Quarterly Issues 2012

January 2 Discussed the robo-calls during the primary season and the evolution of modern politics.

January 3 Reported on the divorce rate among military couples since the Afghanistan-Iraq wars. In the report were suggested means of adjusting to deployment, re-entry, and sustaining the home.

January 4 Promoted events across the southeast, and referenced our calendar of events on our website as a public service to our coverage area.

January 5 Discussed the relative understanding of wealth and riches. Cited CNNmoney on the fact that Amerians make up half of the world's richest 1%. Carried the topic into the political field of Capitalism and socialism as well as a Christian perspective on wealth.

January 6 Carried the broadcast, Probe, in which the discussion was the importance and effect of parents in the faith and politics of emerging adults.

January 9 South Carolina had an earthquake over the weekend. We discussed preparedness and insurance in regards to natural disasters as a public service.

January 10 Cited the coverage from World Magazine how the internet is assisting in spreading freedom of speech and freedom of religion, even into regions of the world where those freedoms are curtailed.

January 11 Interviewed Gerald Stephens from the nursery to discuss winter care of lawns and trees.

January 12 Referenced a lawsuit in California, how a lawyer bypassed a class action lawsuit and opted for small claims court. We discussed the pros and cons.

January 13 Updated the restoration and display of the Civil War submarine, the Hunley. Spoke with a conservationist, and the impact and interest of the naval artifact.

January 16 Performed public service of free announcing of various events throughout the coverage area, and supplemented the information with our website.

January 17 On the anniversary of the supreme court decision of Roe v. Wade, we discussed the 40 year implications and results as well as a post-modern view on this social issue.

January 18 Interviewed Gerald Stephens, the nursery man about lime application to lawns and shrubs.

January 19 Reported on the Jesus Film Project. The organization is adding an additional 865 languages to the translation, and how the goal is to show the film to every people group in the world.

January 20 Covered a brewing showdown with Planned Parenthood and how they are losing funding from various organizations, and how the congress is trying to reign in funding.

January 23 There were unseasonal tornadoes throughout the southeast today. We issued watches and warnings as well as preparedness action.

January 24 Reported on the Republican primaries, which ones occurred, and which ones were coming. Also discussed the disparity of reporting on the various candidates.

January 25 Carried the broadcast, Probe, which is discussing key components and differences that sharpen the debate in schools regarding Darwinism and Intelligent Design.

January 26 Interviewed a woman who organizes mothers to pray for their children and the students in their schools.

January 27 Explored the West's influence in current day Iran through satellite television and short wave radio.

January 30 Updated the audience on a local lawsuit and now another, similar one, regarding Christian conviction, counseling, and graduate programs in psychology and counseling, and how they approach deviancy.

January 31 Provided a free public service announcement for a womens' recovery house. Discussed their mission and the work they provide.

February 1 Broadcast the Ken Ham feature that compared and contrasted the Christian and Humanistic world views and how those world-views affect decisions and the culture.

February 2 Highlighted a charitable work two missionaries have been involved in in Mexico for the past 40 years. Conveyed the long term impact they have been able to have in this poverty stricken area of that country.

February 3 Reported on the growing tension between Iran and Israel as Iran continues with its nuclear program. The world is hoping for sanctions to exert pressure, but the possibility of a de-stabilized middle east could plummet the world economy.

February 6 Carried a show, Probe, that featured the biblical mandate to bless. The narrative was for faith to persuade people to bless others rather than curse them.

February 7 Two staff members are reading works by Charles Dickens. We discussed the impact Dickens had on the political and social mores of the 19 and 20th centuries.

February 8 Interviewed Gerald Stephens, the nursery man, about composting and preparing land for Spring.

February 9 Interviewed Dr. Ben Scripture, who is speaking in our area. He covered some of the science topics that he will be sharing and a format for the conference.

February 10 Interviewed Nick Eicher with World Magazine about candidate Rick Santorum and the CPAC.

Feb 13 Reported on the pending S.C. voter ID law that will be heard by the supreme court. Discussed how it is/not discriminatory.

Feb 14 Related the growing number of lawsuits against Obamacare in regards to the mandate for abortion coverage and abortifacients versus religious freedom and conscience.

Feb 15 Updated the audience on the growing threat of a nuclear power in Iran and how it will affect the balance in the Middle East.

Feb 16 Continued the discussion about the efforts and action the world is taking to inhibit Iran's nuclear possibilities.

Feb 17 Interviewed attorney David Gibbs about the state of New York kicking churches out of public school buildings.

Feb 20 Reported on the South Carolina attorney general suing the Justice Department over voter ID laws.

Feb 21 Carried broadcast of Focus on the Family that outlined what every Christian ought to know about the Healthcare mandate

Feb 22 Discussed recent research that shows the relationship between cultural decline and the American dream, specifically, how the destruction of marriage, out of wedlock pregnancies and lack of church membership are leading to a new social decay.

Feb 23 Reported on the latest study that a colonoscopy reduces the risk of cancer death significantly.

Feb 24 Shared from World Magazine how for the first time in American history, more than half of all births to American women under 30 are occurring outside of marriage.

