

PROGRAMS LIST

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<u>July</u>

Family Talk

7/03/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

The Declaration of Independence: Faith and Freedom Defined Gary Bauer interviews Jerry Newcombe, executive director of the Providence Forum, about the ideals and principles upon which our great nation was founded. Let us never forget that our founding fathers leaned heavily on God and their Judeo-Christian heritage as they completed the final draft of the Declaration of Independence 247 years ago. It is the very reason why we, as Americans, can and do celebrate the 4th of July and call our nation "the land of the free!"

Focus on the Family

7/03/23 8:00 PM 30 MIN

Changing the World Through a Lemonade Stand- When it comes to helping the needy, you may feel overwhelmed and underqualified. If so, listen in as Chris Marlow, author of Doing Good is Simple, describes how you can make a difference in the lives of others by starting out small and using your passion and talents.

Family Talk

7/04/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

I Believe in American Patriotism- Dr. James Dobson recites a stirring rendition of a letter written by columnist and editor, Don Feder, entitled "Patriots Prayer." Join us as we are reminded that our founding fathers sought God and the principles of the Bible as the basis upon which to build our great new nation. In addition, be empowered to teach your children what American patriotism is, and why it defines America as "the land of the free and the home of the brave."

7/04/23 8:00 PM 30 MIN

Revolutionary Faith in the Birth of America- Rod Gragg recounts fascinating stories of our nation's history and how Christians can learn from the faith of America's past leaders. He shares about the first Independence Day celebration, and how churches today can flourish in the midst of a cultural shift away from a Biblical worldview.

Family Talk

7/05/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

Truth for a New Generation: No Apology Necessary (Part 1)- Dr. Tim Clinton interviews Alex McFarland, Christian teacher and apologist, to discuss God's plan for each of us and our families. Parents, be aware that the devil seeks to confuse and destroy all we know as true, and the battle is raging to protect the very souls of our children. Listen and learn how standing up for God's Truth can save us all from the enemy's path of disappointment and destruction.

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7/07/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

How to Change for the Better- Dr. James Dobson speaks with author and speaker, Becky Tirabassi, to discuss her story of how she hit rock bottom by the age of 21. Learn about Becky's radical life transformation from a broken life filled with addiction, to now, over 20 years of feeling compelled to connect people to the living, loving God.

Focus on the Family

7/07/23 8:00 PM 30 MIN

The Best Choices You Can Make for Your Marriage- Dr. Ron and Jan Welch will talk about communicating well, choosing forgiveness and unselfishness, and challenging unspoken truths. If couples can learn to show respect, honor and love each other, a lot of their conflict will go away.

Family Talk

7/10/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

Update on The World Health Organization Annual Conference- Michele Bachmann, former congresswoman and republican candidate in the 2012 presidential election, and her guest, Jody Wood, share their experience and insight from the World Health Organization's recent annual conference in Geneva, Switzerland. Be informed and learn how you can help in the fight for our great nation's freedoms before it's too late.

Focus on the Family

7/10/23 8:00 PM 30 MIN

Talking to Your Kids About Sexuality and Gender- In a culture where your truth and identity seem to be the most important topic, it can be difficult to navigate conversations surrounding truth and grace with your children. Hillary Ferrer and Amy Davison discuss ways to educate your children about gender and sexuality in their schools, churches, and personal relationships, and point us toward the way that Christ encountered those around Him.

Family Talk

7/11/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

Finding Truth in the Chaos of Today's Culture (Part 1)- In the words of John Cooper, lead vocalist and bassist for the Christian band, Skillet, "The number one thing Christian parents can do is train their children in the Word of God." On today's edition of Family Talk, Dr. Tim Clinton interviews John, who tells of his passionate Jesus follower mom, who instilled a great biblical foundation in him which shaped his rock-solid commitment to Truth. Join us and find out how the unshakeable words of the Lord can bring you the peace you may be searching for.

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Seeing Life with New Vision- Born legally blind, Karen Wingate saw her life from what she would describe as "an industrial-strength shower curtain". Karen lived her life without sight as a wife and a mom until, at fifty-five years old, she went into surgery and came out with her vision miraculously restored! She explains how she started to view God, creation, and her own life differently in light of the miracle happening in her life.

