**To My Father's Glory**

**LLBN eNewsletter, Sept / Oct 2012**

"This is to my Father's glory, that you bear much fruit, showing yourselves to be my disciples."

John 15:8 (NIV)

You are invited to take part and watch the Fall Week of Spiritual Renewal - Live from Loma Linda University Chapel, October 8-12, 2012.

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“Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.” -- Matthew 5:16

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VOLUNTEER PROFILES

LLBN's volunteers are among the most valuable of God's blessing for this ministry. Everything is possible because of their many hours of service and dedication. This month we are pleased to introduce to you Sterling Peter and Matthew Hanna. Click on each name to read more about them!

WHAT'S AHEAD

Access the latest on LLBN's live programs such as Christian Connections and upcoming featured guests, as well as Loma Linda University Church Services. The page will be kept updated with details and available for your visit anytime with refreshed information. Please refer to it until the next issue of our eNewsletter.

UPDATE ON BIBLE LANDS TOUR: MARCH 14-28, 2012

For those interested, new exciting details are available from archaeologist Dr. Larry Geraty of La Sierra University, and Egyptologist and field archaeologist, Dr. Robert Bates of Andrews University.

As a 100% viewer-supported network, this outreach would not have been possible without you, our faithful viewers.

To view a special message from LLBN's President / CEO Ganim...

For more great programs on LLBN, tune in via Glorystar satellite channel 105, on Roku via Brightstar, online at www.llbn.tv, or via cable/Verizon FIOS/high and low power TV stations in select areas. A full schedule is available on our website or by calling...
If you are interested to receive an invite to Pinterest send an email to comments@llbn.tv with "pinterest" on the subject line.

To be part of the international television ministry of LLBN, click here to make a fully tax-deductible gift. Remember that your prayers sustain and empower us and your comments refresh and inspire. Thank you for showing yourselves to be Christ's disciples by partnering with us to bear much fruit!
Loma Linda University - Week of Spiritual Renewal

Oct. 8-12 Week of Renewal "Beautiful Day Week"

Daily 11am (PDT)

Mon Oct. 8 — "A Beautiful Day for the World"
Global Health Institute

Tues Oct. 9 — "A Beautiful Day for the Community"
Institute for Community Partnerships – Tim Gillespie

Wed Oct. 10 — "a Beautiful Day for the Campus"
Lifestyle Medicine Institute – Terry Swenson

Thurs Oct. 11 — "A Beautiful Day for You"
Behavioral Health Institute – Dilys Brooks
Fri Oct. 12 — "A Beautiful Day for God"
Center for Spiritual Life & Wholeness – Carla Gober

Direct Link to LLBN Live Stream
LLBN News

Heartwarming Stories from LLBN Arabic

News, Programs, and More...

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One urgent message came from a viewer in Canada who only spoke French and Arabic. Miraculously, she connected with an LLBN operator who spoke French and was able to pass on the message to the LLBN Arabic team: "Please call me today as my husband does not like anything evangelical and he will not be home today!" She had many questions prompted by a program with Pastor Solomon Nazal, questions about her faith and how to go about it.

Another LLBN Arabic viewer from near San Diego, California, left a message wanting to talk to someone in Arabic. She later shared with Basil Nahab, Vice President of LLBN Arabic, that she is originally from Iraq, and at one time she tried to commit suicide because she had no purpose in life. She told him, "One day I saw Jesus telling me about the Bible and how to be saved. I started reading the Bible". She told Basil she watches LLBN Arabic all the time and enjoys the station very much. She had several questions for Basil, including, "Why do I hear about the Sabbath at LLBN Arabic?" which Basil was happy to respond to. She requested that the people at LLBN to pray for her and promised to pray for LLBN as well!

LLBN Arabic is a ministry that sends the Good News of salvation through Jesus Christ to the whole world through satellite and the internet. Its message of hope reaches out to millions of Arabic speaking people living in countries where they may not be reached in any other method. The administration of LLBN Arabic Network invites you to share your knowledge about LLBN with your friends, to send your constructive suggestions and to continue to pray for the success of its programs. Since LLBN Arabic is a viewer-supported network, we urge you to support this ministry not only through your prayers but through your financial gifts. LLBN is a 501(c)3 tax-exempt organization and needs your help to continue uplifting Jesus and transforming lives of individuals as it reaches out to the inhabitants of planet Earth.
We don't know how many lives are touched by LLBN. Most stories will never get told until we reach heaven. An overview of our social media reach gives us just a glimpse of where LLBN is making an impact. The LLBN Facebook page reports the people reached this week: 31 in Saudi Arabia - 26 in Abha & Jizan; and 6 in United Arab Emirates. The LLBN Arabic page adds more: 56 in Saudi Arabia - 44 in Abha & Jizan, 8 in Riyadh & Ar Riyad; 14 in Egypt - 10 in Cairo & Al Qahirah; 12 in Iraq; 5 in United Arab Emirates - 4 in Dubai; and 5 in Lebanon - in Beirut & Beyrouth.