We contrasted that with research that shows how children born to married couple experience better education, social cognitive and behavioral outcomes. Discussed how one group recommends abortion, while the other recommends marriage and/or adoption.

Feb 27 Carried the broadcast, Probe, in which they did a comparison contrast with capitalism and socialism.

Feb 28 Announced various events throughout our coverage area and encouraged others to submit information for our free public service announcements.

Feb 29 Broke down how the 2010 census will add and subtract electoral votes to the various states and how that plays out in local congressional seats as well.

March 1 Shared story from "The State" on how the Department of motor vehicles can now revoke a teen's driver license if they drop out of school or are expelled. The intention of the law is to improve graduation rates.

March 2 Reported on a story how the janitor of a factory in Ohio, despite never going to college, wrote a business plan detailing how his factory could survive and prosper back in 2002. Venture Capitalists agreed to his plan provided he raise money as well as lead the company. He is now co-owner.

March 5 Shared the latest research from the American Journal of Clinical Nutrition and the Mayo Clinic about the healthy benefits of drinking coffee, particularly how it lowers the risk of type 2 Diabetes.

March 6 From the Journal of Medical Ethics, we referenced the debate on the relationship between after birth abortion and personhood and the ramifications.

March 7 Interviewed Gerald Stephens, the nurseryman about grasses and mosses.

March 8 Discussed the February government report from the Congressional Budget Office and how the government has borrowed 42 cents of every dollar spent for the fiscal year, and how the government has spent 59% more than it has collected.

March 9 Interviewed Nick Eicher of World Magazine about the Headlines for the week, and an analytical break down of the top story.

March 12 Reported on the European Court of Human Rights case that does not recognize a Christian's right to wear a visible cross or crucifix at their workplace, whereas Muslims and Sikhs are permitted to wear hijabs, turbans and bracelets.

March 13 Covered a consumer report issue in regards to privacy and the high likelihood that attempts to access sensitive information on a lost and unprotected mobile devices should be guarded against.

March 14 Reported on the CBO projection that Obamacare will cost more than double what it originally expected just in the first 10 years.

March 15 Covered the story of how UNC-Greensboro reversed course yesterday, and will now agree to recognize a pro-life group as a campus religious organization. It required legal action to force the school to uphold constitutional rights.

March 16 Relayed a Harvard School of Public Health report that resulted in a backlash of public mockery of silly reports and false studies that schools conduct to receive federal grant money.

March 19 Interviewed Miriam Neff about how churches can reach out to widows and best meet their needs.

March 20 Interviewed Miriam Neff about the outreach her ministry has to train and equip women in African nations to sew and begin business.

March 21 Reported on the increasing attempts by communities to tax churches based on property and utilities. Cited a Kansas church that had to defend itself as a tax exempt organization.

March 22 Discussed the Evolution/Creation debate and how under the banner of academic freedom, Tennessee has made it legal for teachers to promote origin theories other than evolution.

March 23 Cited the Open Doors report that covers the house church movement in Muslim countries and how Christianity is growing significantly, even in hostile environments.

March 26 Issued a warning about the west nile virus and gave instructions of what to do if you discover a dead bird, as well tips from S.C. DHEC as how to reduce the mosquito population

March 27 Updated the audience on the status of pastor Youcef who in violation of human rights is being held as a religious prisoner in Iran.

March 28 Reported on the continued assault on religious freedom with the atheist group, Freedom From Religion, threatened the Leonir police over a uniform patch that has the word religion on it.

March 29 Discussed how the Federal Reserve is propping up the U.S. economy by buying 61% of the government debt and printing more money, and the threat it poses to our national and economic security.

March 30 Carried the show Family Life Today whose broadcast covered the topic of improving one's marriage and family life.

April 2 Carried a broadcast by Ken Ham talking about the opportunities and availability for college students to volunteer their time to serve others during Spring Break.

April 3 Played the show Family News In Focus which discussed four social concerns and how political decisions can affect the outcomes.

April 4 Storms in the Southeast determined our coverage as well as education of safety, planning, and insurance regarding in climate weather.

April 5 Reported on the International Criminal Court and the ACLJ in the defense of Israel regarding war crime accusations by Palestinians, along with the stability in the Middle East, and U.S. interests.

April 6 Discussed the importance of vaccinations and micro-chipping pets, especially if they have the ability to go outdoors.

April 9 Reported on Onslow County's overall health ranking in North Carolina. Outcome rankings include mortality and morbidity data and the factors such as smoking, obesity and walking as ways to address health issues.

April 10 Interviewed George Sturm from Albania about the radio station he has there and the Christian and American influence it has on the culture.

April 11 Interviewed Gerald Stephens, the nurseryman, about tree removal and stump grinding. Also discussed the bio-impact of leaving a stump

April 12 Today is the anniversary of the sinking of the Titanic. We discussed the Augusta native and former aide to the president, Major Archibald Butt, and his unselfish and heroic measures of assisting others to safety.

April 13 Reported on the ongoing lawsuit where a city code fined a family for hosting a weekly Bible Study in their home and its ramifications for freedom of Religion.

