

EMPOWERED FOR PURPOSE

with Denise Renner

What have

I learned?

Don't quit!

You've been a wife, mother, and grandmother alongside your international ministry. How have these roles shaped your understanding of God's purpose in your life?

DR: Whether you're a wife, mother, grandmother, or minister, you still desire to have fruit that will last. Life, for all of us, has challenges and demands for us to constantly go to God if we want to have lasting fruit. It is the same for each role. You will face challenges in ministry, and you will also face challenges as a wife, mother, and grandmother. But if you want to have good fruit, you must draw nourishment, strength, and correction from God. His supply to us from the ever indwelling Holy Spirit in us is super abundant to do the job and aid us in our fruit-bearing life.

As a mentor to women for over 25 years, what have you learned about the unique challenges and callings women face in today's world?

DR: I have learned that we all have an enemy, but we all have a Champion who lives on the inside of us as well. The challenges to our vision and what we wish for as women seem to be the same all over the world. Many ask, "How can I continue to trust God in my difficulties, continue to love others, continue

to give grace to others, and not give up the victory in sight?" And I would say to them, the enemy is intimidated by the power of God in you. Although, he will try to throw many things at you to stop you, Galatians 6:9 says, "And let us not grow weary while doing good, for in due season we shall reap if we do not lose heart." So what have I learned? Don't quit!

Balancing family, ministry, and personal growth can be challenging. How have you learned to prioritize your relationship with God while fulfilling all your responsibilities?

DR: I prioritize my relationship with God by getting up early and making time for Him first thing in the morning. He has all the answers to all my huge questions. He knows all my problems, insecurities, and strengths — He even knows what I am going to say before I say it! He understands I am one person, but sometimes I feel like I have to be three or four, depending on the circumstance, and He knows there are seasons to life. He created them in nature and in us. Ask Him what season you are in now, embrace His instruction and direction with all your heart, and do your best, but do not be hard on yourself. How can you keep God first? Do it on purpose, and listen to Him every day.

Looking back on your journey from the U.S. to the former Soviet Union, what has been one of the most defining moments in your faith and ministry?

DR: For more than three decades, we have been serving in the former Soviet Union, spending nine years in Latvia and 25 years in Russia. There have been a lot of opportunities beyond my wildest imagination, like singing in the Kremlin palace with an 85-piece orchestra. Rick and I have had the privilege to witness all three of our boys get married and to receive three beautiful Russian daughters-in-law, bringing us eight Russian

grandchildren. There have been so many wonderful events in our lives, but for me personally, there have also been deaths of dear friends here in Moscow, heartbreaks and betrayals, and many opportunities to forgive and move forward. I would say the one thing that has held a very significant role in my life is Matthew 6:34, which says, "Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about its own things. Sufficient for the day is its own trouble." Every day is a gift, and we get to decide what we will put in it and what we will take from it. While each one of us has different challenges, we all have the same 24 hours to work with, and we get to decide how we will use it.

At the Lord's leading, you moved your young children to the Soviet Union to minister in a challenging environment. What did you learn about trusting God with your kids during that time?

DR: I have learned that if you are doing your best and trusting God, He will take care of your kids. There were times when, because of the challenges in educating our boys while we moved to another country with a different language, I did not know if my kids were going to be able to read. But God is

so faithful, and today they read and write in multiple languages and are amazing leaders. It is so important that we do our best and trust God because He will do the impossible. I am a witness of God's faithfulness, and as it says in Ephesians 3:20, He is able to do exceedingly abundantly above all we can ask or think, according to the power of God that works in us.

For moms facing difficult or uncertain situations with their children, what advice would you give them about trusting God with their kids' future and knowing He's always in control?

DR: The advice I would give is found in Provers 3:5: "Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding." Your trusting and seeking God will do much more than any of the time wasted going over things again and again in your mind and worrying. Fill your heart and mind with how much God loves you and your children and listen to testimonies of how God has rescued other children and has comforted the hearts of other mothers. God cares more for your children than you do, and He has a way of rescue that we do not know about. Make it your habit to always put that child in God's hands. He will show you what He can do when you take your hands off of that child, quit worrying, and put that child in His hands, trusting God to rescue him.

