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# ISSUE

# ECONOMY

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ECONOMY	Joy In Our Town #041817B	27:30	13:31	LCL	PA

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 7/3/17 @ 5:30 PM, 7/4/17 @ 4:00 AM

Power Connection, located in Bolingbrook, Illinois, founded and directed by Jerry Basel, offers a food pantry called Food Connection. This program is not government funded and helps to support the programs at Power Connection. The ministry partners with clients to get much need groceries into home. All of the food that is provided is donated. Clients have the opportunity to go into the "store" and choose what food products they will be taking home. The only requirement to receive services from Food Connection is that the client must live in the state of Illinois. Mr. Basel states that Food Connection provides groceries for about one-thousand, eight-hundred people per month. He adds that there are many volunteers that staff Food Connection and there are always volunteers available to pray with clients. Mr. Basel also adds that the program also share their food supply with other feeding programs in the area and local churches help with the ministry as well.

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ECONOMY	Joy In Our Town #031417A	28:53	14:00	LCL	PA

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 8/7/17 @ 5:30 PM, 8/8/17 @ 4:00 AM

Apostle Dr. Glenda McCullum is the Founder and Senior Leader at Gateway Worship Assembly, located in Joliet, Illinois. She begins the program by stating that the purpose of the church is to cause God's Kingdom to advance. Gateway Worship Assembly is a training center where individuals are trained to know how to minister to the needs of their local community. Apostle McCullum adds that they have seen many people come out of destructive lifestyles through the outreach of the church. She goes on to share about one outreach event that Gateway Worship Assembly provides for the local area called "Community Day". This is a back to school event that takes place annually. At this event they give out school supplies, backpacks, and hygiene bags. Apostle McCullum states that the hygiene bags are in important element of this event and adds that many students do not have what they need in order to have clean bodies, and not being clean can affect their confidence and can also affect their ability to learn. Gateway Worship Assembly also offers a food and clothing pantry to those in need twice a month, and they are looking to expand the food pantry to be able to provide services every week. Apostle McCullum adds that in order to qualify to receive food from the pantry people just need to prove their name and address. The food pantry is called "Divine Provision", because God, divinely provides. Prayer is also offered to those that come to the food pantry. Another service offered by Gateway Worship Assembly is a computer lab. Apostle McCullum states that there was a need in the community for older generations to learn about technology as well has to have a place for children to come to do homework. They see this computer lab as a way for older generations and younger generations to come together and connect with one another.

# ISSUE

# EDUCATION

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EDUCATION	Joy In Our Town #041817B	27:30	13:42	LCL	PA

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 7/3/17 @ 5:30 PM, 7/4/17 @ 4:00 AM

Jerry Basel is the Founder and Director of Power Connection, located in Bolingbrook, Illinois. Mr. Basel states that P.O.W.E.R stands for Providing Opportunities for Work Education and Retraining. Power Connection has been servicing members of the community for past thirteen years. He says that their mission is to empower people for life, by helping enhance workforce skills. He adds that Power Connection was formed due to the fact that the cost of living in Bolingbrook was rising due to new companies and industry coming into the area. He saw that there was a need for people to have better job skills in order to secure better, higher paying employment. Programs that are offered through Power Connection are job skills training, educational training, resources for life, GED courses, computer classes, forklift training and commercial driver's license classes. Students that are in the computer classes that do not have a computer in their home are given a refurbished computer to have so that they can continue to do the class work at home as well as have them for their children to do their homework on. Mr. Basel states that having skills helps to build self-confidence and adds that Power Connection works with job temp services to help with job placement.

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EDUCATION	Joy In Our Town #032117A	28:57	13:27	LCL	PA

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 7/17/17 @ 5:30 PM, 7/18/17 @ 4:00 AM, 7/31/17 @ 5:30 AM, 8/1/17 @ 4:00 AM, 8/14/17 @ 5:30 PM

Linton Ellis, Varsity Basketball Coach for Crossroads Christian Youth Center, states that Crossroads Christian Youth Center is a non-denominational Christian youth ministry that is located in Big Rock, Illinois and adds that its members come from several different areas of the Chicago suburbs. He says that it is a home school ministry that brings together homeschool families and allows students to be active in athletic programs outside of the traditional high school setting. Mr. Ellis goes on to share his personal reasons for becoming involved with Crossroads and adds that it has been a tremendous blessing to his family. He also shares a home video about his daughter and states that she was a huge inspiration for him as well. Mr. Ellis goes on to say that in addition to sports, Bible studies and fellowship are an integral aspect of the programs available at Crossroads Christian Youth Center. In addition to sports, Bible Studies and fellowship, missions are also an important part of the programs at Crossroads Christian Youth Center. He states that many of the youth go to different states and help with projects and many also help out at local ministries and homeless shelters. Mr. Ellis closes the first segment by saying that he sees growth and change in many of the young people that Crossroads Christian Youth Center serves.

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# HOMELESSNESS

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HOMELESS	Joy In Our Town #040417B	29:20	14:31	LCL	PA

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 7/10/17 @ 5:30 PM, 7/11/17 @ 4:00 AM

Pastor Nick Walker of Victory Outreach Chicago speaks about the men's and women's Christian Recovery homes. He states that this is a one year program, he states that these facilities provide a safe place for individuals who are just coming out of prison or jail or those who are battling or recovering from some form of drug addiction or alcoholism. While in the program residents participate in chapel services, Bible study, and meals together. He adds that the program feels less like a program and more like a family. The people learn to function in a family setting. Pastor Walker also states that the residents all have work duties that they perform. Having work duties teaches them a strong work ethic and helps to prepare them to rejoin their local communities. After a resident finishes the program there is a follow up program and they are helped to reunite with family. Pastor Walker says that the focus of Victory Outreach is not just the resident but the entire family unit and often times the whole family will receive counseling. He adds that if the family is not connected or reached, there is a chance that the resident will backslide and go back to living how they had in the past. Victory Outreach also has an outreach program where they go out into the streets of Chicago and minister to prostitutes. They pray with them and minister and invite them to a special event called "A Day of Hope". At this event they are fed, and entertained in addition to being able to have a little pampering with a pedicure or manicure or to get their hair done, the woman attending this event are also offered free clothing. Former prostitutes are also at this event to minister to the women.

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HOMELESS	Joy In Our Town #031417A	28:53	14:23	LCL	PA

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 8/7/17 @ 5:30 PM, 8/8/17 @ 4:00 AM

Gateway Worship Assembly, located in Joliet, Illinois, was founded by Apostle Dr. Glenda McCullum, she is also the Senior Leader at the church. Gateway Worship Assembly does many outreach events including a very special Thanksgiving Day meal that is provided to homeless members of the community. Apostle McCullum states that when inviting people to attend this event they target people that are living in local hotels and adds that there are typically five to six people living in each hotel room. When people come to the Thanksgiving dinner, they are ministered to and fed a hot meal. People that attend the event are also given groceries to take with them when they leave. The groceries usually consists of prepackaged, microwaveable food so that it can be prepared in the hotel room. The ministry also has a turkey drive that provides a full thanksgiving meal to families that are in need and are often delivered to the homes of those individuals. Apostle McCullum says that in addition to needing Jesus, people have other needs that need to be met and it is the job of the church to help meet those needs. In addition to having a desire to help the needy, Apostle McCullum states that, Gateway Worship Assembly is also compelled to take action in regards to violence that they are seeing in their community. She states that in a period of just a few weeks, the city of Joliet saw over 20 murders take place. She states that the churches came together with local government to organize prayer walks in the parts of the city where gang violence is most prevalent. Every couple of weeks they would go to a different part of the city and worship and pray strategically for God to touch those areas and for the crime and violence to come to a halt. Apostle McCullum adds that they have the support of the city during these walks and often have police escorts. She closes the program by stating that "Everybody needs help and some point."