April 16 Having commemorated the anniversary of the Titanic this weekend, we discussed the revisionism prevalent today that reinterprets that event through a modern lense of Marxist Class Warfare depicted in movies and books of today.

April 17 Reported on the British Library having paid 14.3 million dollars to acquire a manuscript copy of the Gospel of John. The library said it is an artifact of the world's most important books.

April 18 Covered a story about a new high-powered ultrasound beam that can destroy prostate cancer without causing side effects. It is being studied now on men at the University College London Hospital.

April 19 Tomorrow is Earth Day. Related a story of how a teenager made a difference in conservation. While a teenager 30 years ago, he began planting and nurturing seeds along a barren, sandy island in a river. Today, it is a sprawling, 1360 acre forest supporting an astounding diversity of wildlife and trees.

April 20 Discussed bullying in the context of a recent Colorado boy who retaliated against a bully. Discussed ways to address and prevent bullying.

April 23 Carried Family Life Today, which gave advice on how to improve family and marriage.

April 24 Reported on the legal difficulties for Chaplains at the Air Force Academy and how atheists are barring the Chaplains from teaching and presenting the gospel and violating religious freedom.

April 25 Followed up on the Colorado boy who was suspended after fighting back against a bully who was beating him. We detailed the attack and addressed the school district's policies and common sense and how to look at local policies.

April 26 Discussed the drought in the Southeast. Identified the most extreme areas and discussed how to manage and improve water usage at home and business.

April 27 Reported on the ongoing terrorism against Israel, specifically how Islamic leaders in the Gaza Strip call for militants to kidnap Israelis and use them as bargaining chips. This was a Reuters news story, and we discussed our responsibilities for human rights.

April 30 Discussed Religious freedom where in Nigeria a pastor and 20 worshipers were killed during services yesterday.

May 1 Reported on a case in Colorado of a man convicted of a crime in 1994 but was freed this week by DNA evidence. Focused on his willingness to forgive and desire to spend time with his family and how those are indicators of the most important things in life.

May 2 From Health.com, we shared how pumping up a diet with fruits and vegetables that have fewer calories per bite help create a feeling of fullness, therefore, beneficial in losing weight.

May 3 With many primaries featuring ballot initiatives regarding the definition of marriage, We discussed the religious and moral understanding of marriage, and reported on Billy Graham's full page ad in 14 North Carolina's newspapers supporting traditional marriage.

May 4 Interviewed Nick Eicher with World Magazine about how the U3 and U6 Unemployment numbers are determined by the Department of Labor. We also discussed the Labor Force Participation rate and how that number can affect the outcome of the numbers.

May 7 With Memorial Day approaching, we discussed the State Park systems and gave websites and phone numbers so listeners could be informed about the various state parks in our coverage area.

May 8 Covered the North Carolina primary, we addressed the various ballot initiatives and candidates for today's election.

May 9 Reported on the Egyptian Islamists goal to make Jerusalem the capital of the United States of the Arabs, and how that adds to the ongoing conflict in the middle East.

May 10 Discussed the ongoing human rights and religious freedom issue in Iran where Pastor Youcef is being held. Now his attorney has been arrested and convicted for keeping banned books at home, among other charges.

May 11 Reported on the how Christian denominations are crying foul over the President's position on gay marriage and specifically that the scriptures are in agreement over it.

May 14 Covered a story how publishers are placing documents and literature on jump drives and how the material is being disseminated in countries where there is no or little freedom of the press or expression. We discussed potential outcomes, and specifically how North Korea is trying to prevent it.

May 15 Discussed the various phases and stages of marriage and offered keys to navigating each place and transition in order to have healthier homes.

May 16 Reported on a Religious freedom issue where Fed Ex was involved in a workplace persecution case against Eric Weathers. We discussed rights in the workplace.

May 17 Reported on the mandate that prohibits military chaplains from acting in his or her conscience, and moral principles. Both the White House and Nancy Pelosi were overturning section 536 of the Defense authorization bill which protects chaplains.

May 18 Covered the story how North Carolina opposed same sex marriage on the recent election, and how the President's support of gay marriage may have backlash in the black community.

May 21 Related the story of how the blind, Chinese dissident, Chen Guangcheng is recovering since his arrest, torture and escape in China. He is now in the U.S. We discussed freedom.

May 22 Carried the broadcast, Family Talk. They discussed the fundamental priorities to having a successful marriage.

May 23 Since reporting on the President's support of gay marriage, we have covered the Black communities response. Today, the COGIC issued formal papers against the President's decision and affirmed traditional, biblical marriage.

May 24 Shared the most recent study on religious growth in America, where Islam has bypassed Mormonism as the fastest growing religion in Illinois. We discussed the Christian approach to Muslims in the community.

May 25 Discussed the death of Robin Gibbs, who died of colorectal cancer. We encouraged colonoscopies and discussed colon health.

May 28 Today is memorial day. In addition to highlighting some 19th century music from the Civil War, we discussed the origin of the day, and how we are to commemorate this day.

May 29 Reported on how Planned Parenthood is facilitating late term abortion and selective elimination of baby girls in the womb. We discussed their video that details how a pregnant woman can get Medicaid funds to pay for the procedure. We of course discussed the moral implications of this human tragedy.