When viewers tune into your program, Time with Denise Renner, on Daystar, what can they expect to find?

DR: : First, let me say how much I appreciate that my program is aired on Daystar. Viewers can expect to find encouragement, revelation, and healing. This is what I have heard from those who have seen the program, and this is my prayer. I want them to see and experience that Jesus is alive and powerful today, living inside them, and that He is our Healer and a miracleworking God who loves them and will never leave them.

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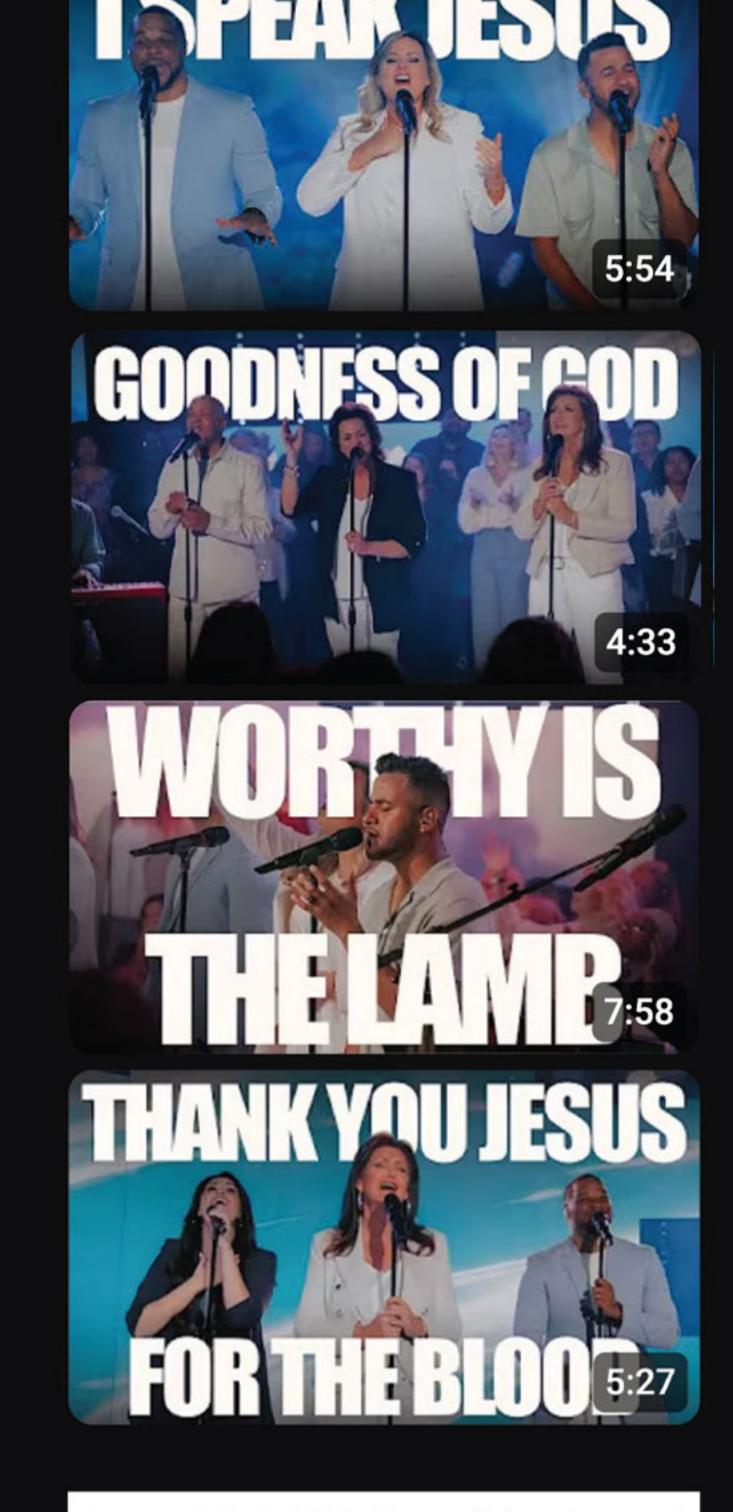
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what comes your way, God is with you—and when you place your trust in Him, He will carry you through.