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Focus on the Family

7/12/23 8:00 PM 30 MIN

Becoming Friends With Your In-Laws (Part 1)- Dr. James Dobson speaks with best-selling author and speaker, Kay Coles James, about this very subject and her book, What I Wished I'd Known Before I Got Married. Learn more about Kay and her straightforward philosophy of "keeping it real and telling it like it is," and why marriage should be forever.

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Focus on the Family

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Raising Godly Children in Today's Culture- Arlene Pellicane shares fun stories and power-packed research to encourage you with nuts-and-bolts reminders of strong parenting—teaching respect, instilling character, and spending intentional time with your children.

Family Talk

7/17/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

Manhood: The Masculine Virtues America Needs- Dr. Tim Clinton talks with Sen. Hawley about this crisis and his new book, Manhood: The Masculine Virtues America Needs. Discover more as Sen. Hawley explains how to battle the "gospel of self" with the calling God has placed on your life.

Focus on the Family

7/17/23 8:00 PM 30 MIN

A Legacy of Music and Trusting the Lord- Larnelle Harris shares stories about how God redeemed the dysfunctional past of his parents, the many African-American teachers who sacrificed their time and energy to give young men like himself a better future, and how his faithfulness to godly principles gave him greater opportunities and career success than anything else.

7/18/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

When God Doesn't Appear to Make Sense to Us (Part 1)- Dr. James Dobson reminds us of the hope we have in our great and mighty God, despite the struggles we face. Romans 8:38-39 says, "For I am sure that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers, neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord."

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7/20/23 8:00 PM 30 MIN

Guiding Your Daughter Into Womanhood- Robin Jones Gunn and Jenny Coffey stress that Mom should be the safest person in her daughter's life – where the conversation about puberty and development can be ongoing. The duo explains that a girl's self-image and self-esteem will be profoundly impacted by how parents navigate this child's first exposure to sexuality. Robin and Jenny also describe how moms can initiate the "sex talk" conversation with their daughters.

Family Talk

7/21/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

Stories from The Storyteller: Life Lessons from the Parables of Jesus- Dr. Tim Clinton interviews Jonathan Evans about the legacy given to him by his parents, Dr. Tony and Lois Evans, and how that was the basis for his new book, Stories from the Storyteller: Lessons from the Parables of Jesus.

Focus on the Family

7/21/23 8:00 PM 30 MIN

Discovering the Abundant Life- Dr. James Dobson discusses the importance of godly manhood with Wild at Heart author, John Eldredge. He defines the innate masculine traits that God has placed in all men, why these characteristics are so important, and why fatherlessness has generational consequences.

Family Talk

7/24/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

Changing Your Mindset in Marriage- Thinking more positively of your spouse can change your marriage! 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!

7/24/23 8:00 PM 30 MIN

Living as Salt and Light In Today's Culture- Every generation of Christians wrestles with big questions. Dr. Del Tackett shares his passion to examine and answer these questions based upon his thorough study of the Scripture, worldview teaching, and his keen insights into today's culture. He also warns believers about 'Me-focused' Christianity and encourages families to engage their neighbors with love and long-term fellowship.

Family Talk

7/25/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

We've Never Been This Way Before- Dr. R.T. Kendall discusses his 2020 book, We've Never Been This Way Before: Trusting God in Unprecedented Times. The renowned theologian draws from Joshua 3:4, reminding us that we need unrivaled faith to navigate the unchartered waters of a pandemic.

Focus on the Family

7/25/23 8:00 PM 30 MIN

How Godly Moms Can Raise Godly Sons (Part 1)- Rhonda Stoppe and her son Brandon provide practical advice and encouragement for moms raising sons. The pair discuss discipline, equipping sons for independence, talking in ways that sons will listen, and giving boys a vision for manhood.

Family Talk

7/26/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

Cultural Engagement in a Secular World (Part 1)- Dr. Tim Clinton welcomes Pastor Rob Pacienza, president and CEO of D. James Kennedy Ministries. Rob draws from his new book, Hope of the World: Christian Cultural Engagement in a Secular Age, to explain that the consequences of removing our Creator from our culture would be dire.