May 30 Covered a story about how Shorter University has renewed its commitment to Christian principles and the steps they have taken to approve these new measures.

May 31 Today is No Tobacco Day. We discussed the smoking rates in our coverage area and pointed the listeners to websites that offer help quitting smoking.

June 1 Reported on the S.C. congressional vote to approve the Home School Athletics and Extracurricular Activities Access bill. This has been in the works for sixteen years, and finally will make it possible for homeschooled families to participate in public school sports and music programs.

June 4 Discussed child-rearing practices and specifically discipline. The age old practice of spanking was challenged in court, and a pastor was found guilty of child abuse for advocating and participating in spanking. He was sentenced to two years of prison and six years of probation.

June 5 Discussed graduation ceremonies, the decorum and formality vrs. The growing trend of public outbursts and cheering. Cited two examples of schools who had parents physically removed from the ceremonies.

June 6 Covered a story from New Mexico regarding anti-discrimination laws, when a photographer declined photographing a same-sex ceremony due to his religious convictions.

June 7 A health report on tooth brushing was the topic today in regarding cardiovascular health as well as how to protect teeth from the acids found in today's foods.

June 8 Reported on a Christian School in Ohio that rescinded their offer to hire a music teacher once they discovered he was a homosexual. We discussed the law and rights of the school to uphold their mission and act according to their faith and how that correlates to the teacher's rights.

June 11 Shared the story how the president of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People's Iowa-Nebraska conference has resigned from the organization due to the NAACP's position and support of same-sex marriage. Discussed the far reaching ramifications of this issue.

June 12 Covered the New York Times story on how the Family net worth has dropped by 40% on average. How this drop affects families, the economy, and the political climate.

June 13 Reported on the new legal effort to change unconstitutional policies at 160 public universities and colleges in 23 states. The ADF has identified problematic policies including various speech codes that are unconstitutional.

June 14 Discussed the military rule and muslim brotherhood law in Egypt and how it is affecting the national interests of the United States.

June 15 Talked about the recent heavy rains in context of the multi-year drought, the new rankings of drought severity and ways to conserve and improve water usage.

June 18 Issued an alert for a forest fire in our North Carolina coverage area. Road closings, air quality, and safety measures were the focus of the alert.

June 19 In discussion of the local economy, we covered the global economy and how political policies and worldview affect the outcomes. We cited Margaret Thatcher's

prediction that converting to the Euro would bring devastation to the economy because of the vast differences between industrial powerhouses like Germany and small economies like Greece.

June 20 Continued coverage of the North Carolina wild fires, issuing alerts and updates.

June 21 Began discussion about bullying. Fed off news story of a grandmother, bus monitor who was bullyied by students.

June 22 Another story of restriction of freedom of religion. Mecklenburg County Police have forbidden chaplains to pray in Jesus' name.

June 25 Reported on a Supreme Court decision to strike down three of the four challenged provisions of Arizona's immigration law. Discussed how the decision will ripple down to states like Georgia and South Carolina.

June 26 Discussed the connection between same sex marriage and religious freedom. In areas where it is legalized, legal proceedings against churches have increased 200-300%

June 27 Carried the broadcast, Money Wise, which is a call in show about managing money and finances.

June 28 Reported on the highly controversial Obamacare. The Supreme Court upheld the mandate. We discussed the ramifications, politically and economically.

June 29 Interviewed Nick Eicher with World Magazine about the Supreme Court ruling and about how insurance and health care will be affected.

July 2 Reported on the New York federal case regarding religious freedom and the ability for churches to meet in public schools for now.

July 3 Broadcast Family Life Today, which discussed keys on having a successful marriage and family.

July 4 Carried the broadcast Family Life Today, which discussed adoption

July 5 Reported on the Supreme Court decision that upheld Release Time, which allows School Ministries count toward graduation as elective Carnegie units.

July 6 Covered the politics of abortion, citing the Tennessee legislature cutting funding for Planned Parenthood, while the Health and Human services circumvented the cut by giving a \$1million grant.

July 9 Reported on the liberal branch of the Presbyterians (USA) and their decision to reject same sex unions.

July 10 Interviewed Samaritans Ministries about how to avoid the health care mandate as well as high premiums.

July 11 Discussed the topic of Identity theft, focusing on steps to take to protect yourself as well as protecting children and grand children.

July 12 In context of the Sandusky trial, we presented a 10 step plan by Michael Reagan, who was abused when he was in the third grade, to keep children safe from abuse.

July 13 Interviewed Nick Eicher with World Magazine about the week's top headlines, and politics, and any impact on our listeners.

July 16 Reported on a case in Utah, where the school district wants to allow children access to a homosexual advocacy book without the knowledge of their parents. We talked about the parental rights and the legal battle, citing U.S. Supreme court precedent that requires parental notification.

July 17 Carried a Fox News story on the decision for the Boy Scouts to reaffirm their ban on excluding homosexuals.