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HOMELESS	Joy In Our Town #111716AR	28:42	13:47	LCL	PA

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 8/28/17 @ 5:30 PM

In this segment of *Joy in our Town*, Host Dr. Glenda McCullum talks with Marilyn Farmer, Executive Director of MorningStar Missions Ministries in Joliet, IL. Morningstar is a faith-based, homeless shelter that provides temporary housing, food and clothing to the homeless and shares the gospel of Jesus Christ with them. They offer emergency shelter for men, long-term recovery programs, family assistance and other services for those in need. Marilyn gives host Dr. Glenda McCullum a semi-typical day at the mission and some of the services they provide. The guest also shares a few stories of people who are at Morningstar & utilizing the available resources.

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HOMELESS	Joy In Our Town #111716AR	28:42	14:25	LCL	PA

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 8/28/17 @ 5:30 PM

In this segment of 'Joy in our Town,' Host Dr. McCullum continues to speak with Marilyn Farmer of MorningStar Mission. They also provide services for expectant mothers not limited to counseling, housing and job preparedness. The Mission also has job readiness classes that include resume writing, dressing for their interviews, etc. The goal of Morningstar is to "reach the gospel of Jesus Christ for everyone who comes through the door." Morningstar encourages those who individuals who make their way through the mission's doors to make God the center of their life, and get involved in their local church/ ministry.

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HOMELESS	Joy In Our Town #170911A	30:00	8:00	REC	PA

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 9/11/17 @ 5:30 PM, 9/12/17 @ 4:00 AM

Host Dr. Carolyn G. Anderson talks with Ashley Thomas, Executive Director of Hope Street Ministry, about being a greenhouse in a dry land. Dr. Carolyn joined Ashley in the ministry's courtyard. Vegetables are being grown there and they represent what is being done inside of the building. Homelessness is rising in the area. A lot of families are displaced, many because of high incarceration rates. Hope Street is not a temporary shelter. People are asked to commit to a 6 month stay. They will be prepared to live on their own. Children can stay there with their parent(s). The greenhouse paradigm of what they do is about returning authority. They are helping people take it back & to make positive choices so that they can flourish. People staying there can be part of the life skills offered. Many work during the day. For people to become whole they must be filled with the hope of Jesus Christ. The ministry provides a place that feels like home and has a culture of love. There is an application & interview process to stay at Hope Street. The interviewer looks for willingness to change & a soft heart. Ashley is thankful she can be there. She goes there and does life with the people there.

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HOMELESS	Joy In Our Town #170911C	30:00	8:00	REC	PA

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 9/11/17 @ 5:30 PM, 9/12/17 @ 4:00 AM

Pastor Tanner Payton took us on a journey of his life and how he ended up at Word of Life church located in Rock Island IL. Pastor Payton began to explain how he had a vision for an outreach to help the impoverished/homeless community, however his congregation didn't see that vision at first. Pastor Payton began to share his vision and started acting on it by himself. He started donating food and clothing to the impoverished families. Today, Word of Life offers several ministries that benefit not only the impoverished/homeless community but the Kingdom.

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HOMELESS	Joy In Our Town #170918A	30:00	8:00	REC	PA

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 9/18/17 @ 5:30 PM, 9/19/17 @ 4:00 AM

Hope Loftis talks with Brett Swain from his non-profit restaurant ministry The Cookery about the homeless issue in the Nashville area. After giving his life to Christ in Dallas, Brett later moved to the Nashville area where he became homeless. As a homeless person, he gained compassion for the poor and learned how to interact with other homeless people because he was in the same situation of despair. Eventually he worked his way out of homelessness and became a chef and wanted to use his skills to help the homeless of Nashville. At his organization the Cookery, he gives homeless people hope, something to look forward to, along with teaching them a trade (being a restaurant cook). In a five month program he houses them, teaches them culinary skills, and also teaches them how to trust people and heal the wounds of homelessness through faith in Christ. They also receive a certificate for food safety, food prep tools to use at their new trade, and help obtaining a new job. The Cookery's proceeds go back into the ministry and they use those funds to help feed the homeless community of Nashville.

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HOMELESS	Joy In Our Town #170918B	30:00	8:00	REC	PA

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 9/18/17 @ 5:30 PM, 9/19/17 @ 4:00 AM

Quametra Wilborn interviews Pastor Danny Cosby, Founder of Danny Cosby Ministries about how he is helping the homeless population in the Mid-South. Danny Cosby Ministries was founded after Pastor Cosby was delivered from a 12 year heroin addiction and served a 4 year Prison sentence for crimes committed while he was addicted. Pastor Danny was inspired to serve the homeless as a child by his family, but he began his ministry of serving them after years of addictions and prison. He eventually came across a homeless shelter in Memphis who took him in and it was there where he gave his life to Christ. Danny Cosby Ministries go into the jails and prisons to minister. They also have pop up at various locations where the homeless are located and feed, clothe and minister to those in need.

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HOMELESS	Joy In Our Town #170918C	30:00	8:00	REC	PA

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 9/18/17 @ 5:30 PM, 9/19/17 @ 4:00 AM

Pastor Chris Monaghan talks about feeding the hungry in the community of Richmond, Indiana. Beginning in 2006, Gateway Food Pantry started out by reaching at least 40 families per month has reached 400-600 families per month. Pastor Chris references Leviticus 23:22 showing how scripture tells us to help feed the poor. He also mentions other parts of the Bible that command to help the poor. Chris talks about how they draw the poor to their church by reaching them with the food pantry. He list the partners in the community that helps provide for the pantry, including TBN, Reid Hospital, local farmers, The Wayne County Foundation, and more. Over 3 million pounds of food have come from the pantry and over 100,000 volunteer hours spent feeding the poor through Gateway Food Pantry. Monaghan mentions that they make sure the people that receive the food don't feel demeaned or less than when they receive their food, and how Gateway is a shame-free place. Then he talks about the move to a different location and renaming the pantry the Gateway Hunger Relief Center. Their goal is to not only hand out food, but eliminate hunger in the city of Richmond. The church is near the outskirts of town, and this new location for just the pantry is in a central location. They will also go from being open twice a month to twice a week.

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# YOUTH

<u>ISSUE</u>	<u>PROGRAM</u>	<u>PROGRAM DURATION</u>	<u>SEGMENT DURATION</u>	<u>SOURCE</u>	<u>TYPE</u>
<b>YOUTH</b>	Joy In Our Town #040417B	29:20	14:19	LCL	PA

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 7/10/17 @ 5:30 PM, 7/31/17 @ 4:00 AM

Pastor Nick Walker begins the program by sharing about the history of Victory Outreach. He states that the ministry was started in the housing projects of East Los Angeles by Sonny Arguinzi. He adds that Victory Outreach is now a network of over 700 different ministries around the world in over 30 different countries. Pastor Walker states that the goal of the ministry is to reach hurting people all around the world. He goes on to share his personal story of addiction, gang life, and the time that he spent incarcerated. He eventually left his old life behind to follow Jesus and felt a call on his life to help and work with gang members. He feels that this is the most rewarding work that he could possibly be doing. Victory Outreach Chicago currently spends much of their time reaching gang members and individuals that are addicted to drugs. He shares about the different ministry groups that are within the ministry. He states the prevention is the key to helping young people. Members of the ministry go out into the community to reach young people and to show them that there is a better way than being in a gang or using or selling drugs.

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**AIR DATE & TIME:** 7/17/17 @ 5:30 PM, 7/18/17 @ 4:00 AM, 7/31/17 @ 5:30 AM, 8/1/17 @ 4:00 AM, 8/14/17 @ 5:30 PM

The segment begins with Linton Ellis, Varsity Basketball Coach for Crossroads Christian Youth Center, sharing that the Varsity team recently won a national basketball championship. He says that he is excited about winning the championship but even better than competing and winning is the fact that he gets to minister to young people. He states that they make a conscience effort to put God first in all that they do. He states that in all things they give thanks to God, even in the losses. He says that as they progressed through each stage of the tournament they could see the hand of God working in all of it. Mr. Ellis says the he feels that obedience to God is the only reason that the team was successful in the post-season. In closing the program Linton Ellis gives contact information for Crossroads Christian Youth Center and encourages viewers to visit the website for more information.

