## Community Education Broadcasting, Inc. Educational/Public Issues Report Third Quarter July-September 2019

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## 1. Program: Family Life Today

Area of Concern: Family/Parenting/Relationships/Faith Length/Frequency/Total Time: 30 minutes/ Daily Monday-Friday/ 2 Hours and 30 Minutes Total Time Per Week.

Description: Bob Lepine hosts this program which deals with family/relationships issues from a Biblical perspective. The following are a list of topics:

- No Series Monday, July1—Stepdad Challenges Ronnie Tyler may have been in love with her husband, Lamar, but as a strong, self-confident woman, she wasn't that interested in his help with raising her two children from a previous relationship. Ron Deal explores the complex nuances of blended relationships, on FAMILYLIFETODAY.
- Series: Gay Girl, Good God Tuesday, July2—A Deliberate Rebellion Writer and poet Jackie Hill Perry reflects on her youth and the circumstances that influenced her to consciously rebel against her upbringing and her God. Jackie talks with Dave and Ann Wilson on FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Wednesday, July3—Love's Pursuit Despite her lifestyle, Jackie Hill Perry sensed that God was actively pursuing her. In 2008, she felt God speaking to her heart. Perry tells Dave and Ann Wilson how her life slowly began to change, on the next edition of FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Thursday, July4—Finding Your Identity in Christ Jackie Hill Perry talks to Dave and Ann Wilson about her former life. She says that ultimately we are all sinners saved by grace, each bearing the image of a living God. The question isn't why we're tempted, but when. Hear more about Jackie's journey,on FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Friday, July5—Where I End Katherine Clark was a busy mom. But one day, the arc of her life was redirected by an accidental blow to her neck from a playful 9-year-old boy. In an instant, she was paralyzed and immobile. Katherine talks to Kim Anthony about her two-year journey of fear, faith, acceptance, and healing from total paralysis, on FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Series: Marriage After God Monday, July 8—Facing Difficulties On FAMILYLIFE TODAY, Aaron and Jennifer Smith, authors of "Marriage After God" share with Dave and Ann Wilson their journey through the early years of marriage and the struggles they had with intimacy. It's their story of perseverance to do it God's way
- Tuesday, July9—Facing the Enemy Authors and bloggers, Aaron and Jennifer Smith, tell how intimacy issues made it impossible to consummate their marriage and in Aaron's frustration, he chose the destructive path of pornography. Hear how Aaron found freedom from that sin and how Jennifer learned to be his ally, on the next FAMILYLIFE TODAY.



- Wednesday, July10—Living on Mission Aaron and Jennifer Smith believed God had called them together, but the difficulties in their first few years had them wondering if they might have made a mistake. Despite their early challenges in marriage, they discovered together their mission, and they remind us to invest in the kingdom of God by starting in our own home. Hear more, on FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Series: Let Boys Be Boys Thursday, July11—A Boy's Sense of Self On FAMILYLIFE TODAY, Mark Hancock talks about the need for boys to develop a healthy sense of self as they struggle with the true measure of manhood. Inspired by risk and competition, boys need lots of physical activity to engage the brain, something he's trying to instill through the Trail Life USA scouting program.
- Friday, July 12—What a Boy Needs Trail Life USA CEO Mark Hancock talks about the differences between boys and girls and the need to have boy-specific activities in scouting programs. Hear Mark explain to Dave and Ann Wilson the need to challenge boys and call out their inner competitor, on the next FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Series: Ready or Knot Monday, July 15—Where are You Spiritually? Are
  you and your sweetheart on the same page spiritually? On FAMILYLIFE
  TODAY, pastor and author Scott Kedersha tells Dave and Ann Wilson why
  it's important to talk about your faith with your fiancé, before tying the knot.
- Tuesday, July 16—Understanding Differences According to Scott Kedersha, author of "Ready or Knot," one of the biggest issues for engaged couples is dealing with differences. But, the benefit of marrying someone who's different is that it helps us become more like Christ. Hear more from Scott when he joins Dave and Ann Wilson on the next FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Wednesday, July 17—Settling the Money Issues Pastor and author Scott Kedersha says there are several conversations every couple should have before marriage, and one of those includes finances. On FAMILYLIFE TODAY, he explains to Dave and Ann Wilson the financial differences a man and a woman bring into a relationship encouraging couples considering marriage to ask the hard questions now.
- Series:7 Habits of Healthy Marriage and Family Thursday, July18—Grow in Relationship with God What does it take to have a thriving family? Brian Carter talks about seven habits healthy families have, and it starts with having your priorities in line, on Family Life Today.
- Friday, July 19—Grow Relationships with Each Other Are there things you
  can do to have a healthy family? Bryan Carter takes us back to the basics,
  with seven habits of healthy families, paying special attention to how we
  spend our time. Bryan concludes his message, on Family Life Today.
- NoSeriesMonday, July22—Divorce Care for Kids Parenting is difficult, but when you add divorce, the challenge multiplies. Navigating even the most routine parental responsibilities can become difficult. On FAMILYLIFE