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Twice Widowed, Always Blessed (Part 1)- Working as a Playboy Bunny, Robyn Dykstra was oblivious to God's master plan for her life. But she eventually escaped a life of drugs, alcohol, and abuse and married a good Christian man. As she grew closer to the Lord, with a handsome husband, a nice house, and two wonderful children, her life seemed perfect. Then, in an instant, everything changed. That one moment triggered a chain reaction of unwanted challenges, and her life would never be the same.

Family Talk

7/28/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

Kingdom Men Rising- Dr. James Dobson sits down with his brother in Christ, Dr. Tony Evans. These two godly men share how God has uniquely used each of them through the years to expand the Lord's Kingdom. Dr. Evans expresses his passion to bring a chaotic society closer to God by empowering future pastors all over the nation.

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7/31/23 8:00 PM 30 MIN

Parenting Struggles and What They Teach- Parenting has its challenging moments, but the rewards and laughter can outweigh the struggles. Ken Swarner provides humorous stories and lighthearted spiritual lessons about parenting with humility and trusting God.

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Learning About God's Mercy- Can you earn God's love? Radio host and author Brant Hansen explores the breadth of God's grace and how he has seen it played out in his own life, and in his work with a medical missionary organization in countries like Afghanistan. His conclusion: God is good!

Family Talk

8/2/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

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8/3/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

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Focus on the Family

8/4/23 8:00 PM 30 MIN

Reaching the Next Generation For Christ- J. Warner Wallace is a former cold-case detective and former atheist. Then he used his investigative skills to explore the Christian worldview, and he discovered the claims in the Bible to be true. Now he encourages others to better understand the Christian faith and defend it by asking the tough questions.

Family Talk

8/7/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

Kyle West: Look What God Has Done (Part 1)- Dr. James Dobson re-visits one of his most memorable conversations with then seven-year-old, Kyle West. Kyle has cerebral palsy, but by the Lord's design, this has not hindered his God-given purpose in life. Eleven years later, Dr. Dobson invited Kyle and his dad back to the program for a beautiful reunion to discuss all that the Lord has done in Kyle's life. Join us and expect to have your soul rejuvenated as you listen to this joy-filled conversation.

8/7/23 8:00 PM 30 MIN

Getting Real With God and Finding Salvation For My Family- Sometimes we have to get out of the way and allow God to intervene in a situation. Author Sharon Jaynes has seen this truth played out in many ways, especially in her parents' tempestuous relationship, which went from rocky to restored.

Family Talk

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Focus on the Family

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Navigating the Early Grade School Years- Author Erin MacPherson and her mother, Ellen Schuknecht, an educator, offer encouragement and advice to moms of early grade school-aged children.

Family Talk

8/9/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

Captured by Love: Stories of Vietnam POWs (Part 1)- Dr. Tim Clinton relives the courageous experiences of Col. Ellis, an Air Force pilot who was shot down over enemy territory, during the Vietnam War. Discover more of this inspiring story and how the Lord continues to use Col. Lee Ellis in magnificent ways.

Focus on the Family

8/9/23 8:00 PM 30 MIN

Clearing Out Your Space and Schedule (Part 1)- Courtney Ellis wants to invite families to follow her example in decluttering her life, her home & her schedule. Courtney also described why too many screens & too much technology is a form of clutter — and how her kids would often see the back of her hand holding a phone instead of seeing her face.

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8/11/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

Navigating the Rapids of Life- Dr. Carolyn Koons, as she shares her colorful and entertaining experiences of navigating through the rivers of life with the help and direction of God and His Word. Discover how leaning into the Lord can provide the "life jacket" that is crucial to keeping us afloat.

Focus on the Family

8/11/23 8:00 PM 30 MIN

Three Kinds of Love You Need For Your Marriage- Dr. David Gudgel wants to equip couples to have successful and enjoyable marriages. In this broadcast, Dr. Gudgel reviews the three Greek words for love – AGAPE (sacrificial love), PHILEO (friendship love), and EROS (romantic love) – and encourages couples to intentionally work on all three to improve their relationship.

