The command of the Lord is to take the gospel into all the world. At GBN that has always been our goal. With that in mind, we must expand. Beginning on February 1st, 2016 we began a campaign to raise $100,000. This money will be used in three ways:

#1 – EXPANSION OF COUNTERPOINT.
We want to put the Counterpoint program on Dish Network and DirecTV. According to their latest stats, this would make it available to 53 million customers. The Counterpoint program features B.J. Clarke (Director of the Memphis School of Preaching) and Mike Hixson (Preacher for the Olive Branch church of Christ) discussing topics that the religious world would consider hard hitting. Examples of such topics include baptism, the plan of salvation, and the one church of the Bible. This program, which is produced at the GBN studio, has had excellent results. Presently we air it locally in the Memphis area, but we believe that this program would accomplish a great amount of good on a nationwide level. We are aware of at least 3 baptisms in the local area as a result of the Counterpoint program.

#2 – ADDITION OF CABLE STATIONS.
Currently GBN has approximately 30 cable stations that carry our programming in the United States. We are also airing in India, Nigeria, South Africa and Uganda. We are intently focused on expanding our cable outreach in 2016. One way in which we plan to do this is by offering free IRD’s (receivers) to any cable station that will add GBN to their channel lineup. The appeal of this is that they can add a new channel for absolutely no cost. We do not charge for our channel, and we would also provide the necessary receiver as well.

#3 – EXPANSION OF OUR WEBSITE.
We regularly receive calls asking for DVD’s of programs that have aired on the Network. We are happy to fill these requests, but of course, it costs time, money and shipping to do so. In 2016 we plan to purchase another server so that all of our programs can be archived and can be available “On Demand” from our website – GBNTV.org.

Dear friend, as the morality of our nation continues to decline, I don’t know if the need for an organization such as the Gospel Broadcasting Network has ever been greater. Our goal is to raise the $100,000 by July 1st, 2016. Can you help us? “Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest” (John 4:35).

Don Blackwell, Executive Director, GBN
Catherine Couch  
by A. Christine Hendricks
Charles E. Copeland  
by Annette Copeland
Georgia Stewart Deberry  
by Annie Cook-Jones
Janice Boynton  
by Baby Boomer Sunday School Class
W. Kenneth Branstetter  
by Barbara S. Branstetter
D. J. Vaughn  
by Baxley church of Christ
June Sanders  
by Benny Sanders
Fletcher and Della Wade  
by Betty M. Plyler
James T. and Fay Brumley  
by Billy Roy and Deborah Box
Ernest H. and Flora Markum  
by Brent and Sherryl Roberts
Jim Gilliam  
by Carol Gilliam
Thomas M. Collins  
by Carolyn Collins
Husband-Harold Hammond and Son-Tim Hammond  
by Charlene Hammond
Helga and Samuel Stephens, Barney Campbell, Creola Lide, Vera Basham, Hazel Campbell, Mary Campbell, Grace Campbell, Josephone Booth, George Blue  
by Charles Campbell
Travis Sanders  
by Charles W. and Peggy Leonard
Willie Andress, Billie Coleman, Joan Wooley, Dorothy Harris, and James Ivey  
by Con Lambert
Ernest Hendricks  
by Damaris Byers
Fred Ray  
by Daniel Robinson
Van Doyne and Beauthon Coleman  
by Daniel Robinson
Owen Hardaway  
by Donna C. Harris
Billie Coleman  
by Doris Hardaway
James E. Gibson  
by Dorothy and Judy Harris

Ann Mathis  
by Ernest Mathis
Glen Mayfield  
by Evelyn Byrd
Billie Coleman  
by Fred and Brenda Melton
Ruby Dupree, Craig Tober, Bobby Parish, and Ronnie Longino  
by G. B. and C. R. Cochran
Grady S. Winders, Clifford “Bud” Butcher, Joe Bryan Glenn, Billy Earl Jones, Raymond Holland, David Wayne Jones, Lottie Lee Smartt and J. T. Mitchell  
by Geneva May Hobbs
Josephine Noah  
by George and Vernell Barber
Grayson Gilbert  
by Grace Gilbert
John For, Annie Ruth Box, and Rachel Keen  
by Grace Williams
Dennis Brandt, Sammie Arnold  
by Grundy St. Ladies Bible Class
James Neely, Stacy Cater, Robert Qualls, Bill Overstreet, James Neely, Lloyd Smith Jr., and Bobby Green  
by Hollis and Nancy Tackitt
Bob Stone and Leonard Farmer  
by Howard and Dorothy Ramsey
Paralee Bradford  
by James Bradford
Laura McGuistion  
by Jerry and Carolyn Whitehead
Barbara Ann Latham  
by Jim Latham, Cynthia L. Peacock, Letitia L. Cornelius
Dad-William A. Mayfield, Jr.  
by John and Brenda Manz
Lois Holmes  
by John and Patsy Holden
Justin Cain, John Ed Butler, Ray Lemley, and Carol Pritchett  
by John Ed and Jo Frazier
Barry Gilreath Sr.  
by John T. and Edna Coffey
Karl Kesse  
by Jordan and Nelda (Browne) Linscomb
Edward Oliver  
by Juanita Oliver
Billie Coleman  
by Judy Harris
Dave Bowman  
by Knoxie and Lambert Goad