- TODAY, Linda Ranson Jacobs talks to Ron Deal, offering help and hope to parents who may be struggling.
- Series: Covert Cows and Chick-fil-ATuesday, July23—An Inside Look at Chick-fil-A Steve Robinson reflects on his long-time history with Chick-fil-A, and the core values of the Cathy family that have kept their business thriving. Steve shares with Dave and Ann Wilson what distinguishes Chick-fil-A from all the other fast food restaurants, next on FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Wednesday, July24—The Secret Sauce to Any Good Restaurant On the next FAMILYLIFE TODAY, Steve Robinson, author of "Covert Cows," talks about his 30+year career working as the chief marketing officer for Chick-fil-A and reveals the "secret sauce" of the company's success. Robinson also explains how that foundation for the company's success taught him how to be a good husband and father.
- Series: Parenting with Loving Correction Thursday, July25—The Importance of Discipline On FAMILYLIFE TODAY, pastor and author Sam Crabtree joins Dave and Ann Wilson to talk aboutwhat it means to provideloving discipline in their children's lives. Crabtree further explains that when it comes to discipline, it's important that parents mean what they say and are consistent with the boundaries they set in their homes.
- Friday, July 26—Consistency Is KeyOn the next FAMILYLIFE TODAY,
  Dave and Ann Wilson chat with Pastor Sam Crabtree as he offers parents
  practical help for raising young children. Crabtree encourages parents to
  be consistent in their discipline and shares some of the challenges they
  will face if they don't.
- Series: Fighting For Marriage While Separated Monday, July 29—The Drift Do you feel like your marriage is in turmoil? Marvin and Linda Rooks felt that way early in their marriage. On the next FAMILYLIFE TODAY ,hosts Dave and Ann Wilson hear from the Rooks who tell their story of a nearly perfect marriage... until they had children, then conflict ensued and isolation took its toll.
- Tuesday, July 30—The Separation Marvin and Linda Rooks appeared to have it all. He was an aspiring attorney dedicated to his practice, and she a devoted wife and mother, albeit lonely. Their marriage was adrift on a slow boat to isolation. The Rooks talk with Dave and Ann Wilson about the Easter Sunday that changed everything for them. Listen for the next edition of FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Wednesday, July 31—Resurrecting a Marriage Marvin and Linda Rooks had a great marriage, until they didn't anymore. As pressures mounted and responsibilities grew, they found themselves emotionally distant, and Marvin eventually moved out. On FAMILYLIFE TODAY, the Rooks talk honestly about their three-year separation and fondly remember the circumstances that finally brought them together again.



- NoSeriesThursday, August1—Our Adoption Journey Matt and Glenna Bevin had a heart for adoption, but with five children in the home, the State of Kentucky said "no" on a sixth child. On FAMILYLIFE TODAY, we'll hear how the Bevins' passionate quest to adopt their daughter eventually landed them in the governor's mansion of Kentucky. Meet the Bevins, that is, Governor and First Lady of Kentucky, on the next FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Friday, August2—Alienation from Children, Post-Divorce For some stepcouples, no matter how much they try, the venom and vitriol of the former spouse drowns out all reason and compromise. Rodney and Lisa Webb share their difficult blended journey, as counselor and therapist Helen Wheeler and blended family expert Ron Deal speak wisdom, on the next FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Series: Choose GreatnessMonday, August5—Wise Decisions Brave Men Make Authors Gary Chapman and Clarence Shuler tell about the unique mentoring relationship they began when Shuler was a teen. Together they talk about the eleven wise decisions young men must make in order to live a great life, that's on the next FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Tuesday, August6—Wise Decisions Brave Men Make If you could be a teen again, what would you do differently? Gary Chapman and Clarence Shuler talk about teaching young men to seek knowledge through education, learning from adults, and discovering the truth about God. They discuss some of the biggest challenges teens face, on the next FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Wednesday, August7—So What's Wrong With... Would you like your son to have the same junior high or high school experience you had? Inevitably our kids will step in pot holes along the way to maturity, but Gary Chapman and Clarence Shuler want to help teens avoid them. Together these authors talk honestly to young teens about the challenges they'll face in adolescence, on FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Series: Pressure PointsThursday, August8—The Pressure of Finding Purpose Campus minister Shelby Abbott talks realistically about some of the stressors students face in today's culture. While stress is a natural part of college life, social media can even make it worse. Abbott also addresses the stress of discerning God's will, on FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Friday, August9—The Pressure of Difficulties Author Shelby Abbott reminds listeners that the gospel has solutions for everyday pressures because the gospel is a bottomless pit of grace. Abbott shares his story of struggling through a painful herniated disc and how understanding the character of God helped him lean into God and His grace, everyday. Hear more on the next FAMILYLIFE TODAY
- Series: Don't Give UpMonday, August 12—Three Little Words We All Need to Hear Are you struggling and want to give up? Kyle Idle man is convinced that what most people need to hear are the words, "Don't give