Family Talk

8/14/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

The Truth Changes Everything (Part 1)- Dr. Tim Clinton interviews Jeff Myers, president of Summit Ministries, to discuss their goal to train up the next generation and equip them with God's Truth and a solid biblical worldview.

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Making Positive Choices for a Stronger Marriage- Dr. Ron and Jan Welch help husbands and wives better understand the power of choice in their marriages and how they can be intentional in improving and strengthening their relationships. In this discussion, they will focus on the power of belief and choosing to hope, letting go of the past, not taking your spouse for granted.

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Justice for the Pre-Born and Their Mothers- Former NFL tight end Benjamin Watson, a passionate advocate for life, wants to make abortion unthinkable in the post-Roe cultural landscape. Benjamin shares insights on how a renewed commitment to holistic justice and human flourishing can make a big difference in the fight for life.

Family Talk

8/16/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

God's Tender Heart for Single Moms (Part 1)- Dr. James Dobson candidly speaks with author and speaker, Angela Thomas-Pharr, about a time when she found herself divorced and on her own to care for her four young children. Discover how this brokenness in Angela's life took her relationship with the Lord to new depths she had not yet experienced.

Focus on the Family

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A Father's Influence In His Daughter's Life (Part 1)- Dr. Kevin Leman and Kim Trobee share stories and thoughts on why the dad-daughter relationship matters, and how important it is to spend time and invest in this relationship wisely. They discuss how significant a dad's influence is in a daughter's life and how it impacts her future relationships with the opposite sex.

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Lead Me: Fighting for Your Marriage, Children and Faith- Dr. Tim Clinton discusses this very topic with Matt Hammitt, former lead singer of the Christian band, Sanctus Real, about an agonizing time in his family's life. Be enlightened as we not only hear how God faithfully walked Matt and his wife through this heart-wrenching season, but also of Matt's endeavors to pay it forward and let the world know they are not alone in their struggles.

Focus on the Family

8/18/23 8:00 PM 30 MIN

Helping Your Loved One Find Freedom From Addiction- When addiction steps in, your family may be turned upside down. In this compelling interview, Victor Torres shares his dramatic story of growing up on the streets of New York City as a gang member and a heroin addict and how God intervened to change his life.

Family Talk

8/21/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

Pro-Life America (Part 1)- Gary Bauer interviews Marjorie Dannenfelser, president of Susan B. Anthony Pro-Life America. This non-profit organization has a mission to reduce and ultimately end abortion, primarily through their support of pro-life politicians. Discover what has been done since Roe v. Wade was overturned and how you can help protect the most vulnerable of human lives.

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Cultivating Your Child's Habits for a Relationship With God- Janel Breitenstein explores spiritual life skills like identity and discernment and offers practical ways to help your child develop those. You'll learn to equip your child to become a disciple who is "on fire" for Jesus.

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Embracing God's Purpose for Your Marriage- Debra Fileta explains how marriage requires unconditional love and sacrifice, which in turn draws us closer to God as we are sculpted more in His image. She urges us to embrace a selfless "we"-mindset over the more common self-focused mindset.

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Children and Stress (Part 1)- Dr. Dobson talks about childhood stress with renowned author and psychologist, the late Dr. Arch Hart. They examine the pressure on our kids and identify the various physical, emotional, and mental indicators of anxiety. Discover how setting up certain boundaries for your child can greatly decrease everyday stressors for him or her, as well as for yourself.

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Braving Middle School Like a Boss- Best-selling author Jonathan Catherman and his teen sons, Reed and Cole, offer encouragement to parents and kids who are worried about leaving behind the familiarity of elementary school to transition to middle school. Our guests cover topics that include bullies, relationship drama, communication with parents, and much more.

Family Talk

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Beauty in Brokenness (Part 1)- Dr. James Dobson speaks with author, wife, and mother of three, Judy Squier, who overcame these physical limitations to serve the Lord mightily. Learn how Judy navigated with grace and dignity to overcome enormous physical setbacks and grow into a deeper relationship with God.