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<b>YOUTH</b>	Joy In Our Town #170904B	30:00	8:00	REC	PA

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 9/4/17 @ 5:30 PM, 9/5/17 @ 4:00 AM

After writing a paper on Pity and Compassion, Heather Craig decided compassion compels a person to action. Heather felt a nudge from the Holy Spirit to do a Toy Drive for Christmas. She founded Love the Children Ministries and with the help of a local church and many volunteers they were able to provide toys for 90 children the first year. The second year the number reached 180 and they now are able to provide toys, entertainment, a meal for the families, along with and two new gifts from Santa for 250–300 children. For thirteen years the ministry has been helping provide for the needs of children. It has developed into adopting a single Elementary School in Canton where they provide all 370 students in the school with every academic supply they need for a fresh start to their school year. These supplies are often a burden to families with such great needs. They also held an open house at the school and invited local policemen, firefighters, and the families of the children to come together to enjoy a dinner. There was a magician there to entertain and face painting for the children. Heather said they didn't have to say the name of Jesus; everyone was able to feel God's love in action. Proving how the Holy Spirit works, Heather's father who played Santa the first year accepted Christ and as a result so did her mother.

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<b>YOUTH</b>	Joy In Our Town #170925A	30:00	8:00	REC	PA

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 9/25/17 @ 5:30 PM, 9/26/17 @ 4:00 AM

Host Dr. Carolyn G. Anderson talks with John Burke about giving opportunities to youth with special needs. He is the Founder & Coordinator of TOPSoccer Waukesha. The students at Catholic Memorial High School are connected to the school's mission & are willing to reach out with the mission of Christ, One of those aspects is helping those less fortunate. Loving one another unconditionally is what drives the success of the program. TOPSoccer is for children with special needs. The children have many different needs so they have to be creative with the different types of soccer balls used. In order to get cleats on the ground, there needs to be coaches. He put the word out and the high school students flocked to the program. They now have 2 volunteer coaches for every special needs athlete. He used to do a lot of service work outside the community. Then he realized he could do things closer to home. More students can serve because it's closer to home. In TOPSoccer, TOPS stands for The Outreach Program. John suggests that if viewers know of a special needs child who does not have an activity, they should make them aware of the program. There are few programs for children with disabilities and few facilities are built to accommodate them.

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<b>YOUTH</b>	Joy In Our Town #170925B	30:00	8:00	REC	PA

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 9/25/17 @ 5:30 PM, 9/26/17 @ 4:00 AM

Host Lindsay Hardiman did an off camera interview with Tyler Jordan, Students Pastor at the Connection Point Church. Connection Point Church is the new name of the former First Baptist Raytown Church. Pastor Jordan grew up at the church so to take over as Student's Pastor is very rewarding to him. Connection Point Church offers several different ministries to help the youth in the community but Pastor Jordan oversees the Students Ministry. This ministry is different from the others because they work specifically with teenagers. They teach discipleship in all of the youth ministries offered but in the Students ministry it's focused around 3 main components. The first being, the Bible. The next thing the focus on is, making sure students feel welcomed. The third thing is, to make sure the students feel like they have a role in the church. Pastor Jordan said "disciples making disciples" is their "why" then the "how" is by "engaging, equipping, and empowering them. At students ministry they want to engage the teenagers to the community, equip them to grow in their faith on their own, and empower their core. Pastor Jordan said if he had to pick one of the three empowering is his favorite one. They're empowering the students to go out and make a positive impact on the world. Pastor Jordan believes students should be around other likeminded individuals who have the same goals and they can help one another achieve those goals but, he also believes they need to be with people who think differently as well. By being around people of different beliefs it can challenge us and help us grow and overalls connects us to one another, following the new name for the church. This is achieved through the Students Ministry Life Groups. They also have what they call "The Underground." This is a place for the students to go and hang out on the lower level in the back of the Church. There's a general area with couches for the students to sit on surrounded by projectors so that they can watch movies or play video games. There's also games like pool, ping pong, foosball, etc. and a basketball court. They utilize The Underground as their Wednesday night outreach. The Underground is open to anyone in the community and the only criteria is to be in middle school or high school. They do split the groups in to two separate portions so, Middle Schoolers come in at 5pm and they'll have 45 minutes to hang out and after the 45 minutes they'll use 25 minutes to teach/preach to the students. Once they complete the teaching portion they give them more free time until the night ends and the High Schoolers come in at 6:45pm and it's the same format. Volunteers are welcomed and encouraged as they could not operate The Underground or the Life Groups without them. Viewers were invited to get more information at [www.connectionpoint.tv/students](http://www.connectionpoint.tv/students) or @connectionpcstudents.

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<b>YOUTH</b>	700 Club CBN NewsWatch#09112017	1:00:00	5:00	REC	PA/O/E

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 9/11/17 @ 2:00 PM

CBN News Reporter Mark Martin Reports: Author and activist Erin Merryn is on a mission to protect children from being sexually abused. With millions of victims in the United States alone, the Illinois woman is taking her fight to all 50 states and beyond. *People* magazine named her one of 15 women changing the world. With a bubbly baby girl, supportive husband, and infectious personality, you'd never guess Erin Merryn has endured tragic, unimaginable acts. This vibrant 30-year-old is a survivor of sexual abuse. Merryn said it started when she was just 6 years old at her first sleep-over. She said the uncle of her best friend sexually abused her during the night. The first time. Merryn never told anyone, and she says until she turned 8 and a half, when her family moved from the area, the man repeatedly sexually abused her. He even brutally raped her just weeks shy of her seventh birthday. She said he continued to threaten her to keep quiet, and she complied. Even after she and her family moved to a new neighborhood, sexual abuse continued. Merryn said this time the perpetrator was an older cousin, someone she had viewed as a brother figure. Merryn wrote about her despair in her childhood diary. Merryn finally broke her silence when her younger sister told her that she, too, was being sexually abused by the same cousin. The two told their parents who believed them 100 percent. The next step was telling their story to a forensic investigator at The Children's Advocacy Center of North and Northwest Cook County. More than 900 of these non-profit centers exist around the country. The room where Merryn found her voice has a two-way mirror. As she shared her story with a trained therapist, behind that mirror investigators listened, collecting information to build a case against a perpetrator. Merryn said her cousin confessed to the crime, was sentenced to seven years probation, and put in a sex offender treatment program instead of receiving jail time. However, her early childhood abuser was never prosecuted. What Merryn and her sister went through is by no means isolated. Merryn eventually went on to become a social worker at a counseling agency. But God had different plans for her to help children and teens on a national and international level. He used her childhood diary to spark a new idea. At that, Erin's Law was born. The law requires age-appropriate personal body safety and sexual abuse prevention curriculum for pre-kindergarten through 12th grade students in public schools. It educates kids on safe touch, unsafe touch; safe secrets, unsafe secrets; how to get away and tell. Merryn is on a mission to find either a state senator or representative in each state to sponsor the bill, draft it, and introduce it to lawmakers for an eventual vote. Erin's Law is spreading like wildfire, even drawing the attention of celebrities like Oprah and Katie Couric, and magazines like *People* and *Glamour*. In a little more than four years it's passed in 21 states and pending in 22, with seven to go. It's a legacy she'll leave for her baby girl and millions of other children who, because of a law, will be protected from the grip of sexual abuse.