- up." Time and again in Scripture we see believers persevering in the face of trials, and Idle man reminds us that we can too, on the next FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Tuesday, August 13—Throw Off the Weight Pastor Kyle Idle man talks about the value of persevering under trial. So many people are ready to give up, but Idle man encourages the fainthearted to replace the lies they believe with the promises of God, on FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Wednesday, August 14—Run Your Race Kyle Idleman talks about applying Hebrews to our relationships, especially marriage. There are seasons of difficulty in marriage and it takes perseverance and faith to press through the hard times. Idleman lists some of the obstacles, like indifference, that can tank a relationship. Hear more on FAMILYLIFE TODAY. Series: Every Moment Holy
- Thursday, August 15—What Is Liturgy? Douglas Kaine McKelvey talks about the time he was introduced to the Book of Common Prayer and how it changed his thinking about structured prayer. McKelvey explains the meaning of liturgy, and gives an example by reading the liturgy he wrote for the family grieving the loss of a pet, on FAMILYLIFETODAY.
- Friday, August 16—The Beauty of Liturgy Author Douglas Kaine McKelvey shares how we can practice the presence of Christ through the use of liturgical prayers, not just in church, but in our homes. He tells why practicing the presence of God is always a good idea, on the next FAMILYLIFE TODAY
- Series: Boy Mom Monday, August 19—What Your Boy Needs Most Monica Swanson, a mother to four sons, remembers how overwhelmed she felt when her boys were young. Swanson gives her best tips for raising boys while keeping your sanity, on the next FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Tuesday, August20—Not Everything Matters Monica Swanson talks about the challenges and joys of raising boys. She shares some thoughts about helping children find their identity in Christ, on FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Wednesday, August21—Your Boy's Spiritual Formation Monica Swanson talks about the importance of spiritually discipling sons. She encourages parents to be purposeful about incorporating God's Word into their children's daily lives. Hear more on FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- NoSeries Thursday, August22—Refreshment for Stepmoms Stepmoms bear a unique burden, and they often neglect their own care. Melanie Anthony talks to Ron Deal, offering hope for balance in the midst of the burden for weary stepmoms, on FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Friday, August23—Overcomer Movie Director Alex Kendrick and actor Cameron Arnett talk about the Kendrick brothers' latest film, "Overcomer," a movie about identity, on the next FAMILY LIFE TODAY
- Series: Counsel for Couples Monday, August26—A Friend in Need Jonathan Holmes gives practical advice for finding a good Christian counselor. He also says that as Christians, we all can walk beside



- someone in their crisis, even if we don't have all the answers, on the next FAMILY LIFE TODAY.
- Tuesday, August27—Tackling the Tough Issues Jonathan Holmes tackles common problems couples face today, like infidelity and pornography. He also talks about the importance of forgiveness and the necessity of rebuilding trust, on FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Wednesday, August28—Counseling for the Difficult Times Christian counselor Jonathan Holmes talks about the challenges of counseling a spouse experiencing emotional or physical abuse. He also shares how he would counsel a couple experiencing spiritual differences, on FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Thursday, August29—Teaching Your Kids to Pray When teaching kids to pray, Nancy Guthrie admits that thank yous dominate, and requests follow. Guthrie's desire is to see children grounded in the Scriptures and practicing real prayer. If we want our kids to have an intimate relationship with God we need to model that. Hear more, on FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Friday, August30—Praying for Your Kids Nancy Guthrie recalls a season in her parenting when she realized she was worrying a lot more than praying. She realized her desires needed to be shaped by the Word of God. Using the Scriptures to pray helps parents pray for even deeper things. Hear more, on FAMILYLIFE TODAY
- Series: Tying the KnotMonday,September2—The Importance of Premarital Counseling Rob Green talks about the difference between marital roles and expectations. Some things a husband is commanded to do, like living with his wife in an understanding way. But other things, varies from couple to couple. Green reminds couples to talk about their expectations, and building their marriage on Christ, on FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Tuesday, September3—A Christ-Centered Marriage Rob Green talks about the goal of premarital counseling: to help engaged couples see what marriage looks like when Jesus is at the center. Green talks about redflag, and green-light issues to help engaged couples decide whether or not to get married. That's, on the nextFAMILYLIFETODAY.
- Series: First Ask WhyWednesday, September4—Why Are We Doing This?
   Shelly Wildman talks about the guiding parenting principles she used to
   help her focus on the most important things. Wildman and her husband
   wanted to know why they were doing what they were doing. For Wildman,
   that meant living lives on purpose and for God. Wildman explains God's
   purpose for the family on, FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Thursday, September5—A Family on a Mission What does it mean to live on mission? Shelly Wildman believes that if parents want kids who are on fire for the Lord, the parents must have a committed relationship with Christ themselves. Also joining in the discussion is Dave and Ann Wilson's son, Cody on FAMILYLIFE TODAY.