8/28/23 8:00 PM 30 MIN

Lord, Keep Us Free (Part 1)- Imagine being raised to 'worship' a political leader, only to find he's committed suicide and his Master Plan has failed. Where do you turn? As a Nazi Youth leader during WWII, Hansi Hirschmann believed in Hitler's Third Reich, and was devasted by his death. After escaping from a communist labor camp, Hansi sought freedom in the West, and started to consider the true meaning of life. She ultimately discovered the ultimate leader, Jesus Christ, and a new home in America.

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<u>September</u>

Family Talk

9/1/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

Protecting Your Middle Schooler During Those Turbulent Years- Dr. James Dobson discusses this sobering topic with the late Dr. Brenda Hunter and her daughter and co-author, Kristen Blair. Dr. Dobson asks them questions about their helpful book, From Santa to Sexting: Keeping Kids Safe, Strong, and Secure in Middle School. Learn how to recognize the warning signs before your child's digital life becomes a problem.

9/1/23 8:00 PM 30 MIN

Connecting Spiritually With Your Spouse- Dr. Greg and Erin Smalley share today about their own struggles and joys in connecting in marriage. They emphasize having first of all, a relationship with God, which enables true spiritual connection with one's spouse. The Smalleys outline some great practical ways in which spouses can better relate on a spiritual level.

Family Talk

9/4/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

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Family Talk

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The Truth Behind Mommy Platitudes- Becky Baudouin offers helpful encouragement for moms. She examines some parenting platitudes that well-intentioned people say—such as "Enjoy every minute!" or "Being a mom is the hardest job in the world." With biblical truth, gritty honesty, and personal stories, Becky bolsters moms in the thick of it and, as someone who has "been there", offers them a breath of fresh air.

Family Talk

9/11/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

Dealing with the Difficult Child (Part 1)- Do you struggle to connect with one or more of your children? Maybe your daughter is strong-willed and every day is a battle, or maybe you don't share your son's interests or hobbies. Dr. Tim Clinton joins Dr. James Dobson to talk about the "extra effort kid," and what parents can do to strengthen that difficult relationship.

Focus on the Family

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How to Raise Strong Believers- Author Natasha Crain challenges moms to use everyday situations to start conversations with their kids about faith. She outlines essential topics parents should cover with their kids, such as how to have a relationship with God and how to make sense of evil.

Family Talk

9/12/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

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9/12/23 8:00 PM 30 MIN

Clinging to God Through the Pain of Depression (Part 1)- Sarah Robinson struggled with suicidal ideation and depressive thoughts that plagued her soul. Sarah shares her story of clinging to Christ and gives practical help to those in need.

9/13/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

Praying in Uncertain Times- Shirley Dobson joins her husband, Dr. James Dobson, to discuss the power of prayer. Philippians 4:6 says, "Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus."

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Focus on the Family

9/14/23 8:00 PM 30 MIN

A Hopeful View of America's Future- Tim Goeglein, Vice President of External and Government Relations for Focus on the Family, encourages listeners to honor America's remarkable spiritual heritage, while inspiring us to influence the culture with faith and optimism. He'll share about the vision, faith, and hopes of America's Founding Fathers and the importance of understanding our history and preserving our moral values and religious freedoms.

Family Talk

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Aiming For a Godly Marriage in the Dating Years- Dating in today's culture has changed significantly in a generation. Single adults are often less intentional about thinking and planning ahead for a future marriage. And many Christians aren't committed to moral boundaries anymore in their dating relationships. Tovares and Safa Grey want to change that dynamic by pointing single adults to God's design for dating.

Family Talk

9/18/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

Man Enough to Forgive: Healing the Wounds of Father Abandonment (Part 1)- Dr. Tim Clinton discusses with John Smithbaker, author and founder of Fathers in the Field, God's plan for the dads in our world and how the accelerated increase in fatherlessness has affected our society. Tune in and discover the hope found in following God's intentions for fathers and how they are to lead their families against the schemes of the devil.

Focus on the Family

9/18/23 8:00 PM 30 MIN

How Jesus Redeemed My Gender Confusion- Linda Seiler shares her remarkable story of growing up desperately wanting to be a boy. She describes her 20-year struggle with gender confusion and same-sex attractions, which were not resolved after her conversion to Christianity. After confessing her secret to a college pastor who exemplified God's compassion and grace, Linda spent the next 11 years seeking healing and restoration of her true identity as a woman. An identity that she whole-heartedly embraces today!