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# SUBSTANCE

# ABUSE

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<b>SUBSTANCE ABUSE</b>	Joy In Our Town #111716BR	28:44	13:32	LCL	PA

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 7/24/17 @ 5:30 PM, 7/25/17 @ 4:00 AM

In this segment of, 'Joy in Our Town', Host Dr. Glenda McCullum speaks with Rev. Kurt Williams of Kingdom Lifeline Ministries, Chicago, IL. Kingdom Lifeline is a ministry on the west side of Chicago, with the main focus of changing lives and helping men realize their purpose in Christ. Kingdom Lifeline specializes in assisting men who wish to change their lives for the better. They educate, minister, guide, and mentor men who have a "will to succeed" and who want to be effective leaders in their lives, homes and in the church. Mr. Williams describes how Kingdom Lifeline works and benefits men in the program. The program is nine months long and helps establish positive behaviors that will not only help the men leaving the program, but others as well. The men who leave the program, leave with newly acquired skills, purpose and sense of self. Kurt Williams is the Founder of Kingdom Lifeline Ministries which helps men recover from different types of addiction. The program builds families and relationships that help encourage the men to stay clean. It also encourages them to look for Jesus as the one who is the deliver and the one who can show them the right way to live according to the word of God. Kingdom Lifeline trains men to be strong men for their families and for society. The program is based on finding the skills and the purposes of God in each man so that they can start to live from a place of victory. The families that you gain during the program are ones who you have forever. Kurt speaks about mentoring the men to help them in return help someone else. The men come in to live together under one roof but each man is treated as individuals not as a group. The program is geared towards the purpose of the individual man and teaching job skills such as carpentry work.

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<b>SUBSTANCE ABUSE</b>	Joy In Our Town #111716BR	28:44	14:42	LCL	PA

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 7/24/17 @ 5:30 PM, 7/25/17 @ 4:00 AM

In this segment, Host Dr. Glenda McCullum introduces the audience to Anthony Ponta. Anthony is a member of Kingdom Lifeline and shared his testimony of how Kingdom Lifeline has helped him grow as a person and man of God. Before Kingdom Lifeline Anthony dealt with addictions and he spoke concerning the struggles that are out there in our communities. His eyes saw a lot coming from abuse to homelessness. As many who are out on the streets have turned from or been pushed away from family. This may cause people to depend on their addictions to fill the void. Programs like this one can provide stability to those who no longer have a stable life and help to redirect them by teaching life skills. Anthony describes what a typical routine is inside the ministry and the daily meditations. Anthony Ponta was introduced to the ministry through a mutual friend and the thought was implanted in his heart by God. Anthony credits Kingdom Lifeline for the positive & Godly influence in his life.

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CRIME

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CRIME	Joy In Our Town #110116B	29:00	13:42	LCL	PA

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 8/21/17 @ 5:30 PM, 8/22/17 @ 4:00 AM

In this segment of 'Joy in our Town', Host Emily Young speaks with Chris Baker, Founder of INK 180. INK 180 was founded to help former gang members remove their gang tattoos. They have since furthered their ministry to include victims of human trafficking. In addition, they also minister to their clients and teach them about the Gospel Jesus Christ. Chris also gives insight into how fellow Christians can be of assistance and help those without biases and discrimination towards the victims. Also discussed is how it is difficult to pool consistent resources and should not be taken lightly. Chris Baker discusses why the removal of gang tattoos is important to former gang members; including the safety of the client and helping them to move forward as a new creation in Christ.

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CRIME	Joy In Our Town #110116B	29:00	14:48	LCL	PA

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 8/21/17 @ 5:30 PM, 8/22/17 @ 4:00 AM

In this segment of 'Joy in our Town', Host Emily Young continues her discussion with Chris Baker of INK 180. Chris Baker begins this segment by speaking about what trafficking tattoos look like and where they are often located on the victim's body. He goes on to add that gangs have recently become more involved in human trafficking, because gangs have found that they can make more money selling a person than selling drugs or guns. When asked, how do victims get out of the sex trafficking world? Chris states that it often happens because they are rescued by a law enforcement agency. He then describes the process that many of these people go through, including medical treatment, counseling, and help with legal battles before they are brought to INK 180 to have the tattoos removed and Chris or a member of his team share the Gospel of Jesus Christ with them. He states that many survivors don't want to hear about God or Jesus and often ask "Where was God when, I was being abused, sold, forced to take drugs...?" Chris shares that he often tells them his own story about the change that God made in his life and explains to them that Satan is their oppressor and that there is hope and another way through Jesus Christ. He goes on to add that it is incredibly important to have people praying for those that are involved in gangs, human trafficking, domestic violence and self-harm. Chris states that amazing things have happened because of prayer alone. Chris is asked to talk about the outcome that is seen for those that have had tattoos removed or covered and he states that so many are thankful to no longer have a constant reminder of their past lives. He states transformation often occurs once that tattoo is gone. He references 2 Corinthians 5:17 says "If you believe, He will make you brand new." Chris then adds, that no community is immune to human trafficking, gang violence, or domestic violence. He closes the segment by praying for those involved in gangs and human trafficking.

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# FAMILY

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FAMILY	Joy In Our Town #170904A	30:00	8:00	REC	PA

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 9/4/17 @ 5:30 PM, 9/5/17 @ 4:00 AM

Tyler Hill interviews Pastor Darryl Webster of Emmanuel Missionary Baptist Church (EMBC) is the founder of Men's Spiritual Boot Camp. Pastor Webster says that statistics show that 40% of kids in America go to bed without a father in the home. More kids commit crimes because of fatherlessness. More children have emotional disorders because of fatherlessness. Many men are addicted to drugs, pornography, and some just don't know what being a man really means. EMBC Boot Camp was started because of so much crime in the neighborhoods. A group of men from EMBC went to the street corners to preach the gospel and hand out bible tracks. In the beginning, the men coming to Boot Camp had problematic issues because of the crime issue in the local community. Social workers say that men grapple with issues. Pastor Webster says that every man has an unresolved issue in his soul whether he is an urban man, an entrepreneur, an educated man or a professional. The Men's Spiritual Boot Camp analogy came from the idea that men in the army need specialized training in order to be able to fight the battles in war. The Boot Camp uses the same metaphor to help men to become better fathers, husbands and men. Pastor Webster says that he was called to do something different to reach men and go deeper into the issues. He made a clarion call to invite men to a 5:45am service. 40 to 60 men came to Boot Camp and moms began bringing their five year old sons. Pastor Webster says that he found that this was a much deeper problem than just reaching adult males. Now there are 300 men in the program that are working on the transformation of their character. Men from all walks of life are coming to Boot Camp to address the issues in their lives. Men are riding bikes and carpooling. Moms drop off their sons at 5:45am to attend Boot Camp. Statistics say that if you do anything for 21 days it becomes a habit. During the 21 days, the first thing they do is a boot camp regimen with physical exercise. Next is the *boot camp principle* where men stand and say things like..."Life is in session. Are you present?" or "You gotta know yourself to grow yourself". Next is worship and training sessions with lessons about self-inflicted wounds, childhood wounds, father wounds and relationship wounds. Many men are hurting but they are learning about manhood from the barbershop, business table and the bar. Pastor Webster says that it is important to find biblical men principles from the Bible. Some who were disconnected from their children are now responsible fathers. Men who become Boot Camp guys are required to give back. They are boot camp disciples who mentor in the schools and disciple men at Boot Camp. [www.embcbootcamp.com](http://www.embcbootcamp.com).