- Friday,September6—Where to Go to School Author Shelly Wildman, a mom to three grown children, joins Dave and Ann Wilson to talk about school choice. Wildman explains why she and her husband picked public education for their family, on FAMILYLIFE TODAY
- Series: The Love of Loves in the Song of SongsMonday, September9— Understanding the Song of Songs Wheaton College President Phil Ryken discusses the greatest love song that has ever been written: the Song of Songs. Ryken shows us how Solomon's passion for his bride mirrors Christ's passion for us, on the next FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Tuesday, September 10—Waiting on Love Today on the broadcast, Phil Ryken helps us understand the deeper meaning behind the Song of Songs by walking us through each alluring chapter. He also reflects on his honeymoon and the wise choice he made after struggling through his and his beloved's first disagreement. That's, on FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Wednesday, September 11—Appreciating the Song of Solomon Wheaton College President Phil Rykensheds some light on the passionate poetry of the Song of Songs. The book is a collection of songs about a couple whose relationship is heading into marriage. Phil Ryken explains the connection between the Song of Songs, and Christ's relationship to his church. Hear more on FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Thursday, September 12—The Power of the Tongue Words can encourage and give life, or they can destroy and kill. Hosts Dave and Ann Wilson tell how they learned this principle the hard way in their marriage and family, on FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Friday,September13—What if He's Not Worthy of Respect? When a
  husband doesn't deserve respect, should his wife show it anyway?
  Shaunti Feldhahn describes what many women have discovered by doing
  just that. Learn about steps wives can take when their husband shows
  little respectability, on the next FAMILYLIFE TODAY
- Series: Fierce Marriage Monday, September 16—Thoughts on Purity Today on the broadcast, Ryan and Selena Frederick reflect on meeting in 8th grade and the romance that unfolded in their high school and college years. Desiring to keep their relationship pure, they decided to marry at 20 and 21 years old. They explain that waiting until marriage didn't ensure them the fireworks they expected. That's on the next FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Tuesday, September 17—Finding a New Dream Authors Ryan and Selena Frederick talk about their early years of marriage when they headed overseas to fulfill Selena's dream of working on a horse farm in Switzerland--until Ryan's health took a turn for the worse. Ryan tells how open heart surgery changed his perspective on life and tested his marriage. That's on FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Wednesday, September 18—New Priorities Authors Ryan and Selena Frederick talk about the importance of leaving margin in your marriage.



- Hear about the radical changes they made once they agreed that "life is short," and God needs to come first. Hear more, on FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Series: The Purpose of EngagementThursday,September19—Things I
  Wish I Knew Before Marriage Ann Wilson talks to engaged women about
  things to keep in mind, things to be prepared for, and things to talk with
  their fiancé about before saying "I do." Hear more, on FAMILYLIFE
  TODAY.
- Friday,September20—How to Destroy Your Marriage before It Begins Ann Wilson coaches engaged women, offering practical suggestions for pursuing sexual purity before marriage, and gives a realistic picture of what to expect on their honeymoon; on the next FAMILYLIFE TODAY
- Series: Doing Life with Your Adult KidsMonday, September 23—Keep Your Mouth Shut and the Welcome Mat Out Jim Burns coaches parents of adult children on how to keep the relational ties open once their young adults leave home. He shares what to do if adult children come back home temporarily, and tells how he's living this out with his own daughter. That's on FAMILYLIFETODAY.
- Tuesday,September24—Your Adult Kids and Finances At what point do you cut your children off financially? Jim Burns cautions parents not to enable their adult children by continually giving them money or bailing them out. Burns also answers challenging questions about adult kids visiting with their significant others, on FAMILYLIFETODAY.
- Wednesday, September 25—Staying Connected, Letting Go What's the
  best way to nurture a healthy relationship with your grown children? Jim
  Burns encourages parents to continue to show their love and support to
  their grown children even if there have been years of distance between
  you. Hear how to manage the dynamics of relationships with your adult
  children, on FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Thursday, September 26—His Word and Your Marriage Nina Roesner explains what happens when a spouse loves the marriage more than they love Jesus or His Word. When Roesner's marriage wasn't meeting her expectations six months in, she thought she had married the wrong person. She didn't realize the infatuation part of love wears off. Roesner tells what she learned about respect and submission, on FAMILYLIFE TODAY.
- Friday,September27—You, God, and Your Marriage Today on the broadcast, author Nina Roesner reflects on a wife's need to be right and to beknown. Roesner admits this was a problem early in her marriage, but explains that as she went deeper in her relationship with Christ, it became less of an issue. Instead of trying to control a situation, Roesner encourages wives to walk through each situation with their husbands without criticizing. Hear more, on FAMILYLIFE TODAY
- Series:(A)Typical WomanMonday,September30—What Does It Mean to Be Wholly a Woman? Author Abigail Dodds, a wife and mother to five,



talks about the way men and women are inherently different from one another. It's easy to generalize male and female characteristics, but we must be careful. Hear more, on the next FAMILYLIFE TODAY

2. Program: Focus on the Family

Area of Concern: Family/Parenting/Relationships/Faith Length/Frequency/Total Time: 30 Minutes/ Daily Monday-Friday/ 2 Hours and 30 Minutes Total Time per Week.

