MANAGER'S DESK FOR THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2020

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

I ALWAYS FIND IT INTERESTING TO HEAR HOW CHRISTIAN RADIO HAS PLAYED A PART IN SOMEONE'S LIFE. AND SO I FOUND THIS RECENT LETTER FROM LOIS OF GREAT INTEREST.

DEAR WRVM STAFF. WAY BACK IN THE EARLY 1940'S, WHEN AIRWAVES WEREN'T FULL OF STATIONS, WE WERE ABLE TO GET WMBI-AM. IT WAS THROUGH A CHILDREN'S PROGRAM I WAS MADE AWARE OF MY LOST CONDITION. I QUESTIONED MY MOTHER AND SHE LED ME TO THE LORD. SOON AFTER THAT WE LOST RECEPTION TO THAT STATION AND HAD NO CHRISTIAN RADIO IN OUR AREA UNTIL YOU CAME ON THE AIR. IN THE EARLY 1960'S, I SPEND 5 YEARS LIVING IN PORTLAND OREGON WHERE WE HAD STATION KPDQ. WHAT A BLESSING THAT WAS. BUT WHEN I MOVED BACK TO WISCONSIN IN 1965 I FELT THE LOSS GREATLY. WHEN I HEARD SURING WAS GOING TO GET A STATION I WAS GREATLY EXCITED. I EVEN ATTENDED PLANNING MEETINGS. I WAS MORE THAN READY FOR THAT FIRST BROADCAST EVEN THOUGH I HAD TO MOVE OUR RADIO CONSOLE TO THE MIDDLE OF THE ROOM TO GET RECEPTION. NOW WE HAVE A NUMBER OF STATIONS TO FIT EVERYONE 'S LIKING. LET'S PRAY THAT A NEW ADMINISTRATION IN WASHINGTON WILL NOT TAKE THEM OFF THE AIR. WE NEED YOU MORE THAN EVER. MAY GOD CONTINUE TO BLESS YOU.

THERE MAY COME A DAY WHEN OUR FREEDOM TO BROADCAST GOD'S WORD OVER THE RADIO IS THREATENED. BUT WHILE WE HAVE THIS FREEDOM, IT IS OUR INTENT TO BE AS EFFECTIVE AS WE CAN TO GET THE WORD OF GOD OUT TO AS MANY PEOPLE AND AREAS AS POSSIBLE. IN FACT, THIS NEXT YEAR WE MAY HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO BOTH MAKE SOME CHANGES TO EXISTING STATIONS TO MAXIMIZE THEIR COVERAGE AREAS AND POSSIBLY ACQUIRE SOME NEW STATIONS.

JOIN US IN PRAYING FOR GOD'S LEADING AND WILL TO BE ACCOMPLISHED. AND AS WE ENTER THE FINAL WEEKS OF THIS YEAR, WE HOPE TO BE ABLE TO FINISH OUR FISCAL YEAR IN THE BLACK. WE CURRENTLY HAVE SOME 'RED INK' TO ERASE. THANKFULLY NOTHING ON THE SCALE OF WHAT IT WAS LAST YEAR THAT GOD SO WONDERFULLY PROVIDED FOR IN DECEMBER. BUT YOUR SPECIAL YEAR END GIFT THIS DECEMBER WILL GO A LONG WAYS IN HELPING US PREPARE FOR ANY OPPORTUNITIES THAT MAY COME ALONG NEXT YEAR. ALL GIFTS ARE TAX DEDUCTIBLE.

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