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**AIR DATE & TIME:** 9/4/17 @ 5:30 PM, 9/5/17 @ 4:00 AM

Gary Cheney, Director of ShareFest Will County, appears on Joy in Our Town to share about, ShareFest Will County and the impact this ministry is having on the local community. Mr. Cheney states that the organization began in 2000. The ministry helps senior citizens, veterans, and families in need. ShareFest does service projects in the community in addition to holding out-reach events to help those in need. He shares that the organization holds job fairs and that they have seen several people get hired at the event and begin their new job the very next day. In addition to job fairs they also hold events that provide medical and dental care to people who are uninsured or under-insured. Events that are put on by ShareFest Will County often times provide food, clothing and books to those who are in need. He adds that everything that we are call to do in Scripture, is happening at one big event. Mr. Cheney states that it takes many, many, volunteers and people who are willing to serve others to make these events happen, he adds that hundreds of families are served at these events. The hope of the organization is to see the events duplicated in other communities. Mr. Cheney goes on to share a testimony about how he has been blessed by being a part of this ministry. He states that it is "easy to give the love of Christ but it is often difficult to receive the love of Christ." Mr. Cheney closes out the segment by pointing out that although ShareFest Will County is a very complex ministry it is also very simple and that simple part is going out into the community to "live out what Christ has called us to do."

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FAMILY	700 Club CBN NewsWatch #07272017	1:00:00	5:00	REC	PA/O/E

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 9/27/17 @ 2:00 PM

CBN News Reporter Jennifer Wishon Reports: While the world has embraced paid family leave for new moms and even dads, the U.S. is just starting to discuss whether it should be a priority and how to pay for it. But now one of the nation's most famous moms, Ivanka Trump, is throwing her weight behind making it a reality. When Young gave birth nearly two years ago she took three months off from work. Under the Family Medical Leave Act, employers are required to protect an employee's job for 12 weeks while they take time off after giving birth or adopting a child, but they don't have to pay the worker. Still, many companies like Young's do let workers use their accrued sick and vacation days. It's an important time for a mom and her baby. Research backs her up. Failure of a mom to spend adequate time with her baby early on can affect the child's health, cognitive development and behavior. Dr. Brad Wilcox is a sociologist at the University of Virginia. The United States is the only industrialized nation that doesn't guarantee moms pay while they're on maternity leave. First daughter and mother of three, Ivanka Trump, is using her role as presidential advisor to change that. During the campaign, she joined her father as he announced his plan to provide six weeks paid maternity leave to women working for companies that don't offer it. However, as President, Trump put \$10 billion in his budget proposal to pay for it. Under his plan states would be responsible for determining how much a mother gets. Sen. Marco Rubio, R-Fla., recently invited Ivanka to Capitol Hill to discuss her plans. He says lawmakers want to address the fact that many people don't have children because they can't afford to take unpaid time off from work. Still, many Republicans don't like Ivanka's plan to use tax-dollars to pay for it. On the other side of the aisle, many Democrats don't think it goes far enough. Romina Boccia is an economic expert at the Heritage Foundation. Boccia believes the federal government could make it easier for employers to come up with solutions that work for them and their employees. Across the country, state lawmakers are paying attention to the issue. California, New Jersey, Rhode Island and New York currently or will soon offer paid family leave and in Washington D.C., city council has granted workers up to eight weeks of leave with pay. That proposal is subject to Congressional approval. In the private sector, there's also a push to offer generous maternity and family leave policies in an effort to retain talent. For example, Netflix let's employees take up to a year off for a birth or adoption. Still research and public opinion seem to be colliding. And then there's the dilemma of who should pay for it: the government or private sector? The District of Columbia is taxing businesses to pay for its program. There's also this: Boccia argues offering women a special work benefit will actually hurt their chances of getting hired or being promoted. Still, Pauline Young says, take it from a mom, employers should try to be accommodating. And while Ivanka Trump will continue to use her powerful megaphone to push for paid leave, an agreement on how to get it done is still many births away.

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HEALTH	Joy In Our Town #170911B	30:00	8:00	REC	PA

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 9/11/17 @ 5:30 PM, 9/12/17 @ 4:00 AM

Appearing on this segment of "Joy In Our Town" is Nicole Carter who is also known as "Lady Xtreme", Founder of the UPFAD Ministry. Carter explains that her name of "Lady Xtreme" came from her years as a Christian rapper. She explains that she assumed her call in the Body of Christ was rap but God showed her that she was a promoter and an encourager. Her passion through UPFAD is for people with disabilities. When asked how she combats stereotypes in the entertainment industry when it comes to portraying people with disabilities, Carter states, "I thank God because He is infinite and we are finite. That was one of the things that sparked what I am doing and owning an Arts and Entertainment company. I do have an issue when people which have an actual character that is a person with disabilities and they use an able-bodied person as if the disabilities community is shunned in Hollywood." Carter passionately shares. She explains her passion in life is to shed light on the issue with people that have disabilities face. "Another thing that being a believer in Jesus Christ, I believe that is one of the most awesome ministry tools that we can have because there is an evangelistic component because it gives us an opportunity that extends beyond 'normal' that we can have the Light of Jesus Christ and to win the lost and also have a Light in Hollywood." Carter states. She also says it's her prayer is for God to open more doors for believers of Christ in Hollywood to portray more characters. She also believes that Hollywood needs to bring more awareness to people with disabilities and bring a change through that. UPFAD recently hosted their annual Gospel concert event in downtown Columbus, OH to raise awareness for disabled people. Carter explains that UPFAD stands for Unlimited Possibilities For All Disabilities which is an Arts and Entertainment Company. Carter's oldest son, Steven, (who is disabled) wanted a guitar so Carter bought him one. He immediately started singing in perfect pitch where the Lord spoke to Carter saying, "Unlimited Possibilities". She then desired to create a platform so people can showcase their various talents. She states that many people with disabilities do not have that opportunity so she created one for them. Carter states while at the UPFAD Gospel event that a mother approached her crying and thanking her for creating this event for her disabled child as society judges them and they do not have opportunities like this. Carter also explains that UPFAD gave her and her family hope. This has helped her husband have hope with their son and his future that he will not be left behind by society. The event was deejayed by DeeJay Wheels who is also disabled and is an artist. He was able to introduce people and show off his artwork. People can find out more information about UPFAD at [www.upfad.org](http://www.upfad.org). The segment then switches back to the studio interview with Nicole Carter. Carter closes out the segment by encouraging parents or those with disabilities that "You are great! You are fearfully and wonderfully made. God didn't create an accident. He created you with divine purpose." She ends the segment by praying for those watching.

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HEALTH	Joy In Our Town #170925C	30:00	8:00	REC	PA

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 9/25/17 @ 5:30 PM, 9/26/17 @ 4:00 AM

June Rochelle welcomes Hal Blank, Chief Pilot and Shelli Engle, RN and Flight Nurse for Grace on Wings. Hal says that Grace on Wings serves people in the US that need air ambulance service for various critical medical concerns who may be too ill for a regular flight or long distance ground transport. Most families have insurance but insurance will not pay for transport of a loved one with health issues. Many families are unable to raise \$25,000 to \$50,000, depending on the level of care that is needed, for an air ambulance transport. They have lost hope in getting their loved ones served and to get the treatment that they need. Hal says that he was a healthcare practitioner and a pilot as well. Shelli says that she takes phone calls of patients or case managers for patients with a need. She explains to them how Grace on Wings works. If the patient chooses Grace on Wings, they send all of the paperwork and clinical information. Shelli, Hal and the medical director assess the patient's needs. Ambulance transport has to be set up at both ends because everything has to be timed perfectly so that when they land there is an ambulance waiting to get the patient transported in a timely matter the medical facility. Adjustments are made when necessary according to patient's needs or other issues that might arise. Hal says that one of the challenges is getting the patient to the next location expeditiously, before something occurs or life threatening issues develop as the patient is being cared for in the aircraft. One major issue is the weather. He says that they constantly monitor the weather. Sometimes storms dissipate miraculously right in front of them. Hal says, how can we not give of ourselves for our neighbors and people that we love. Grace on Wings stands on 1 Peter 4:10 and that each one of us has been given a gift to serve one another. Be good stewards of God's various gifts of grace. Grace On Wings is a member of *The Air Medical Physician Association*, *The Association of Air Medical Services* and *The National Business Aviation Association*. [www.graceonwings.org](http://www.graceonwings.org)

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HEALTH	Dr. Leaf Show #000027	27:30	27:30	REC	PA/O/E

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 7/12/17 @ 5:30 PM

Today on the Dr. Leaf Show, Dr. Caroline Leaf is joined by Dr. Avery M. Jackson, III, a board-certified neurosurgeon, and a Christian, to discuss how prayer activates your brain and benefits the people you pray for. Ninety-nine percent of his patients are more than happy to pray prior to surgery, and more often than not, when they believe, it had a very calming effect on the patients and the families very much are touched. Dr. Avery explains that prayer is a form of conversation with God in various ways. When we pray and the spiritual energy of God moves from the throne of Grace, it changes whatever it hits and that change physically results in structural change in our brain. Dr. Leaf shared that it has been found that twelve minutes of daily focus prayer over an eight-week period can change the brain to such an extent that it can be measured on a brain scan.