Description: Dr. James Dobson addresses topics dealing with societal concerns about the family from Judeo-Christian values. The following are a list of topics:

- Monday, July 2:Changing the World through a Lemonade Stand If you've ever felt overwhelmed by poverty, suffering and hurting orphans in our world, welcome to the club! How can you and I really make a difference? On the next "Focus on the Family," we'll examine practical solutions—simple things your family can start doing today—to help someone in need.
- Tuesday, July 3:A New Look at America's Christian Heritage-I What makes America great? On the next "Focus on the Family," Pastor Andy Stanley explains the history of a 'national conscience' in the United States, and how Christian principles are essential to exercise the freedoms that we all enjoy
- Wednesday, July 4:A New Look at America's Christian Heritage-IIA godly
  nation gives people the freedom to NOT believe in God. On the next "Focus
  on the Family," hear how our Christian faith is really the foundation for
  America's freedoms, and discover what this nation means to so many families
  who immigrate here.
- Thursday, July 5: Keeping the Romance Sizzling in Your Marriage-I You may set aside time for coffee with a friend, or even your favorite TV sitcom. But, do you schedule a time for romantic intimacy with our spouse? Does that sound boring? On the next" Focus on the Family," Jim Daly talks with authors Bill and Pam Farrel about how making room for your love life will make your marriage stronger. Put the sizzle back in your relationship
- Friday, July 6: Keeping the Romance Sizzling in Your Marriage-IIDo you long for a love life that empowers every part of your marriage? On the next "Focus on the Family" broadcast, Jim Daly talks with Bill and Pam Farrel, authors of the book, Red Hot Monogamy, about how to add spark, sizzle, and security to you rmarried love life
- Monday, July 9: Resolving Anger in Your Marriage-I You get steamed up over something at work, and when you come home, you blow your top. On the next "Focus on the Family," PastorTed Cunningham shares a story about anger in his marriage and how he worked to resolve it to find deeper levels of intimacy. Learn to identify the root cause of your anger and resolve it, before it takes control of your relationship.
- Tuesday, July 10: Resolving Anger in Your Marriage-II Anger can be poisonous to any relationship, but especially to a marriage. On the next "Focus on the Family," Pastor Ted Cunningham relates his personal journey



- of learning to resolve his anger through forgiveness. He'll offer some practical ways you can identify anger in your life and work through it.
- Wednesday, July 11: Engaging Hearts and Minds in a Broken Culture The Apostle Paul was brilliant in his presentation of scriptural truth in a secular setting. He set a perfect example from which to learn. On the next "Focus on the Family," Bible teacher RayVander Laan will help you to share Christ with others, while using Scripture, a healthy understanding of the culture, and even...your weakness.
- Thursday,July 12:Finding Fun Ways to Praise God as a Family The best way to raise godly children who will love the Lord is to start early! Next time on "Focus on the Family, "we'll explore the importance of "imprinting" the gospel on young children, as soon as possible—and creative ways you can worship together as a family! Friday,July 13:Forgiving the Unforgiveable God can redeem any situation. On the next"Focus on the Family," you'll hear one woman's powerful story of forgiving her father's murderer and how God began to work in the situation in miraculous ways. It's a reminder about the transformative power of forgiveness
- Monday, July 16: Finding Joy in Pain You can find joy, even in the most difficult circumstances. On the next "Focus on the Family," Lisa Harper joins us to share about the story of Job...and her own journey through suffering, as God moved in and through her in powerful ways. It's a reminder to learn who God is in the midst of our heartache
- Tuesday, July 17:Being the Intentional Parent Your Child Needs-I One of the
  best ways to love your kids is by having a plan for their lives! On the next
  "Focus on the Family," Bill and Pam Farrel review several ways you can help
  your child succeed and become the adult God intended them to be! Some
  great tips for intentional parenting
- Wednesday, July 18: Being the Intentional Parent Your Child Needs-II Next time on "Focus on the Family," Bill and Pam Farrel explain how a "parenting plan" can change the trajectory of your child's life for years to come! They share openly about their "easy son"...and the not-so-easy one as well! Learn how God can help you discover the special treasure in each child's heart
- Thursday-Friday, July 19-20: Saving Your Marriage from Divorce—I&II There is hope for struggling marriages. On the next "Focus on the Family," Dr. David Clarke offers advice on what to do if you're in an unhappy marriage. He shares how you got to where you are in the first place, the importance of getting your relationship right with God, and taking ownership for your own shortcomings.
- Monday, July 23:Controlling Your TongueW hat you say, and don't say, can
  improve your relationships! On the next "Focus on theFamily,"you'll be
  challenged to 'tame your tongue' by avoiding lying, gossiping, and
  complaining. It's an encouraging reminder that you can honor God in how you
  talk to others.