Extensive reach reported by Twitter includes: Turkey, Cyprus, Syria, Lebanon, Israel, Jordan, Kuwait, Saudi Arabia, Bahrain, Qatar, Iran, United Arab Emirates, Oman, Yemen, and Egypt. Many other Arabic viewers are from the US, Canada, Europe, and all over the world.

As mentioned, in addition to TV broadcasting, LLBN Arabic has now a page on Facebook! Photos of volunteers working hard in the studio are being uploaded. Videos are being shared. Encouraging Bible verses with photos of nature are being posted. Everyone is invited to “Like” the page and be part of spreading the good news of Jesus. Everyone is also welcome to sign up for the newsletter of LLBN. Find us at www.facebook.com/LLBNArabic. This page can also serve as a guide in answering questions that people may have concerning Biblical matters and truth. Comments and suggested can be posted publicly, or privately through direct messages.

A detailed preview of LLBN Arabic new programs, new episodes, and more news can be found at this link.

Prepared by: Basil Nahab, Eva George, Lili O'Ara
Volunteer Highlight: Sterling Peter

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Originally from Burma (Myanmar) but having spent over 30 years in the US, Peter’s involvement with LLBN goes back when this ministry was only one year old. He worked as a volunteer along the team where needed, solved many technical issues and helped implement new technologies.

What exactly does he do? With a bachelors degree (BSEE) in electrical high power and control systems from Caltech, Sterling designs and controls the signal to go smoothly on the air 24/7, balances the colors and controls the quality of the images, and verifies video and audio signals. Everything that requires electrical and electronic power in the studios, in the control rooms, and in the servers is personally checked by Sterling. Besides his required presence at all live events where technical issues may occur, his phone is a significant tool that enables him to engage in the systems anytime, from anywhere, if needed. He volunteers uncounted hours, more than 20 every week, including early mornings, late evenings, and weekends.

Sterling Peter also volunteers as Director of the Arabic Channel, and while he does not speak Arabic, he speaks the language that makes the signal travel on the airways!

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Coming Up on Christian Connections & Loma Linda University Church - LIVE on LLBN

Christian Connections

Oct 9   Mark F. Carr, PhD
        Author of 'Loveangelism'
        Assoc Prof, Loma Linda University

        Marci Anderson, Bere Adventist Hospital

Oct 16  Bradley Booth
        Author of 'The Seventh-day Ox' and other books

        Patsy Barton, Xela AID

Oct 23  Sam Leonor, Pastor, La Sierra University

        Grant McPherson, La Loma Luz Adventist Hospital, Belize

Oct 30  Lauren Holland & Joshua Orozco, The Oak is in the Acorn
        Music by Amrita Rai

Nov 6   Pastor John Anderson
        Music by Patricia Diener

Airs LIVE Tuesdays, 6:00 pm (PDT)

Rebroadcast Schedule:
    Thu 3:00 am & 1:00 pm (PDT)
    Sat 6:30 pm (PDT)
    Sun 11:30 am (PDT)
    Mon 12:00 am (PDT)

Programs from Loma
Sept 8  Part 1 - The Kneeling Disciple
LLBN News

Bible Lands Tour - Update

Paul and the Churches of Revelation Tour (Greece and Turkey)

LLBN is organizing a Spring tour to Greece and Turkey! This trip-of-a-lifetime includes:

- sites where the Apostle Paul spent much of his ministry, including Athens, Troy (Troas) and Corinth
- a cruise to the Isle of Patmos where John received the Revelation
- the 7 churches of Revelation: Ephesus, Izmir (Smyrna), Pergamon, Thyatira, Sardis, Philadelphia and Laodicea
- Guided tours from experts, including archaeologist Dr. Larry Geraty of La Sierra University, and Egyptologist and field archaeologist Dr. Robert Bates of Andrews University.

Dates: March 14-28, 2013

Costs: $4750 includes:

- air flight from Los Angeles (similar arrangements may be able to be made if you live near a major hub; otherwise, you will need to tag on an additional domestic flight)
- 3 meals a day
- lodging in 4 star hotels (based on double occupancy; single occupancy will require an additional $900 for the entire trip)
- transportation
- entrance fees
To register, please send in your application form along with a deposit of $1,000 by November 5. By December 14, 50% ($2,375) is due, and the final payment of $1,375 is due Feb 1, 2013.

For a detailed itinerary and application form, please email communications@llbn.tv. Seats are limited, and available spaces are almost full, so respond back quickly!

Agora temple, Athens, Greece

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