July 18 Discussed the division in the NAACP high-lighted by the President's decision to support Gay marriage. Several black leaders are growing more vocal on the missional drift within the organization, saying homosexual issues are not the same as racial, although there is a growing trend to tie the two issues together under civil rights.

July 19 We reported on the administration's decision to exercise executive privilege to waive the work requirements for welfare. The work requirement has been the law for almost 20 years, and welfare roles have decreased. The argument is that with this removal, the welfare rolls will expand. We discussed it in terms of deficit spending and personal responsibility.

July 20 Played the broadcast, Answers in Genesis, which discussed how Christianity has gained freedom for women and minorities.

July 23 Reported on the tragic shooting in Colorado. We discussed a video the shooter produced six years earlier on the topic of temporal illusion, a concept he believed would allow him to change the past.

July 24 Discussed victims' rights. A teenaged sexual assault victim's attackers were granted a plea bargain, so the victim exposed them by name. She now faces contempt of court.

July 25 Shared a new procedure from the Journal Neuron, that is able to restore a level of vision to the congenitally blind. It is a simple injection of AAQ, developed at the U. of California, Berkeley.

July 26 Office Depot just donated a \$1million gift to the Born This Way foundation to help kids accept they're born gay. We cited the scientific studies from the American Psychiatric Association from May 2002 that determined no one know what causes homosexuality.

July 27 Florida State University released their latest findings that two apples a day reduce cholesterol and over six months can significantly reduce cholesterol by 25%. This also coincided with research indicating that it reduces colon cancer. We shared the information and suggested ways to incorporate apples in one's diet.

July 30 Discussed a speech given by a presidential candidate that stated how one's culture directly affects one's economy.

July 31 Reported on today's election in Georgia. A proposal for the largest tax proposal in state history is on the ballot, and we discussed the pros and cons.

August 1 Followed up on yesterday's sales tax. It was defeated and marks the first time a unified attempt to coordinate the counties of Georgia for a transportation tax. On a related topic we discussed an Atlanta Journal Constitution poll that found many people associate mass transit with crime.

August 2 Reported on the response of gay activists who threatened and bullied Chic Filet for their pro family stance. Discussed worldview, tolerance, and bullying.

August 3 Announced the South Carolina tax free weekend. Demonstrated how to maximize savings and what products were exempt from taxes.

August 6 Covered the latest development on the Chic Filet protest and how the Alliance Defending Freedom has pressured universities to not give in to hate speech and religious intolerance.

August 7 With rain in the forecast, we updated the status of the drought and spoke with nurseryman Gerald Stephens about ways to benefit lawns, bushes, and trees.

August 8 Discussed climate change. Cited the June 24, 1974 Time Magazine article declaring another coming Ice Age by 50 years. Juxtaposed that to the current platform of global warming and how fees and taxes are charged this country, and their impact on the earth's climate.

August 9 Reported on the Race To The Top federal program that could standardize education and the available grants. This program has great potential damage to private and home schools.

August 10 Shared an ironic Gallup Poll that revealed that Washington D.C. is the only place in America where the majority of the people surveyed believes the economy is

getting better. This led to the discussion of how jobs are created and how policy impacts growth.

August 13 Featured a World Magazine story about religious and academic discrimination. The focus of the article was how a professor who held orthodox beliefs at a Christian school was fired because the school has embraced liberal theology.

August 14 Carried the broadcast program: Probe. The host presented an educational comparison contrast of capitalism and socialism.

August 15 Talked about the issues of voter fraud and how the tension between maintaining the integrity of elections and not suppressing legitimate voters is escalating. Specifically, we cited how Homeland Security is working with Florida to cull the rolls.

August 16 Carried a humanitarian story from China, how a man who lost both hands in an accident, did not have the money for prosthetics; so he spent eight years creating mechanical prosthetics that can grip and hold, due to pulleys and wires. They are controlled with movements from his elbows, giving himself the ability to feed himself, dress himself and other tasks. He now is making some for others, who also cannot afford prosthetics.

August 17 After the shooting that took place at the conservative's Family Research Center in Washington, D.C., We measured the media coverage to see how the networks covered the liberal hate crime. No network gave a full story report, with the longest, CBS being a 17 second news brief, that ignored the shooter's motive.

August 20 Gave news coverage of the swimmer who is attempting to swim from Cuba to Florida. We talked about healthy living as well as political asylum.

August 21 Continuing with yesterday's emphasis on healthy living, we shared a study from the Journal of Diabetes Care on how walking at least 3500 steps a day can drastically improve a person's health.

August 22 Shared the results of a 140 page research report revealing the growing hostility against Christians and Christianity in the United States. We stressed knowing the understanding of the implications of religious liberty and encouraged people to stand.

August 23 In our continuing theme of religious liberty, we discussed the study by the Chronicle of Philanthropy that showed how the most religious people and the most religious states give more to charity. Obviously, we connected the dots of religion and charity.

August 24 Discussed the World Magazine article about the senatorial candidate who misspoke about rape and abortion. We discussed the fallout and implications and showing how his gaffe would cost him the election.

August 27 Talked about the growing national debt and how it will reach an unprecedented \$16 trillion over the next week. We talked about how previous kingdoms and nations have fallen because of this kind of debt load and what makes this ruling body think they are exempt from conventional wisdom and laws of economics.