- Tuesday, July 24: God's Good News for Your Life-I" You only go around once in life, so grab all the gusto you can! "On the next "Focus on the Family, "you'll hear how grabbing all the "gusto" that the world has to offer can often lead to tragic consequences—while God offers a much more fulfilling version of an exciting life.
- Wednesday, July 25: God's Good News for Your Life-II
- Sometimes we work too hard, trying to impress the people around us. On the next "Focus on the Family," Ken Davis demonstrates the folly in trying to impress other people—with some unforgettable examples! Tune in to learn how to focus on pleasing God.
- Thursday-Friday,J uly 26-27:Raising Kids with a Kingdom Perspective-I & II
  Instilling Christian character in your kids is a worthy, but difficult goal. On the
  next "Focus on theFamily," Pastor Tony Evans shares from his personal
  experience raising four children on how to raise "kingdom kids" who will
  impact their own families and communities for Christ. A biblical perspective on
  parenting
- Monday-Tuesday, July 30-31: Trusting God When We Don't Understand His Ways–I& II When it comes to suffering, most people expect God to be more "hands on" in alleviating their pain. But God can often seem distant, instead. On the next "Focus on the Family," Dr. Larry Crabb explores suffering in the Scripture and reassures us that we can and should trust God, even in devastating circumstances.
- Thursday-Friday, August 1-2: Cultivating a Healthy Life as a Single—I & IIAs a kingdom single, you are complete in Christ. That's the message from Dr. Tony Evans and Boundless host, Lisa Anderson, on the next "Focus on the Family. "They'll discuss the purposeful, fulfilling life of contentment you can have, when you're connected in community with others and focused on being the person God made you to be.
- Monday, August 5: Discovering the Best Ways to Educate Your Child-I If your child struggles in school, but all the other students seem to be doing fine, who's to blame? Next time on "Focus on the Family," we'll examine why you need to keep looking for the right "keys to learning," so your child can succeed
- Tuesday, August 6: Discovering the Best Ways to Educate Your Child-IIThe
  best education for your child may be out-of-the-box learning!" On the next
  "Focus on the Family," we'll encourage you to try some creative teaching
  methods—like a "ditty" or an "idea factory," or simply taking the pencil out of
  your child's hand—to help them learn better!
- Wednesday, August 7: Redeeming a Marriage and Childhood Wounds On the next "Focus on the Family," the story of Grammy award-winner Russ Taff and his wife Tori. Away from the spotlight, Russ was tormented by childhood abuse and family dysfunction that led him to alcoholism, just like his dad. The Taffs will describe the painful journey through this hidden addiction that nearly destroyed their marriage, and the healing they found in Christ. Be inspired—



- Thursday-Friday, August 9-10Finding Grace in the Midst of Racial Division—I &II Sometimes, you're called upon to do things bigger than yourself, and all you can do is rely on God's strength to get through. On the next "Focus on the Family," find out how retired Police Captain Ron Johnson was thrust into a volatile situation in Ferguson, Missouri, following a police-involved shooting. Learn how he prayed for God's guidance and wisdom every step of the way.
- Monday, August 12: Growing Your Marriage in Times of Stress-I Every
  marriage experiences stress—but what if your tension is more about how you
  were raised than the current issue with your spouse? Next time on "Focus on
  the Family," we'll explore how family-of-origin stress impacts the relationships
  you have today as an adult. Discover healthier ways to interact
- Tuesday, August 13: Growing Your Marriage in Times of Stress-II On the next "Focus on the Family," why isolation is the worst way you can respond to stress! Instead, find ways to emotionally connect with other people, especially your spouse, so you can experience the comfort and renewal you need to move forward. A healing message for your marriage
- Wednesday, August 14: Standing Firm on God's Word Where do you find your identity? Is it in your career, your marital status, or your child's accomplishments? On the next "Focus on the Family," Michele Cushatt[coo-SHAT] reminds us that "if you can lose it, it's not who you are ." More on finding a firm footing for your identity
- Thursday, August 15: Heroic Moms Raising Godly Heroes When her son came home from school and told her about an active shooter drill Lee Nienhuis[NEEN-hice]was gripped with fear for her child's safety. She felt like there was nothing she could do to protect him in this scary world. On the next "Focus on the Family," Lee talks about how surrendering her "mom fears" to God has been the hardest—and best—thing she's ever done—
- Friday, August 16: Following God's Pace Instead of Your Own Terry Looper
  was about to make more money than he ever dreamed possible, but he never
  felt more empty inside! Next time on "Focus on the Family," Terry's dramatic
  story of turning all of his life and business decisions over to the Lord, and how
  he's now even more successful than before!
- Monday, August 19: Equipping Christians to Understand Sexuality[ATTENTION: This program's material may not be suitable for young children.] Tragically, many Christians today do not have a godly perspective about their sexuality! On the next "Focus on the Family," Dr. Juli Slattery explains why a list of do's and don'ts is no longer effective; instead, we need to be sexually discipled to embrace God's plan
- Tuesday, August 20: Navigating Beauty and Body Image with Teen Daughters-I Teen girls and young women face an onslaught of media and advertising that sells a certain beauty standard—but it's all fake! Next time on "Focus on the Family," Jessie Minassian[min-ASS-ee-an]encourages women to "unplug" from advertising and accept God's definition of true beauty.