A letter from our President

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Dear Partner,

As we step into the beautiful month of May, I'm reminded of how this season brings things to life. Flowers bloom, trees bud, and everything seems to awaken with fresh purpose. It's a powerful picture of what God wants to do in us.

No matter what season you're in – whether you feel fruitful or forgotten – God has a plan to grow something beautiful in your life. Jeremiah 17:7–8 says, "Blessed is the one who trusts in the Lord... They will be like a tree planted by the water... its leaves are always green, and it never fails to bear fruit." You don't have to strive to make something happen – just stay planted in Him. As you remain faithful, God will bring fruit in His perfect timing. Even if you can't see the growth yet, trust that it's happening beneath the surface. He is working, and He hasn't forgotten you!

This month also brings a few special celebrations in our family! We're wishing a very happy birthday to my sweet grandsons Noah and Boaz, and to my wonderful son-in-love Joshua. I'm so thankful for each of them and the joy they bring into our lives.

And of course, Happy Mother's Day to all the incredible moms! I want to take a moment to honor my own mother, Sandra Trammell, the greatest woman I know. She's my best encourager and supporter, and I'm so thankful for the godly example she's been to me and to so many others. I love you, Mom!

In Network News, I'm thrilled to share that Daystar continues to grow! We've just launched on Meo in Portugal, reaching 1.9 million homes, and on Startimes in Africa, expanding our reach by 9 million homes across the continent. Daystar Español is also growing – now available on Tivify in Spain and Andorra to 1 million homes, on Super in Argentina to 300,000 homes, and also on Meo in Portugal to 1.9 million homes!

What an incredible opportunity to reach even more people with the hope of Jesus! Thank you for making this possible through your prayers and support. You are helping us bloom in this season, and because of you, lives around the world are being transformed.

With love and gratitude,

Joni Lamb

Co-Founder & President

THIS MONTH

JONI TABLE TALK MAY 5

The Ascension Dimension Isaac Pitre

Isaac Pitre reveals how believers can overcome darkness, claim their inheritance, and live a victorious life from his book, The Ascension Dimension.

MAY 7

Joni Music: The Sound of Surrender Kelly Willard

Kelly Willard shares how God turned her pain into purpose, healing her from childhood abuse and leading her into a powerful worship ministry.

MAY 12

The Antichrist and the Final Empire Billy Crone

Billy Crone shares insights from his book Global Elites and the Antichrist Volume 1, revealing how global events and technological advancements are paving the way for the End Times.

MAY 14

The Great Family Awakening Jenny Donnelly

Jenny Donnelly shares how God is awakening families and calling the church to take back cultural ground through prayer, public advocacy, and spiritual healing.

MAY 19

Life in the Wild Michael Bethany

In Life in the Wild, Michael Bethany shares how John the Baptist's bold and untamed life in the wilderness inspired his own creative journey.

MAY 27

Mastering Our Emotions Dr. Kevin Chapman

In *Mastering Our Emotions*, Dr. Kevin Chapman reveals the path to emotional freedom and what it really means to take control of your soul.

HOLIDAYS
MAY 11 - Mother's Day

As a Vietnam Veteran living with PTSD and panic attacks, especially at night, Daystar has been a true lifesaver. For years, your prayer hotline has always been there when I needed it most. Thank you for being a constant source of support and comfort.

Andrew from Washington

Share Your Testimony Daystar.com/DaystarTestimony

A few weeks ago, I was rushed to the ER twice with a life-threatening mucus plug in my chest. Overwhelmed and afraid, I called the Daystar Prayer Line. The minister spoke healing scriptures and prayed over me, declaring I would live and not die. That night, healing began—and by morning, I was restored! God not only healed my body but renewed my heart, mind, and spirit. To God be the glory!

Annmarie from Ohio