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HEALTH	Dr. Leaf Show #000028	27:30	27:30	REC	PA/O/E

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 7/19/17 @ 5:30 PM

Today on the Dr. Leaf Show, Dr. Caroline Leaf is joined by Dr. Avery M. Jackson, III, a neurosurgeon and spinal surgeon, and Dr. Jeffrey Schwartz, a neuroscientist and psychiatrist, to discuss taking responsibility for our thought lives. Dr. Leaf explains that only a few decades ago scientists considered the brain to be a fixed and hardwired machine. This view saw the damaged brain as incurable and the focus was compensation and not restoration of function. However, research shows that we can change the physical nature of our brain through our thinking and choosing as we consciously direct our thinking. We can wire our toxic patterns of thinking and replace them with healthy new thoughts - and new thought networks grow. We can increase our intelligence and bring healing to our minds and physical bodies. It all starts in the realm of the mind with our ability to think and feel and choose. Not everyone is aware of the power they have because we are so conditioned by society and the media. Dr. Jeffrey recommends taking time for reflection. Learn how to veto some of the onslaught of sensory information, sensory overload that floods your brain. Learn how to make choices and decisions. That is the power of the mind, choices and decisions about what to focus on in consultation with the wise advocate, your Holy Spirit.

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HEALTH	Dr. Leaf Show #000029	27:30	27:30	REC	PA/O/E

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 7/26/17 @ 5:30 PM

Today on the Dr. Leaf Show, Dr. Caroline Leaf asks the question: "If love is the most powerful force in the world, then why does communication between man and woman often feel more like war than love?" Nowhere is this more painfully evident than in the relationship designed to be filled with love, the bond between a husband and a wife. Divorce, separation, and ugly breakups leave lasting wounds that take time to heal, wounds that go beyond the man and the woman and impact the entire family as a whole. Because God created families as the foundation of society, it's not an overstatement to say that the future of the world depends on our ability to love and understand one another. Dr. Leaf and her guests, her husband Mac, and good friends, Mel and Desiree Ayres, discuss some of the challenges they experienced in their marriage as well as pearls of wisdom. Dr. Leaf explains that God has called us to help each other and that understanding male and female brain differences can help us to immerse each other in love.

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HEALTH	Dr. Leaf Show #000019	27:30	27:30	REC	PA/O/E

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 8/9/17 @ 5:30 PM

Today on the Dr. Leaf Show, Dr. Caroline Leaf is joined by Dr. Avery M. Jackson, III, a board-certified neurosurgeon, with complex spine fellowship training, to discuss Osteoporosis. There are two types of Osteoporosis. There's primary osteoporosis and then there's secondary. Primary osteoporosis is specifically when there's a change in menopause, postmenopausal. Secondary osteoporosis is due to diabetes. Inactivity is another. Lifestyle choices such as smoking, and drinking alcoholic beverages, can also cause osteoporosis. There's a whole host of other disease processes that can cause secondary osteoporosis, like thyroid issues. Certain medications are very helpful that are anabolic or that help to build bone. But, likewise, you can really focus on the diet side and exercise. Your diet, your exercise and your water intake are really important pieces.

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HEALTH	The Perfect You #000031	27:30	27:30	REC	PA/O/E

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 8/16/17 @ 5:30 PM

Today on The Perfect You a Blueprint for Identity with Dr. Caroline Leaf, Dr. Leaf asks the question, "Do you understand you?" We're not a product of blind, evolutionary forces. We are designed. We're in a world that encourages us to actually try to be like someone else in order to be successful. If we try and be someone else, you make a lousy someone else. We actually cause confusion inside of ourselves; creating conflict because we are going against the natural design of who we are. You are not defined by where you are now, or where you have been, but where you will be. God understands you and if you look at scripture in Ecclesiastes 3:11 it says that God has laid a piece of eternity in us, a divine sense of purpose, and that we're made in God's image. So many scriptures confirm that we have been perfected in Christ and in Him we have our perfection. Dr. Leaf calls it the "Perfect You Concept" where we have this eternal nature made in God's image that is a perfect you nature. There is something you can do that no one else can do because you are unique. "Unique" means: stand alone or set apart. Science shows that this uniqueness is a part of our design. You stand alone. There's no one like you. You have influence over your destiny. Choice is very, very fundamental in activating your perfect you, and it's a lifelong process. The perfect you concept gives you the tools to actually self-examine so that you can learn how to self-reflect, become self-regulatory, and become more aware of your thought life. This also helps you to answer Jesus' call because you have a call on your life.

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HEALTH	The Perfect You #000032	27:30	27:30	REC	PA/O/E

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 8/23/17 @ 5:30 PM

Today on The Perfect You a Blueprint for Identity with Dr. Caroline Leaf, Dr. Leaf discusses what the concept of subjective experience feels like, and this difference between us, and how we can actually mess this up by going down our own pathway, or enhance this by stepping into the perfect you and operating like we should. When we say, "This is how I feel," we also need to check and self-examine the "what you're feeling" because sometimes it's a toxic thing that you've got used to thinking and feeling that way. In science, it is called automatization, which is a fancy word for forming a habit. Increase your awareness of your difference. You're different and that difference is fantastic. Difference is not a value judgment. Difference is something to celebrate. As you celebrate and become interested in someone else's experience, you enhance your own perfect you functioning and your own brain health. You actually grow brain cells. You increase your intelligence.

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HEALTH	The Perfect You #000033	27:20	27:20	REC	PA/O/E

**AIR DATE & TIME:** 8/30/17 @ 5:30 PM

Today on The Perfect You a Blueprint for Identity with Dr. Caroline Leaf, Dr. Leaf discusses how the brain can change. She shares how, back in the eighties, it was believed that the brain could not change. She and other scientists began researching the fact that the brain can actually change as the result of the mind. The mind is separate from the brain and the mind can change the brain. This whole concept of renewing our mind goes hand in hand with the scientific concept of neuroplasticity. "Neuro" meaning brain." "Plastic" meaning change. So when you are in the perfect you, you are actually changing your brain in the right direction. The converse applies and it's called "the plastic paradox." When you get out of your perfect you, you change your brain the wrong direction and create a lot of confusion and conflict in you because it's supposed to stay in your perfect you. You don't have to get stuck in the toxicity, in the problem, you can get out of them. You can change your brain. The brain simply does what the mind tells it to do.

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Today on The Perfect You a Blueprint for Identity with Dr. Caroline Leaf, Dr. Leaf discusses how you are unique. There is a scientific body of research that confirms that you are unique. Scientists have been challenged by the fact that every single person has their own unique way of thinking. The thoughts that you actually build inside your brain are completely unique and different to everyone else. The perfect you concept is that you have a perfect you, that you have this eternal nature that is perfect and it is specific to you and it acts like a filter. It exists because God already created it. However, because we have free will, we go through life using our free will learning about our perfect you nature. So, we literally have to press in to what is actually calling us. Like gravity pulls things toward itself, our perfect you nature is pulling us towards ourselves. The perfect you is how you uniquely think, feel, and choose in your perfect state. It's like this filter that gives you your own unique perception. The result of being out of the perfect you is toxic thinking. When you think correctly, you actually build healthy thoughts. Scripture in the book of Acts says in Him we live, move, and have our being. And that makes so much sense when it comes to the perfect you because to get to know the perfect you, you have to get to know God and vice versa. You're getting to know yourself and you're getting to know God by recognizing that your perfect you is in Him. We're made in His image.

