



SOME DATES OF INTEREST

- **Higher Ground**
August 18-19
Winstad
- **Sharathon 2006**
October 5-6
- **Extreme Faith 2006**
October 20-22
Fosston, MN
- **Franklin Graham Festival**
October 20-22
Winnipeg, MB

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From the President...

Greetings Q107 Listeners, Partners and Friends,

In the last newsletter I shared about how God had worked through the ministry of Q107 in 2005. I highlighted a number of events that had taken place that really have helped us to expand the ministry of the station. We were thoroughly blessed in 2005 and those blessings have continued right on into 2006. God's spirit really seems to be moving in a mighty way and I thank God for all he is doing to touch the hearts and minds of our listeners. In fact I believe that God has a real desire to touch the hearts of those who tune into the station. Jesus reached out and touched people right where they were at and that is exactly the same opportunity we have each day that we are on the air.

In the past couple of months we have had the opportunity to bring in two awesome groups to the Fosston area. Go Fish was here in concert in February and 4Him was here in May. Both of these groups came and did not just

put on a concert. They came and really ministered to the people that were there. They both personally connected with the audience which I believe is just what Jesus would do if he visited our area. What really gets me excited is knowing that others are being touched by God's spirit in a significant way. Q107 is not just about bringing concerts to our area but it is one of the ways that we are able to use the resources that God has given us to reach others for Him.

We have also been blessed in the last couple of months with wonderful financial support for this ministry. If all goes as planned we will well exceed our share-a-thon goal of \$155,000. We have also had a significant amount of support come into the station that was not part of the money that was pledged during share-a-thon. Again I believe that it is God's spirit moving in a mighty way and it is exciting to see such great support for this ministry.

We exist in response to those listening to the
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Bearing Fruit that Remains...

Updates from Q107...

Greetings to all from the entire staff at Q107! Much has happened in the past few months, and as they say....there's more to come! We are very excited to report that after much prayer and work, the Grand Forks,

ND translator is sounding fantastic! This has been an on-going project with Shine the Light, Inc. The translator has been in operation for 10 years from a location 3 miles north of Grand Forks, but with the help of talented engi-

neers, it's now positioned on a tower within the city limits. You may recall that our goal for Sharathon 2005 was bumped up \$5000.00 to help with this project, and by attaining that goal, the transla-
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Meet the STL Board...

ABOUT

US

My name is Robert Benson. I am 34 years old and I have lived in Grand Forks most of my life. I have been married 5 1/2 years to my beautiful wife, Valerie. We have 2 adopted sons, Nathan 18 months and Matthew 7 months. I work for FedEx hauling freight from Grand Forks to Fargo everyday. I've been employed with them for almost 5 years. Valerie is a full-time homemaker and mother (she even cuts hair on the side).

Along with being a board member for Shine the Light, I am also serving on two other

boards in Grand Forks; The Women's Pregnancy Center, and Youth For Christ.

Although I was raised in a Christian home, I haven't always lived my life as a Christian. I joined the board of Shine the Light because I have come to see how great an impact Christian radio can have on communities such as ours. Growing up I didn't have many choices when it came to Christian radio, so I tuned in to the secular stations. With their feeding, I was led down a path of rebellion. It didn't take me long and

I was living the party life. It took a few years of living for myself, then I hit rock bottom and began to see that Jesus had a better life for me. He used Christian music to speak to me and show me a different way.

Over the years I have seen how God can use Christian radio to change people's lives.

I am so thankful for Q107 and all they do to impact this region for Christ.

Give thanks to the
LORD, for he is
good! His faithful
love endures
forever.

Psalm 107:1



Updates from Q107...

tor now features a new high tech power amp and receive antenna which has dramatically helped in achieving the best possible quality signal! Praise the Lord!! We are starting to get some great feedback already without a lot of advertising.

The Walker translator has been blessed with a great signal since it went on the air last October! Unfortunately we do not have a staff person providing personal service to the area at this time, but we are very excited to have many new listeners in the Walker area that we are hearing from on a regular basis....birthdays, contests, etc. If you're in the Walker or Grand Forks areas, remember you can tune in to Q107 at 104.9 FM!

We're right between the Minnesota summer Christian Music Festivals! According to many listener reports, Sonshine was again an amazing event...and Higher Ground promises to be bigger and better than ever. Higher Ground dates are August 18th and 19th, and you can get all the details by going to www.q107fm.com and click the link.