- Wednesday, August 21: Navigating Beauty and Body Image with Teen
  Daughters-II When does trying to look pretty become an idol? On the next
  "Focus on the Family," we'll examine the unhealthy comparison game and
  obsession that many girls and women have about being beautiful—and how
  God wants you to aim for something better instead. Discover God's standard
  for your beauty
- Thursday, August 22:A Mother's Story of Loss and Redemption No heartbreak
  can compare to the sting of losing a child. For Lindsey Dennis, she
  experienced that heartbreak twice, losing two children, just hours after they
  were born. On the next "Focus on the Family,"s he'll describe her
  overwhelming grief and the hope she and her husband found in Christ, as
  they walked through some very dark days in their young marriage
- Friday, August 23: Avoiding a Mid-Life Crisis On the next "Focus on the Family," Stephen Arterburn describes the difference between "middle age" and a mid-life crisis. He'll caution you about potential pitfalls, such as isolating, or having your identity stuck in your profession. And, he'll remind you that mid-life can be the most exciting time of your life, encouraging you to make the most of it, by serving Christ and others—
- Monday, August 26:Braving Middle School like a Boss Middle school can be a scary transition! On the next "Focus on the Family," Jonathan Catherman, and his teen sons Reed and Cole, reveal the fears they faced when entering middle school, and how it eventually became fun. From bullies to friend drama to open communication with parents, the Cathermans help you prepare for the transitional middle schoolyears—
- Tuesday, August 27:What We Believe-I Who is the God of the Bible? On the next "Focus on the Family," author and storyteller Frank Peretti shares fascinating aspects of God's character—like the fact that He is self-existent and self-defining--and explains how those Truths should impact our faith. It's a solid foundation for Christianity
- Wednesday, August 28: What We Believe-II Have you ever tried to explain absolute Truth to someone who believes there's no such thing as "right" and "wrong"? It can be really frustrating! On the next "Focus on the Family," Frank Peretti presents a lighthearted look at the flaws of moral relativism, and shares how to be confident in explaining your faith.
- Thursday/Friday, August 29-30:If You Want a Great Marriage, Do This-I & II
  Great marriages don't happen by accident—it's often the little things that
  matter most. On the next "Focus on the Family," you'll hear why honesty and
  vulnerability, keeping short accounts, spending time together, and a shared
  vision are essential! Learn how to succeed in your marriage
- Monday, September 2:Do Nice People Go to Heaven? Is being a nice person enough to get you into Heaven? On the next "Focus on the Family," former pro-basketball player Jay Carty explains what the Bible really says about heaven and hell and why we need to be intentional about sharing our faith with others. An unforgettable look at the Gospel—



- Tuesday, September 3: Help Your Young Adult Be Brave For Sadie Robertson
  of Duck Dynasty, fear and anxiety felt like a disease with no cure. Worry
  consumed her life and affected her relationships with God and others. On the
  next "Focus on the Family," Sadie tells how she learned to embrace her
  identity in Christ and step out in faith, even while she was afraid
- Wednesday-Thursday, September 4-5: Can We Talk? Communication Advice for Husbands and Wives–I& II Confused by the way your spouse thinks and acts? There's hope! On the next "Focus on the Family," Dr. David Clarke explains why men often "clam up" during deep conversations, and why a woman's typical strategy to act as a crowbar and pry him open almost always fails. Dr. Clarke will help you work toward healthy communication in your marriage—
- Friday, September 6: Putting the Grand in Grandparenting As a grandparent, you are a valuable resource to your family! On the next "Focus on the Family," Michele Howe shares how you can be a GRAND-parent, praying for your grandchildren and modeling a strong faith in the Lord. You'll be encouraged to embrace your significant role, leading your family in faith and love.
- Monday, September 9:Raising Mission-Minded Kids You and your family can be missionaries, right where you live! On the next "Focus on the Family," Shauna Pilgreen tells her family's story of planting a church in a rough neighborhood in San Francisco. Her heartwarming stories of mission work will inspire you to find creative ways to share Jesus in your neighborhood, community, and in your children's school
- Tuesday, September 10: Empowering Women to Take Control of their Finances Money can be a touchy subject...but it doesn't have to be! On the next "Focus on the Family," Deborah Pegues[puh-GAY] empowers you to better understand your finances and make strong choices for the future. She'll bust a few myths and encourage you to develop personal financial goals. You'll learn ways to eliminate debt and embrace a successful future.
- Wednesday-Thursday, September 11-12: What to Do When Tragedy Impacts
  Your Family-I& II Everyone faces "why God?" moments in life—painful,
  difficult circumstances that you don't expect. On the next "Focus on the
  Family," a grief counselor will encourage you to tell your story, in order to
  discover the healing and hope that only God can give.
- Friday, September 13: Hope for Teen Moms Tricia Goyer had a baby boy—just a few weeks after graduating high school. On the next "Focus on the Family," hear how Tricia found God in the midst of one of the toughest seasons of herl ife—and how He answered her prayers and turned her life around. There's hope for teen moms
- Monday-Tuesday, September 16-17:Examining Your Part in a Difficult Marriage-I &II On the nex t"Focus on the Family," former World Series Champion and All-Star Darryl Strawberry and his wife Tracy share a message of hope for all less-than-perfect marriages. They candidly talk about how their