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Today on The Perfect You a Blueprint for Identity with Dr. Caroline Leaf, Dr. Leaf discusses how if you can understand the spark of the divine in you and start getting a glimpse of that, it will transform the way that you actually function. Research shows that there are only two types of emotion; love emotions or fear emotions. We know that in the perfect you, that's where the love emotions are going to be. We know that in the imperfect you, that's the opposite, and it's the fear emotions. Because emotions give things color and flavor and gives it a lot of power and energy, it impacts how you feel and how other people feel. So, the more you think about something and the more you grow that thought, the stronger the attitude of the thought becomes. So, we need to be very careful what we're thinking about all the time. We also need to recognize that attitudes don't control us. We control our biology. We control our attitude. Attitudes are real and no thought is harmless. Mental ill health is not a disease. You actually can change the situation.

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Today on The Perfect You a Blueprint for Identity with Dr. Caroline Leaf, Dr. Leaf discusses how you can learn to get your emotions under control. Research shows that 75-98% of all illnesses come from our thought life. Our thinking in the perfect you becomes essential in creating the correct environment for our body. Science is actually showing what Philippians 4:8 talks about -- think on these things, good, pure, true, -- all that good stuff actually changes the environment. So, epigenetics is literally that Philippians scripture in action. Why should you control your toxic emotions? Because you're causing brain damage. You can fix the brain damage by fixing your thoughts. Why don't you be proactive and actually capture those toxic emotions and toxic thoughts before they become a problem? Be aware of your emotional reactions. Focus on your feelings and evaluate if they are toxic or if they are healthy. Are they in the perfect you or the imperfect you? Evaluate and write down how often you are in a toxic state and how you feel in that state, as well as the positive.

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CBN News Reporter Amber C. Strong Reports: Lyn Balfours' story is all too common. She has spent 27 years with the U.S. Army and is a Bronze Star recipient. She was a soldier's soldier – until her last tour, when something happened. She returned to the states and didn't tell a soul, not her superiors, not even her husband. Balfour began to pick up the pieces of her life, leaving the pain behind or so she thought. So, her life when on. Balfour took a job, began raising baby Bryce and tried to ignore the nagging presence of anxiety and depression. But matters took a devastating turn when a break in her normal routine led to tragic consequences. Despite Balfour's attempts at CPR, it was 66 degrees that day in Virginia and baby Bryce had died. Balfour was tried and later cleared of 2nd degree murder charges. After the trial, she visited a doctor and figured out the one thing that was causing her depression, anxiety, and need for a regular routine to avoid stress. She was diagnosed with severe complex post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD), something she apparently had been battling since that sexual assault years earlier. She says her PTSD possibly led to her inability to deal with the stress of that day. PTSD – four letters that have changed the lives of our nation's veterans. It affects each person differently. For some, it causes anxiety or a lack of interest. For others, it means a need for routine, uncontrollable anger, forgetfulness and suicidal thoughts. Ret. Lt. Colonel Robert Vicci is the CEO of VetRest, a faith-based non-profit group helping to treat the effects of the disorder that claims so many lives. Those vets are then linked with fellow veterans to directly address the root cause of their PTSD. In addition to counseling, Vicci also uses faith as a means of healing. But VetRest and other groups like it can't help so many vets alone. Vicci says federal regulations keep some veterans from getting the help they need from the government. Veterans Affairs Secretary Dr. David Shulkin said he is working to overturn the regulations that let certain vets slip through the cracks. But discharge status isn't the only thing keeping vets from getting help from the VA. There are also problems with backlogs and patients waiting long periods of time to get an appointment. Shulkin also pointed to a disconnect between the health record system kept by the Department of Defense and the VA. Shulkin has streamlined that system by making sure both departments are using the same record keeping software. The White House is cracking down on corruption inside the VA and says that veteran suicide is its top clinical priority. On Capitol Hill, a new bill will make it easier to get rid of bad employees inside the VA. The VA Accountability and Whistleblower Protection Act will cut down on the red tape that helped cultivate the culture of dysfunction. That bill passed with bipartisan support. Vicci is praising those changes. In the meantime, groups like VetRest will continue to fill the gaps to make certain vets get the help they need. Balfour is now a chapter director of VetRest. She says she will never forget that fateful day in Virginia and she has made it her new mission to warn parents about the dangers of hot cars and warn the world about the harrowing effects of PTSD.

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CBN News Reporter Lorie Johnson Reports: If you drink or eat anything with artificial sweeteners, you might want to reconsider. New research shows they can hurt our brains and heart, and believe it or not, don't even help us lose weight. Sadly, our country's weight problem is only getting worse. The U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention reports a staggering 71% of adults qualify as overweight or obese. That translates into increased rates of various health problems such as heart disease, cancer and diabetes. It's not just America. In June, *The New England Journal of Medicine* reported much of the entire world is getting fatter . . . and paying a price: Four million deaths, 60% caused by obesity, and the other 40% from "just" being overweight. Experts say the root cause of the weight problem can be summed up in one word: sugar. Most Americans consume more than 150 pounds a year, often hidden in foods you'd never expect and obvious in others. For example, just one can of soda contains more than nine teaspoons of sugar. With that in mind, it's no wonder so many people turn to diet sodas containing zero-calorie artificial sweeteners in an effort to reduce their sugar intake. But that's a bad choice for a number of reasons. A new study out of Boston University revealed people who drink diet soda have three times the risk of developing dementia and having a stroke, and that's people who drink just one a day. Cleveland Clinic's Chief Wellness Officer, Dr. Michael Roizen, author of the book, *Age Proof*, advises people to avoid diet sodas as well as the hundreds of other products containing fake sugar. Dr. Roizen believes the main problem with artificial sweeteners such as aspartame, saccharine and sucralose is that they can disrupt our internal microbiome, also known as our gut flora. Dr. David Perlmutter, a neurologist and author of *Brain Maker* says artificial sweeteners throw-off the delicate balance of good and bad bacteria. He says when that happens, our minds suffer the consequences. Perlmutter recommends boosting good gut bacteria for optimal brain health. That involves avoiding artificial sweeteners. It also means consuming probiotics, which can be found in supplements as well as in foods such as yogurt and fermented vegetables such as kimchee. Perlmutter also suggests consuming pre-biotics to nurture the good bacteria. They can be found in supplements as well as foods like dandelion greens and jicama. People consume artificial sweeteners to control their weight. But believe it or not, a number of scientific studies reveal they actually cause us to gain weight. One reason goes back to the gut. Nutritionist J.J. Virgin, author of *The Sugar Impact Diet* says the artificial sweeteners Stevia, Xylitol, Erithrotol and Monk Fruit (also called Lo Han) appear to be much healthier choices than the others, especially when it comes to our gut health. However, she cautions even the healthiest artificial sweeteners can lead to weight gain. Not only that, but our DNA plays a role in artificial sweeteners leading to weight gain. Genetics predispose an estimated three-fourths of people to have an addiction to sweets. Put simply, that means among three out of four people, the more artificial sweeteners they consume, the more they crave all sweets, fake and real. With that in mind, health experts say the best plan is to turn off the sweet tooth. Do that by removing sweet from your taste buds altogether. Dr. Roizen said it's not as difficult as it sounds. J.J. Virgin proved this theory by testing 700 self-proclaimed sugar addicts. So while eating too much sugar is definitely hazardous to our health, artificial sweeteners can be just as bad for us, maybe even worse. That's why the healthiest solution is to remove all sweets from the diet, both real and fake.