August 28 Cited a survey that shows a rising tide of attacks on religious liberty in the public square and in schools. The report documents hundreds of instances of hostility towards Christianity in the past few years in the U.S.A. This threatens religious liberty.

August 29 Interviewed the nurseryman, Gerald Stephens, about spiders. He discussed their benefits to the garden, but also threats by black and brown widows.

August 30 Reported on the efficiency of the Southern Baptist Disaster Relief volunteers, highlighting their ability to stage relief in disaster zones.

August 31 Interviewed Nick Eicher about this week's Republican Convention for the presidency. We covered each night and theme, the platform, and major issues.

Sep 3 Reported on the emphasis on the strong social issues that are in the Republican platform. Specifically, the definition of marriage and no tax dollars for abortion.

Sep 4 Followed up on the University of Texas at Austin research study where when a homosexual journalist did not like the outcome of a study on the affects of same sex relationships on children, he made false allegations about the author of the study. He made charges to jeopardize the professor, requiring the inquiry. We discussed bullying and intolerance.

Sep 5 Interviewed Gerald Stephens about when to plant cool weather grass, and how to care for lawns in the autumn and winter.

Sep 6 Reported on the second day of the Democratic convention in Charlotte. Their agenda featured reproductive rights, abortion rights and even voting against acknowledging God and recognizing Jerusalem as the capital of Israel. These are huge social and value issues that are polarizing.

Sep 7 Interviewed Nick Eicher with World Magazine. We covered the convention and the week's political news.

Sep 10 Gave an update on how to best protect computers and smart phones from cyber attacks and crime in light of the increasing dangers.

Sep 11 Reported on a church in Miami, Fl where the pastor preached that homosexuality is a sin. He is now being evicted from using the school as a meeting place due to hatespeech. We discussed the freedom of religion and first amendment.

Sep 12 Updated the audience on the ACLU's attempt to prohibit the release time program for school students in South Carolina. The Alliance Defending Freedom is standing up for the first amendment.

Sep 13 With the supreme court ruling in favor of Obama care, many of the law's problems are being worked out. We reported on Hobby Lobby's suit to opt out due to religious freedom and religious conscience.

Sep 14 Discussed the Christian responsibility and response to social issues in a historical context. From Slavery to child labor and orphanages, we discussed how in light of the supreme court ruling in favor of abortion that the argument was there was no safe place for women in crisis pregnancies. We traced the development of crisis pregnancy centers and the support and provision they offer today's women.

Sep 17 We continued our discussion of global religious freedom and human rights. Although pastor Youcef in Iran has been released, his lawyer has been imprisoned for representing him.

Sep 18 Our North Carolina coverage area is under a tornado watch. In addition to covering the weather, we used the awareness to educate our audience in storm preparation.

Sep 19 We discussed the Equal Access to Extracurricular Activities Act that allows home schooled students to participate in public school activities. Although it is now legal, it is being challenged by some school districts.

Sep 20 Reported on the rise in identity theft. Spoke with the S.C. State Treasurer on how not to become a victim.

Sep 21 Interviewed Nick Eicher with World Magazine. We discussed journalism in the context of the Gallup poll that found only 8% of Americans have a great deal of trust in news media.

Sep 24 Interviewed Pat Roy with the Institute of Creation Research in response to the Bill Nye video that stated no child should be taught any scientific theory other than evolution.

Sep 25 Since Hobby Lobby took a stand against the healthcare mandate. Hate groups have lashed out against the store chain. We reported on the intolerant events and boycotts.

Sep 26 In a continuation of our coverage of the recent Gallup poll, we cited the Media Research Center's exposure of the mainstream media's willingness to support a leftist agenda in order to influence the outcome of the election. The research detailed the intentional omission to forgo serious coverage of the real problems in America while focusing on sound bytes and minor issues.

Sep 27 It has been 16 days since the U.S. embassy was attacked in Libya. Four Americans were killed. We reported on yesterday's NBC interview that featured Libya's president. He contradicted the U.S. version of the story. He said it was a pre-planned act of terrorism. We suggested there might be a cover up, and pointed to the White House Secretary, Jay Carney's double speak response that said the attack was a terrorist attack, while maintaining it was a protest.

Sep 28 We cited a Norwegian study that found the divorce rate among couples who broke traditional roles was 50% higher than among those couples who tried to maintain traditional roles. The study suggested having very clear roles helps preserve boundaries and gives freedom for each spouse, thereby producing a happier unit.

Oct 1 Reported on the Univision news network that identified the U.S. as responsible for a failed operation that placed weapons in the hands of drug lords and cost the lives of several citizens.

Oct 2 Covered the story about the U.N. resolution for the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (CRPD) that is coming up for U.S. vote. It is a treaty that has the ability to remove the right parents have to educate their children at home.

Oct 3 In a health update, we shared the latest findings of the benefits of eating an apple a day and its positive outcome for heart health.

Oct 4 Reported on the first Presidential Debate last night.

Oct 5 Emphasized our event calendar and all the free public announcements we make available to our audience as a public service. We highlighted several events.