- broken lives were redeemed only through the power of God. Find out how an almost-dead marriage can come alive again
- Wednesday, September 18: What We Believe-I Who is the God of the Bible?
   On the next "Focus on the Family," author and storyteller Frank Peretti shares fascinating aspects of God's character—like the fact that He is self-existent and self-defining--and explains how those Truths should impact our faith. It's a solid foundation for Christianity
- Thursday, September 19: What We Believe-II Have you ever tried to explain absolute Truth to someone who believes there's no such thing as "right" and "wrong"? It can be really frustrating! On the next "Focus on the Family," Frank Peretti presents a lighthearted look at the flaws of moral relativism, and shares how to be confident in explaining your faith
- Friday, September 20: Reaching Your Child's Heart When They Disobey On the next "Focus on the Family," Ginger Hubbard helps you as a parent to reach the heart of your child, using biblical principles. Ginger will share how to ask heart-probing questions to deal with your child's bad behavior, such as defiance or tattling.
- Monday-Tuesday, September 23-24:Preparing to Care for Aging Loved Ones–I& II On the next "Focus on the Family," Michelle Howe and Lisa Anderson share about their journeys in caring for aging family members, the difficulties of role-reversal in caring for a parent, and differing expectations among siblings in caregiving decisions. The guests also share about the incredible opportunity for spiritual growth in the caregiving experience.
- Wednesday-Thursday, September 25-26: Connecting with Your Teen or Young Adult–I & II On the next "Focus on the Family," Dr. Kara Powell helps you as a parent to transition and grow with your teen and young adult children, while navigating issues of family, faith and future. She discusses the concepts of "withing," "faithing," and "adulting," while pointing out the vital influence that you have in your child's life
- Friday, September 27: Catching a God-Sized Vision for Your Family On the next "Focus on the Family," Rob and Amy Reinow[REE-no]offer parents practical tips for raising children in a way that impacts not only today, but future generations. The Reinows[REE-nos]offer hope and encouragement for catching a God-sized vision for parenting, with an emphasis on prayer.
- Monday/Tuesday, September 30-October 1:Preparing Your Child for Adulthood–I & II Going through puberty can be an exciting and scary transition—is your family ready? Next timeon "Focus on the Family," we'll examine some godly ways parents can prepare their kids for issues like dating, body image, social media, and God's purpose for their lives

3. Program: The Rob and John Show

Area of Concern: Family/Youth

Length/Frequency/Total Time: 3 Hours/Daily Monday-Friday/ 15 Hours Total

Time per Week.



Description: Live morning show with Rob Anthony and John McCullough, 4 breaks per hour between songs

- Daily News Hourly news about things happening in the community and our country (recent topics included, government shut down, golden globes awards, new year's resolutions, ect.)
- Daily Devotional Daily devotions two times a day from Bible scriptures (topics included grace, how to deal with hard times, ect)
- New Music Monday Latest Contemporary Christian music and the new artists
- Throwback Thursday History of Contemporary Christian music and the artists that have made it
- The Cost is Correct Weekly game highlighting the prices of groceries in the local market
- Tough Stuff with Pastor Jason Hosts and guest Pastor Jason LeFaive discuss various topics, listeners can submit questions
- Recovery Redefined Hosts and Pastor Keith/Brandon Davison discuss issues of recovery and relationships impacting the community

## 4. Program: Community Calendar

**Area of Concern: Educational/Events** 

Length/Frequency/Total Time: 1 Minute/ 3 times a day Sunday-Saturday/ 21 Minutes

Description: Listing & description of community events. It is free and open to events in the area.

- MOMS groups meeting
- GriefShare support group at RiverLakes Church in Bakersfield
- Vacation Bible School at various churches
- Summer camps for families
- Local community concerts
- Fundraisers for nonprofits
- Leadership forums
- Divorce care groups
- Foster care training
- Womens events
- Family festival events
- Disability service training

## 5. Program: Public Service Announcement

Area of Concern: Educational/Media

Length/Frequency/Total Time: 30 sec/10 times a day/35 minutes weekly Description: Public information announcement that run randomly about issues relevant to the community.

Prayer Wall to post requests and pray for others



- Station events such as concerts, sticker stops, concerts
- Compassion, World Concern and Cure spots educating listeners about worldwide needs and opportunities to give
- Freedom Celebration event for family time at a local park. Includes free skate competition for kids 17/under, family swim at local community pool, bounce houses for fun, entertainment and fireworks celebration.

6. Program: First Assembly Area of Concern: Family/Faith

Length/Frequency/Total Time: 1 hour/Sundays

Description: Worship service with Bible teaching from First Assembly of God in Visalia.

- Forming Your World with Your Words
- A Higher perspective
- Thirsty
- God's Dreams-Your Dreams
- The Disrupter
- Special guest Tim Story
- A Time to Pause