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CBN News Reporter Lorie Johnson Reports: Just the word "Alzheimer's" can be frightening. It steals memories and is one of America's leading causes of death. However, CBN News spoke to Dr. Dale Bredesen, author of the book, *The End of Alzheimer's*, who has been researching Alzheimer's for decades. He has concluded it can be a rare disease that only few people get. The key, he says, is early testing of Alzheimer's 36 causes and a personalized approach to deal with any shortcomings. 69-year-old Sally Weinrich is one of Dr. Bredesen's hundreds of success stories. CBN News caught up with her at South Carolina home where she said her life is good again now that thanks to Dr. Bredesen's protocol, her Alzheimer's symptoms reversed. Her husband Martin says he's thrilled to once again be with the confident, intelligent woman he married. Sally is one of many patients with mild to moderate cognitive impairment to experience never-before-seen improvements thanks to a revolutionary treatment developed by Dr. Bredesen. Initially, Dr. Bredesen published his research results in peer-reviewed medical journals such as *Aging*, in which he showed significant improvement in 90% of respondents. Just like a roof with 36 holes can only work if all 36 are repaired, Dr. Bredesen says there are 36 causes of Alzheimer's that must all be addressed. His treatment centers on figuring out exactly why a person is experiencing cognitive decline and correcting those deficiencies. Sally and Martin sensed trouble when she began forgetting things like her grandchildren's names and her purse at the grocery. A test confirmed she was in the early stages of Alzheimer's. Likewise, Sally's behavior shook her husband Martin. Martin, a scientific researcher, scoured the internet for help. He found Dr. Bredesen's protocol and got Sally on board. Dr. Bredesen said Sally and Martin were wise to act quickly. Sally got what Dr. Bredesen calls a cognoscopy. That involves blood work, genetic tests and more to identify where she was and when it came to Alzheimer's 36 causes. Sally's results pin-pointed specific areas of concern. After her cognoscopy revealed the specific things that were contributing to her cognitive decline, she started a tailor-made treatment zeroing-in on a number of areas where she personally needed to change. In that case, it meant taking certain medicines, vitamins and supplements, sleeping more and worrying less. Sally started eating a ketogenic diet as part of her treatment. That means no sugar and very few other carbohydrates. Sally eliminated her exposure to certain toxins like mold and pesticides, addressed hidden infections in her body and much more. Dr. Bredesen said results can be seen fairly rapidly. When it comes to sustainability, Dr. Bredesen says patients who have been on the program for five years now are still mentally fit. So while genetics mean an estimated 75 million Americans, such as Sally Weinrich, are predisposed to have Alzheimer's disease, Dr. Dale Bredesen says they no longer have to fear being tested because now there is something they can do about it.

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CBN News Reporter Lorie Johnson Reports: Hippocrates, the father of medicine, once said, "All disease begins in the gut." Now, 2,000 years later, that belief still rings true. Some of our latest medical breakthroughs focus on what's happening in our intestinal system. Bacteria, also known as bugs or germs, we assume they're all bad, right? Not so fast. Scientists recently discovered much, if not most, of the bacteria in our body is good for us. The key to good health depends on having enough of the right kind. We all have trillions of bacteria living in our intestines—hundreds of different species, each with different functions. Scientists call it our "gut flora." Neurologist Dr. David Perlmutter, author of "Brain Maker" is one of many physicians warning against disrupting this fragile ecosystem. Dr. Vincent Pedre, author of "Happy Gut," agrees. Unfortunately, when it comes to good gut bacteria, many of us are sorely lacking. After all, antibiotics kill bacteria--bad and good. Perlmutter says most people have no idea how severely antibiotics damage our gut flora. In addition to antibiotics, processed food can also disrupt the gut biome. Perlmutter says processed foods contain heavy doses of the wrong kinds of fat, like heated oils such as soybean, corn and vegetable oils. He also advises against consuming hydrogenated oils, also known as Trans fats, which are common in processed foods. However, he points out not all fat is bad. Even babies delivered by Caesarian section can miss out on getting enough good bacteria. So while our lifestyle choices really do a number on the gut bacteria that's so critical to our health, the good news is we can improve it with probiotics and prebiotics. Probiotics are the good bacteria we need and often lack. You can find these living, microscopic organisms in supplements as well as in cultured and fermented foods like kim chee, sauerkraut, yogurt, kefir and kombucha. Prebiotics are the food for the probiotics - they keep probiotics living and growing as they should. Just like good soil, they create a nurturing environment in your gut so your bacteria can thrive. You can get prebiotics in supplement form as well as in foods, like asparagus, onions, leeks, garlic and dandelion greens. Perlmutter says many people are only aware of the benefits of probiotics, but he stresses prebiotics are equally important. Not only can it help your mood — Perlmutter says even serious brain disorders, like attention deficit hyperactivity disorder, autism, even Alzheimer's disease can improve by increasing good bacteria. That's because they help make neurotransmitters and vitamins while at the same time aid in reducing harmful inflammation. And not just the brain. Scientists are now identifying specific strains of good bacteria that treat all kinds of problems, from skin rashes to the flu. That means a targeted probiotic could take the place of a prescribed drug. Pedre says that opens the door to a wide range of natural treatments. So if you want to boost your health, doctors say improve your gut flora. That means avoiding processed foods, even antibacterial cleansers and antibiotics when advisable. Then add good bacteria with probiotics and boost them with prebiotics, also available as supplements or in certain foods.

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CBN News Reporter Lorie Johnson Reports: Maybe you've heard the age-old saying, "Music has charms to soothe the savage beast." Back then, people believed in the healing power of music. Today, hundreds of years later, medical research shows they were onto something. Music therapy is now a growing part of many treatments. For example, when a massive stroke tried to take James Rodriguez's speech, the Music and Medicine program at Virginia's Sentara Healthcare helped him get it back. James belts out "Amazing Grace" and all the old hymns that bring back happy memories from his days in the church choir. We actually use more of our brain when we sing the same phrase versus when we speak it because when we are singing we have rhythm, melody, and emotion. That's how music can energize disabled parts of the mind. Patients first sing words in everyday language. James sings, "Hamburger Steak." Then immediately transitions to speaking those same words, "hamburger steak." James' wife Sandra says music therapy had made a huge difference in their lives. In fact, James now spontaneously speaks around the house. People with other brain issues also enjoy the benefits of music therapy. For example, 96-year old Mike Knutson is like a new man ever since beginning it. University of Wisconsin researchers discovered improvements in quality of life indicators like mood and memory when dementia patients like Mike would regularly listen to music. Dana Kugler, who works at Mike's nursing home, couldn't believe the change she witnessed. Mike's family noticed it too. The key to music therapy for dementia patients is making sure to choose the right music for the patient to listen to. It has to be music the patient loves. For Mike, that means the Big Band sound. Of course, other patients prefer different music: Sinatra, classical, you name it. So each patient listens to their own unique playlist. Mike's daughter noticed such a change, she took music therapy a step further. She makes music a part of each visit with her dad. They sing together, and she even gave him a harmonica for him to play just like he used to when she was a little girl. Turns out, he's pretty good. Scientists discovered listening to music we love triggers the neurological chemical dopamine, which activates our brain's pleasure center. In addition to advising his cancer patients to listen to music they love, oncologist Steve Eisenberg really goes the extra mile. With guitar in hand, he serenades them himself. As if that's not enough, the songs he sings are ones he wrote specifically for each and every patient. The lyrics are designed to inspire and encourage. One of his patients, Dawn Mannio, who's struggling with stage 4 cancer, said it was just the boost she needed at one of her lowest points in life. She is still surprised any doctor would go to such lengths for their patients. Dr. Eisenberg cites a growing number of studies proving music's value. So whether you're trying to get well or just maintain good health, music can help. It can strengthen the mind, lower blood pressure and reduce pain and anxiety.