

**FOCUS ON THE FAMILY BROADCAST  
FCC ISSUES REPORT  
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FROM: Brian Krause, Syndication Manager

Date 10/09/23  
Title Empowering Women to Take Control of their Finances  
Length 27 minutes  
Description Certified Public Accountant and bestselling author Deborah Pegues provides practical advice from her book *The One-Minute Money Mentor for Women*. With her trademark humor and heart, she helps women face their financial reality, establish wise financial priorities and shatter common money myths that may be holding them back. She helps women take control of their finances with confidence and courage.

Date 10/17/23  
Title Navigating the Middle School Years  
Length 25 minutes  
Description Middle school can be physically, emotionally and spiritually draining on your child and they need you! In this "Focus on the Family" daily broadcast, Jim Daly and John Fuller are joined by educational experts, Cynthia Tobias and Sue Acuña, to discuss their book, *Middle School: The Inside Story*. Our guests and hosts address why this season of parenting is challenging and how parents can adapt to the changes in an effective way. Emphasis is made of the importance of keeping communication open through listening, observing and understanding. Cynthia and Sue also talk about the physical changes that puberty brings and specifically how dads can affirm their daughters and moms can affirm their sons.

Date 11/01/23 & 11/02/23

Title Your Marriage Can Win the Battle Against Pornography I-II

Length 56 minutes

Description Pornography is a pervasive evil that is toxic to marriages. Research shows that 55% of Christian men look at porn at least monthly, and 1 in 10 view porn at least daily. Mark Makinney points out this is inherently a sin problem, and he describes how viewing porn will hijack your brain. Mark and his wife Rosie also list warning signs that your spouse could be addicted to porn, and then share their own story of Mark's 25-year addiction and how it impacted their marriage. Rosie describes how, during their recovery process, God enabled her to have hope for the future of their relationship. On day 2, the Makinneys review the different steps needed for the recovery process – disclosure, an impact letter, counseling and accountability, and the need for a safety plan in case the porn addict relapses.

Date 11/15/23 & 11/16/23

Title When God Gives You the Family You Never Expected I-II

Length 56 Minutes

Description Foster parents are often called “heroes” for bringing needy children into their home, but Jillana Goble argues that they are normal people who simply obeyed God's call to care for orphans and widows. Joined by Jean Daly, sharing from their own experiences, they describe some of the common challenges of foster parenting, such as feeling overwhelmed, not knowing how past trauma affects behaviors today, loving children and giving them back to their bio parents, dealing with extra stress in your marriage and family and being stretched out of your comfort zone. Jillana and Jean encourage Christians to prayerfully consider how to get involved – through foster parenting, respite care, or simply befriending these families and their children.

Date 12/06/23 & 12/07/23  
Title How Godly Moms Can Raise Godly Sons I-II  
Length 54 minutes  
Description Rhonda Stoppe and her son Brandon provide practical advice and encouragement for moms raising sons. Topics they discuss include : discipline, equipping sons for independence, talking in ways that sons will listen, and giving boys a vision for manhood.

Date 12/26/23  
Title Changing Your Mindset in Marriage  
Length 25 minutes  
Description Most experts agree there is great power in thinking positively...and it's biblical! Beyond that, thinking more positively of your spouse can change your marriage! On this one-day Focus on the Family broadcast, Ted Lowe helps you better understand how a shift in your thoughts toward yourself and your spouse can give you a healthier and more loving marriage. By looking at your spouse through the filter of Philippians 4:8, you'll learn ways to examine your mindset and embrace a positive perspective!