Oct 8 We aired the broadcast, Family Life Today, which discussed how Fathers and daughters can have better relationships.

Oct 9 We carried a broadcast on Focus on The Family that coached parents on how to parent a strong-willed child.

Oct 10 Covered a story from yesterday's S.C. Supreme Court ruling that said it was legal if someone gains access to your email and reads it, provided the emails are in the inbox. We discussed privacy issues and safety with email accounts.

Oct 11 We discussed the topic of drought in regards to this week's conference on water supplies. We covered water and sewage improvements in regards to drawing new business, disputes among the states on water supplies, steps individuals and families can make to improve water supply and conservation.

Oct 12 Gave news coverage to the Iranian currency crisis and how that affects the stability of the nation as well as their ability to proceed with nuclear armament. All of this impacts the stability of the region, the relation to U.S. allies and interests. They are discussing pro-western candidates for future office in hopes to curtail the embargoes.

Oct 15 Interviewed Team Impact. They are going to be conducting assemblies at various schools this week in Florence, S.C. and they will meet nightly at a church facility. They promote health and wholeness and no drugs.

Oct 16 Reported on the Vice President's statement to the University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse last Friday that Planned Parenthood does not perform abortions. Using their own data, we broadcast that they have performed 985,731 abortions between 2008 and 2010. We discussed this in context of the social issues that continue to prevail in American politics and campaigns.

Oct 17 It has been over a month since the attack on the American Embassy in Libya. In last night's debate, the president claimed they have been calling it terrorism since the beginning, however, we reported on the previous statements that blamed it on a spontaneous protest over a movie. We discussed the importance the freedom of the press is in a free country.

Oct 18 We covered a story where Israel has stated they will consider military action in Syria if they believe the country's chemical weapons would fall to terrorists. The growing tension in that region has significant impact for U.S. interests.

Oct 19 Reported on South Carolina's lowcountry diocese breaking with the Episcopal church. The split represents the years of dissention over social and moral issues such as homosexuality.

Oct 22 We cited a recent crime report that reveals that 40% of all robberies now involve cell phones. We shared tips on crime prevention, and steps to take if one is victimized.

Oct 23 We emphasized our free public service announcements. One specific event was how to become a foster parent and how to adopt.

Oct 24 Discussed article from Broadcast Engineering about CPR and the electrocution dangers of unplugged components, like computers, with warnings about trying to repair them.

Oct 25 Promoted our free public service announcements, explained how to make use of the airtime as well as our website. Gave several examples, and promoted an upcoming Thanksgiving meal for the poor.

Oct 26 Our coastal regions are under a tropical storm watch. We advised on preparation as well as planning on the worst case scenarios.

Oct 29 Carried the broadcast program "Money Wise". It is a call in show with financial advice that helps people with budgets, debt, and investments.

Oct 30 Continued discussion about the recent security breach with South Carolina's Department of Treasury. We covered steps to take if one's identity had been compromised, as well as steps to take to avoid identity theft.

Oct 31 Reported on the conflict of interest with the Department of Justice leader, Eric Holder. He does not prosecute abortion clinics, yet he prosecuted several people who have protested abortion. Documents disclose that Holder's wife and sister-in-law own property that an abortion clinic leases. We discussed the importance of integrity and the law.

Nov 1 Hurricane Sandy has done extensive damage to N.J. and Staten Island. We promoted the faith-based first responder teams in our area, and highlighted how much more effective they are than government sponsored groups in the first week or two of disasters.

Nov 2 Interviewed Nick Eicher from World Magazine regarding the upcoming election. We discussed the issues as well as the differences in the two political platforms.

Nov 5 In light of the recent Hurricane, we reviewed a 7 step checklist for preparation for disasters. We also covered how to make a "Ready Kit" and gave websites for additional information.

Nov 6 Provided election results and commentary

Nov 7 Interviewed Gerald Stephens the Nurseryman about landscaping and planting during the winter months.

Nov 8 Reported on the U.N. elections observers who watched polls in several key states. We commented on their obersvations: Without voter ID it is easy to commit fraud, Provisional and mail in ballots are equally prone to voter fraud.

Nov 9 Shared a research project by Cambridge University that enabled a man who has been in a vegetative state for 10 years due to brain injury to communicate using imagery generated in different parts of the brain and measured with an MRI.

Nov 12 Updated the audience on the S.C. immigration law that went back to federal court for revision, while many sections of the law have taken effect.

Nov 13 Covered the ongoing relief efforts in the aftermath of hurricane Sandy. Emphasized the volunteer efforts and effectiveness of faith-based groups.

Nov 14 Shared an article by CNN and William Bennett about the culture war and how public schools, colleges, and universities are the foundational institutions for teaching liberalism. We talked about how the media and entertainment industry help define the discourse and discussion.

Nov 15 Reported on how S.C. will not set up a state health exchange. The governor states that the exchange would only pass the burden of a new bureaucracy onto the state, without the full disclosure of the program's regulations being known.

Nov 16 Interviewed Nick Eicher with World Magazine about the current news cycle. We discussed the middle east, as well as General Patraeus's extramarital affair and the implications of moral behavior.

