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

TODAY I'M SHARING AN EMAIL FROM A CALIFORNIA LISTENER. WE NOW HAVE SEVERAL THAT WE KNOW OF WHO LIVE AND LISTEN TO US IN CALIFORNIA. HERE'S WHAT PAUL HAD TO SAY DURING OUR SPRING LETTER MONTH:

Dear WRVM staff. Listening to your station brings back a flood of memories. I was born across the bay in Sturgeon Bay 2 years prior to WRVM beginning it's broadcast. I grew up in the Green Bay area and spent a lot of time in Door County. My parents were born again in October 1969 and I recall listening to WRVM in the family car, in our camper trailer during the summer, and on the rare occasions when we were unable to attend a Sunday morning service. My favorite show as a young boy was Unshackled which is still a show that I enjoy listening to on your station although I now listen via the app, the website stream, and through iTunes Radio. WRVM would be playing on the little kitchen radio in my grandparent's farmhouse in Algoma. These days, being located in California, it's such a treat and blessing to be able to listen on my commute in the morning (Haven Today), and later with the 9:30AM music and the 11AM Request Hour. I have been able to put together a fairly sizeable WRVM Favorites playlist and so much enjoy hearing music that the larger Christian stations do not play. Where else would I hear the Booth Brothers, Steve Green, The Collingsworth Family, and so on? Now with the COVID-19 virus and my state/area under "stay at home" orders, I find that your station and programming encourages me throughout the day and gives me a taste of "back home". God bless you all and keep up the Good News Work!

YESTERDAY, I MENTIONED THAT ONE OF OUR HIGH PRIORITY OUTDOOR PROJECTS THIS YEAR IS TO ENLARGE OUR PARKING AREA. AS IT IS, IT ONLY HAS SPACES FOR 8 OR 9 CARS. SO WHEN WE ARE ALL HERE, WHICH HAPPENS OCCASIONALLY, THAT DOESN'T LEAVE ANY ROOM FOR A VISITOR. TO DO THIS WE NEED TO TAKE DOWN ABOUT 50 PINE TREES. I THREW OUT AN INVITATION FOR ANYONE ABLE TO HELP US TO CONTACT ME. YESTERDAY AFTERNOON I RECEIVED A CALL FROM A RETIRED FORESTER WHO SAID HE IS WILLING TO TAKE THE TREES DOWN FOR US. THAT IS A DEFINITE ANSWER TO PRAYER. NOW, DOES ANYONE HAVE A PORTABLE SAWMILL WILLING TO CUT SOME LUMBER FOR US? I'M LEARNING IT DOESN'T HURT TO ASK.

THANK YOU FOR KEEPING WRVM IN YOUR PRAYERS. AND THANK YOU FOR HELPING TO SUPPORT US FINANCIALLY. ESPECIALLY DURING THESE TOUGH TIMES IT HAS BEEN A GREAT ENCOURAGEMENT FOR US TO RECEIVE YOUR SUPPORT.

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