Family Talk

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Being an Intentional Grandparent to Teens- Mark Gregston, grandfather of four, encourages you to be intentional in the lives of your teen grandchildren. Through storytelling, humor, time, and love, you can be a special influence on your grandkids and build a legacy of hope in your family.

Family Talk

9/20/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

Words of Kindness, Source of Healing- The late Florence Littauer grew up with her family in three small rooms behind her father's general store during the Great Depression. She vividly remembered once overhearing a customer tell her mother, "It's a shame there's no hope for your children!" Thankfully, Florence's father, who had the gift of encouragement, built her up into a godly woman and world-renowned Christian leader. Florence explains that our words should be like silver boxes with bows on top. Proverbs 18:21 says, "The tongue has the power of life and death, and those who love it will eat its fruit."

Focus on the Family

9/20/23 8:00 PM 30 MIN

Drawing Closer to God and Each Other (Part 1)- Gary Thomas, author of A Lifelong Love, discusses how to worship God to bring you into unity as a couple, how to allow God to rub away your own selfishness and how couples can intentionally pursue oneness in marriage. He explores how to reduce expectations for your spouse, how to find your confidence in God, and how to seek first the Kingdom of God as a couple.

Family Talk

9/21/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

Dark Agenda: The War to Destroy Christian America (Part 1)- best-selling author David Horowitz, once himself an adherent of liberal policies, reveals why leftist doctrine is a bankrupt worldview. In his book, Dark Agenda: The War to Destroy Christian America, Horowitz warns that if the culture is allowed to kill off American Judeo-Christian values, then our freedoms could be next.

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Focus on the Family

9/22/23 8:00 PM 30 MIN

Showing Your Child Their True Worth- Peter Mutabazi shares his journey from street kid to foster dad. As a young kid on the streets of Kampala, Uganda, Peter's life changed when one man showed compassion and kindness. Now he's giving back, opening his home to children in foster care. Learn how you can come alongside kids in need by showing them God's love, grace, and mercy.

Family Talk

9/25/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

Safe All Along- At the age of 18, Katie Davis Majors embarked on more than just a mission trip to Uganda. The experience struck a chord deep in her soul that led her to do an incredible work for God. On today's edition of Family Talk, Katie shares with Dr. Tim Clinton about how the Lord turned her desire to help kids from an orphanage into the founding of Amazima (pronounced ah-mah-zee-mah) Ministries.

Focus on the Family

9/25/23 8:00 PM 30 MIN

Five Ingredients You Need for a Healthy Family (Part 1)- Dr. Gary Chapman shares about creating a nurturing environment in your family. He will unpack five important traits: families serving together, the husbands and wives relating intimately on a physical and emotional level, parents guiding, children obeying and honoring parents, and finally, husbands loving and leading. You'll be inspired to help your family thrive.

9/26/23 4:30 AM 30 MIN

The Blind- Gary Bauer interviews Phil and Kay Robertson of Duck Dynasty fame, about their real life story of faith, hope and restoration, depicted in the soon to be released movie, The Blind. Ephesians 4:32 says, "Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you."

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Confronting Guilt in Motherhood (Part 1)- Dr. James Dobson talks candidly with author and speaker, Julie Barnhill, about her book, Motherhood: The Guilt that Keeps on Giving. Tune in and discover the difference between true and false guilt.

Focus on the Family

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Sharing the Gospel Through Hospitality (Part 1)- Dr. Rosaria Champagne Butterfield challenges listeners to share God's love by opening their home to strangers, neighbors, and anyone in need, in a discussion based on her book The Gospel Comes With a House Key: Practicing Radically Ordinary Hospitality in Our Post-Christian World.

Family Talk

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Encouraging Your Kids to Discuss Their Feelings- Feelings can be confusing for children to experience and express. In this upbeat message, Dr. Joshua Straub will equip you to create a safe environment in your home, so that your children can express what they are feeling and learn how to manage their emotions.

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