Husband-Harlon; Dad-Don Rhoades; Grandparents-Emmitt and Nellie Rhoades  
by Laresa Fowler
Nancy Todd, Louise Bynum, Glenda Johnson  
by Lewis N. or Alice Railey
Donnie Gale Edwards  
by Lois R. Edwards
Lester Comstock, Gladys Prater, Mr. Hugh Cole and Bette Stubblefield  
by Mary R Davis
Thomas Mauley Jr.  
by McCaysville church of Christ
Violet Mcmahan  
by Melody Warbinton
Barbara Coats  
by Oologah church of Christ
Robert Lester Jr. and Winford Claiborne  
by Pat Lester
Bernice Black  
by Peggy E. Cooper
Henry “Al” Jones  
by Randall and Jane Spake
Ralph Armstrong and Billy Mitchell  
by Ray and Debbie Bornsni
Earl Jones, Bud Butler, Leonard W. Crouch  
by Ray Tenpenny
Herbert Hutchings  
by Reba Nell Hutchings
Thelma Clark  
by Reicy, Marty, and Suzanne Sanders
A Beloved Wife and Mother-Carolyn Smith  
by Robert A. Smith
Patsy Butler  
by Robert Brindley
Jean Hogan  
by Ron and Zona Hogan
J. C. and Lille Clemons  
by Ronnie and Linda Hamilton
Edna Thornton  
by Sarah Greene
Willene Catherine Couch  
by St. George church of Christ
Joe Gray, June Slatton  
by W. C. and Nelma Chilton
Willene Catherine Couch  
by W. Carlton and Gaye Connor
Billie Coleman  
by We Care
Louise Bynum  
by William and Kay Worsham
Ross and Ethel Dyer, Lois Dyer Webb  
by William Dyer

Andrew Archer  
by: Anonymous
NEW SATELLITE STUDIO FOR GBN

A great deal of the programming that airs on the Gospel Broadcasting Network is not filmed or produced at our studio in Olive Branch, MS. Rather, we rely on “satellite” (remote) studios at other locations. We are pleased to announce that as of February 2016 we have a new satellite studio that is now operational. It is located in Columbia, SC and is overseen by the good elders at the St. Andrews Road church of Christ. Our intent is to tap into the great talent of preachers working in North and South Carolina. If you are interested in filming at this new studio, please contact us or the elders of the St. Andrews Road congregation. We welcome them to the GBN Family.

Other GBN satellite studios are located in Tennessee, Texas, Georgia, Arkansas and Oklahoma.

WAYS TO SUPPORT GBN

There are many ways that you can support the work of the Gospel Broadcasting Network.

1. Become a $25 a month supporter. A great deal of our support comes from small monthly contributors. If you choose to mail a check, we will send you a pre-addressed envelope each month to make the process easy.

2. Arrange for auto-debit. Some people find mailing a check each month to be inconvenient and prefer to set up an auto-draft. We can arrange to have your bank account (or credit card) auto-drafted each month for the amount that you authorize.

3. Contribute via PayPal. GBN has a PayPal account that can be accessed via our website GBNTV.org under the “Support GBN” tab.

4. Become an Amazon Smile member. If you are someone who shops online via Amazon, a small percentage of your purchase price can donated to the non-profit of your choosing. To designate GBN, go to smile.amazon.com and set up “Gospel Broadcasting Company” as your charity. Then you can support GBN every time you shop online! There is NO additional cost to you as the buyer.

5. Make a memorial contribution. You can donate money to GBN in memory of a loved one or in order to honor someone who is living. We will run the memorial in our next newsletter following the receipt of your contribution.

6. Put GBN in your will. If you desire to put GBN in your will and you need our assistance to make this happen, we will be happy to help you.

7. Donate Stock. We have had several occasions where Christians have donated stock to GBN. If you have invested in stock that has gained value, you may be able to donate it and realize a tax saving.

8. Many of our supporters have asked for a shirt (or other clothing) bearing the GBN logo on it. We are thankful for the desire of those who wish to promote GBN in this way. In order to fulfill this request, we have provided our logo to a company called Queensboro. If you wish to purchase a GBN shirt or other clothing with our logo, visit GBNTV.QBstores.com and place your order. (Please note that Queensboro is not affiliated with GBN in any way. We do not sell products to fund GBN, nor do we get a cut of the sales. We are providing this information as a way for supporters to promote the Network).
We continue to press forward to increase the number of new programs that we’re airing on GBN. Some are being recorded in our main studio, and our satellite studios are more productive than ever. In addition, our new Master Control system allows us to increase the rotation of our existing programs and will allow us to eliminate airing the same episodes close to each other.

Beginning March 1st, our schedule will undergo a significant overhaul. With few exceptions, if you watch the Network at the same time every day, you will see different programs each day. In addition to the weekly GBNLive broadcast, we’ll also regularly run past episodes of this popular program several times a week. Saturday mornings will be focused on children’s programming (including some new cartoon material). During the overnight hours, we will run older episodes of some of our classic programs.

We’re also working on implementing a new feature to our website where the programming schedule for an entire week will be available for viewing. This should be operational in time for the schedule changes beginning March 1st.