Nov 19 Reported on the continued barrage of rockets Hamas is firing into Israel, the call of 30,000 troops and the international implications a war will have.

Nov 20 Explained the SCE&G rate terms and increase, how that is permitted by the Public Service Commission and what consumers can do to address the rate increases.

Nov 21 Discussed highway safety. This is the most travelled weekend of the year, and drunk driving is an issue. We gave out travel safety tips from the Georgia Highway Patrol.

Nov 22 On this day of Thanksgiving we discussed having a grateful heart and developing a lifestyle of thankfulness, along with the benefits such a lifestyle promotes.

Nov 23 Discussed the freedom of religion issue in context of a church in Arkansas that is producing the play, "A Charlie Brown Christmas". We discussed the soft religious undertone, how secularists are trying to drive all religious speech out of the public arena, and how the Arkansas Society of Freethinkers is attempting to prevent elementary students from attending.

Nov 26 Shared research from the University of Bordeaux how exposure to blue light is highly effective at improving night drivers' alertness. We discussed how this information can lead to safer night driving, and also how looking at computer screens late at night can inhibit one's ability to go to sleep.

Nov 27 Followed up on our report of SCE&G's rate increase in S.C. Public pressure resulted in a more moderate price hike even before tonight's public hearing.

Nov 28 Discussed how the Supreme Court is now hearing arguments on the definition of marriage. We traced this hearing to the 2000 vote in California that was struck down, and the 2008 proposition 8 that was challenged, and how it now faces supreme court.

Nov 29 Reported on how Senate Majority leader Harry Reid (D) has announced he is bringing a controversial United Nations disabilities treaty up for vote. We are explaining the hidden concerns that support abortion and limit school choice for parents.

Nov 30 Updated our S.C. listeners on the latest about the hack and compromise into the State Treasury database. It is determined that a dual password system would prevent hackers in the future and would cost about \$25,000

Dec 3 Interviewed missionary, David Croudace. He explained how they went into Mozambique 50 years ago, educating and assisting the people. He described the success they have had in helping the people

Dec 4 Promoted our free public service announcements. We highlighted the Bethesda House that helps and houses women who have become drug addicts or alcoholics.

Dec 5 Citing a report from the Wall Street Journal about the benefits of stability control. We shared driver safety tips and discussed how technology is saving lives.

Dec 6 Carried the broadcast moneywise. It discussed personal finances and finding a job.

Dec 7 Interviewed Nick Eicher with World Magazine. We discussed this week's news stories.

Dec 10 Discussed a sermon by one of the ministers we carry. He explained how the democratic party, by endorsing abortion, contraception, and gay marriage have stepped out of the world of politics and into the realm of God's law and morality. Along with that decision comes the judgment and wrath of God, and he cited Romans 1 as his text.

Dec 11 Reported on a federal district ruling that contradicts other court rulings. The new ruling has cleared the way for religious organizations to sue the federal government over the health insurance law's contraceptive mandate.

Dec 12 Updated S.C. listeners about the process to fill Senator Jim DeMint's place. The governor does not want a placeholder, but rather a full candidate, and she has narrowed it to five choices.

Dec 13 Broadcast "Money Wise" which is a fifteen minute call in show about finances and personal money questions. They discussed how to get out of debt and why

Dec 14 Interviewed Nick Eicher with World Magazine. We discussed this week's news headlines and unfolding stories such as the fiscal cliff affect our listeners.

Dec 17 We had inclimate weather in several parts of our listening area. We gave weather conditions, forecasts, and alerts. Some areas were under tornado watches.

Dec 18 Reported on a change of rules for Facebook's Instagram Photo app. We read the new rules and discussed the privacy issues surrounding their new conditions.

Dec 19 Updated audience on the latest court ruling regarding religious, nonprofit organizations and the Healthcare mandate that requires coverage for contraception and abortafacients. The ruling is not complete and requires the government to make amendments in 60 days.

Dec 20 Gave coverage to some of the funerals after the shooting in Connecticut last week. We told some personal anecdotes about some of the children.

Dec 21 Interviewed Nick Eicher of World Magazine. We discussed the week's news events, focusing on the upcoming fiscal cliff.

Dec 24 Carried the Broadcast Family Talk. It is a 30 minute program that covered marriage and parenting concerns and help.

Dec 25 This is Christmas Day. We carried a variety of holiday type programs, however, in the interest of the public file, we carried hourly newscasts, and we used the specialty programming children's programming that carried positive messages of doing good works and striving to be a better person.

Dec 26 Now that the holidays are ending, we discussed the seven steps outlined in My Life Check by the American Heart Association of how we can improve our health this coming year.

Dec 27 We made our audience aware of a proposed gas tax increase for South Carolina by the non-profit, S.C. Alliance to Fix Our Roads organization. We gave contact information as well as the outlining the plan.

Dec 28 We interviewed Nick Eicher with World Magazine. He reviewed the major stories of the year, specifically all the shootings across the country.

Dec 31 This being New Year's Eve, we discussed drunk driving, and read a press release by the Highway Patrol to encourage safe driving.