement. We must pick up our cross each day while maintaining the hope that is in Christ Jesus, and WRVM helps us daily in that pursuit. Thank you for all you do.

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