Final details are coming together for Extreme Faith 2006, a fantastic youth conference October 20-22 to be held at the Fosston High School. Bringing area youth to a deeper relationship with Christ, along with great fun and fellowship, and it's easy to get to! Extreme Faith has been a great partnership with Q107, Shine the Light Inc and Grand Forks Area Youth For Christ. We're hoping to add Oak Hills Christian College to the partnership this year as well. For all the details, go to www.extremefaith2006.com. It will be exciting to see the registrations start to come in!

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STL Financial Update...

Thank you to those who have already fulfilled their pledge from last Sharathon, or have been sending in regular installments. We greatly appreciate your faithfulness.

possible so they have time to fulfill their entire pledge before next Sharathon.

JoAnn Fultz, Financial Secretary



There are still many people, however, who have not given toward their pledge yet. We want to encourage those people to get started as soon as

For the LORD is good. His unfailing love continues forever, and his faithfulness continues to each generation.

Psalm 100:5

From the President...

station. Recently we upgraded our signal in Grand Forks and we immediately heard from listeners in that area. We are also moving into the vacation season down in Walker and we expect many more people to be reached with the gospel in that area as we move into summer. God continues to expand our circle of influence and it is exciting to watch all of the opportunities that God is opening up through Q107.

this ministry over the years but none of this would be possible without the prayers and financial support we have received from so many listeners. God is truly touching the hearts and minds of our listeners and if we remain faithful to His word I believe that he has an awesome future planned for us. Thanks again for your partnership in this vital radio ministry in Northwestern MN, Northeastern ND and beyond.

As I close I would ask for your prayers as we continue to seek God's will for this radio ministry. It has been wonderful to see how God has blessed

Wishing you a blessed and wonderful summer,
Mike Adamek

Extreme Faith 2006 - Free!

"I thank Jesus our Lord, who has given me strength, that he considered me faithful, appointing me to his service."

I Timothy 1:12-19

Our theme for 2006 is FREE! With a focus on I Timothy 1:12-19, we will explore the freedom offered to all through the life, death and resurrection of Jesus, the freedom we have to worship a true and living God, the freedom over every day struggles and the freedom to go out and serve God in our everyday lives.

Registration for Extreme Faith 2006 is \$45 in advance and \$50 after September 30. Youth Leaders are \$30. You can download registration, health/liability forms and more information by going to the website <http://extremefaith2006.com>. Check it out!

We look forward to a great weekend as we help build and replenish the faith of the youth in the area!



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Shine The Light, Inc is a nonprofit, nondenominational ministry formed to bring glory to God through gospel promotion. Shine The Light helps support Q107 through prayer and financial resources.

It is the desire of Shine The Light to bring together individuals and families who share common values, to promote spiritual awareness, to be uplifting to those who are lonely, and to offer an alternative message and encouragement to today's youth with contemporary Christian music.

Bearing fruit that remains...



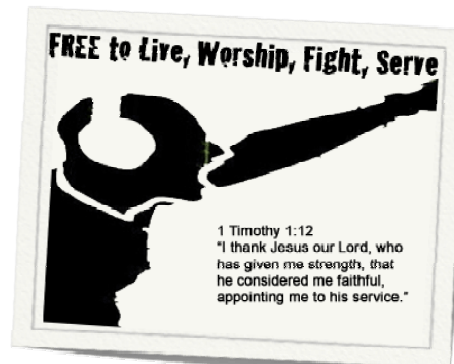
Updates from Q107...

There's another exciting event that Q107 will have a part in promoting, and it happens to fall on the same weekend as Extreme Faith. It's the Franklin Graham Central Canada Festival and Crusade in Winnipeg! Again, you'll find a link to the details on the Q107 website. We're considering hosting a bus to this huge outreach event which would include an overnight Saturday night. Stay tuned for more details!

I have to throw in a quick mention about Janet Parshall's America. It's a two hour call in show from 1 to 3pm Monday

through Friday. Events happening around our country and world do have an impact on our families, and it's important to stay informed. Janet does a wonderful job and we hope you're enjoying her show.

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Oct 20-22



As I wrap up, it cannot be stressed enough how much we appreciate your prayers, your support and your time spent listening to Today's Christian Music, Q107FM. Please feel free to call or email with any questions, comments and concerns. Without you, we would not be here! We continually thank our Lord and Savior for the opportunity to broadcast the Good News to the region.

Blessings to you all,
Phil Ehlke
Q107 General Manager