

FOURTH QUARTER 2023

# NewLifeRadio

## NEWSLETTER

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*"And she shall bring forth a son, and thou shalt call His name JESUS: for He shall save His people from their sins. Now all this was done, that it might be fulfilled which was spoken of the Lord by the prophet, saying, Behold a virgin shall be with child, and shall bring forth a son, and they shall call His name Emmanuel, which being interpreted is, God with us."*

Matthew 1:21-23

## 36 HOURS OF CHRISTMAS

ON-LINE  
ON-AIR  
ON-DEMAND

### A Special NewLife Radio Tradition!

**Christmas** is a very special time of year! It is a time filled with so many traditions to keep the season warm and bright and focused on Jesus! **NewLife Radio's** annual Christmas tradition—36 Hours of Christmas—is one of those treasured traditions, and it returns on Christmas Eve!

You and your family will enjoy the sounds of Christmas. From traditional carols to new sounds of the season, all music will honor the birth of our Savior and bring a *heart warming and life changing* feeling to your Christmas.

**NewLife Radio** will also air some of your favorite Christmas programs like *A Christmas Carol*, *Moody Broadcasting's Candlelight and Carols*, scripture readings, and so much more. Don't forget to visit [www.newliferadio.com](http://www.newliferadio.com) and click on the 36 Hours of Christmas banner for more Christmas programming.

The 36 Hours of Christmas begins on December 24 at 6 pm and will run until 6 am on December 26. Let **NewLife Radio** provide the soundtrack to your Christmas celebrations this year!



## NewLife Radio Impacts the area at the Kiwanis-Spalding County Fair

Each fall we pull out the **NewLife Radio** Bandwagon for 10 days of fair, food, fun, and fellowship at the Kiwanis-Spalding County Fair! What a great time to meet our listening friends and to make new ones. It is amazing how the stories shared on **NewLife Radio** impact our community.



## Emerald Chandelier Celebrates Anniversary

**NewLife Radio** loves to support local Christian-owned businesses. We helped to celebrate the second anniversary of the Emerald Chandelier which is a quaint tearoom and restaurant. They offer a wide variety of teas plus a good assortment of scones and sandwiches. They are located at 204 W Poplar Street in Griffin. To learn more about the Emerald Chandelier visit their website at [www.theemeraldchandelier.com](http://www.theemeraldchandelier.com).

## Gospel Shared at Rock Springs Harvest Fest!

This year's Harvest Fest at Rock Springs Church in Milner was a tremendous success! More than 7,000 people heard great music from Bryan White and Calista Clark along with the Rock Springs Choir and Worship Team. Food from local vendors available to the attendees gave everyone a unique taste of fall. Rock Springs Church senior pastor, Dr. Benny Tate, was able to share the Gospel and nearly 700 people gave their lives to Christ. **NewLife Radio** cannot wait for next year!



Pastor Benny Tate  
sharing the Gospel



General Manager Mike Shelley  
with gift bag winner Wendy Craft

## Georgia Gospel Music Festival 2023

What a great weekend of Gospel music! **NewLife Radio** was the sole radio sponsor for this year's event, and it was the highlight for the year! Hearing from great artists like The Booth Brothers, Ernie Haase and Signature Sound, Mark Lowry, Jeff and Sheri Easter just to name a few! **NewLife Radio** was able to meet up with good friends and make some new ones throughout the weekend. One new friend, Wendy Craft, came from Winston Salem, North Carolina, and won our gift bag giveaway! Make sure you mark November 8 and 9 on your calendar for next year's event! Some of the artists already confirmed include Point of Grace, Ernie Haase and Signature Sound, The Booth Brothers, TaRanda Green, Cana's Voice, and more!

## Pastor Appreciation Month

Each October, churches throughout the listening area honor their pastor and **NewLife Radio** desired to honor a few of the area pastors too! We were able to honor three pastors from entries from the members of their respective church. Congratulations go to Peter O'Neil of Cornerstone Bible Church in Lilburn, Michael Smith of Pike County Assembly of God in Zebulon, and Nik Thompkins of First Christian Church in Stockbridge. Each pastor received a gift pack from either *In Touch Ministries*, *Love Worth Finding*, or *The Urban Alternative*. Thank you to all the pastors in the **NewLife Radio** listening area for answering the call to lead our churches!



## A Look Ahead “2024”

2023 was another great year for **NewLife Radio** to be out and about throughout our listening area. Next year will be no different. We can't wait to meet you at these events: *Cherry Blossom Festival* in Conyers, the *Geranium Festival* in McDonough, the *Georgia Gospel Music Festival*, plus other events at local churches! Maybe we will get the opportunity to be at your church's event. Please let us know by emailing the details to [contactus@newliferadio.com](mailto:contactus@newliferadio.com)!





## Your Letters of Encouragement

"Mr. Doran, I love you all and appreciate all you do to spread the gospel of Jesus Christ. I listen all day. My life is better and enriched. May God continue to bless you in Jesus Name!"

~Linda, Lithonia

"Thank you so much for your broadcasts! We are grateful we found *Redemption Accounting* by listening to your station. Matthew is a real blessing!"

~Vicki, McDonough

"Dear **NewLife Radio**, please continue to keep the teaching programs and *In the Market* with Janet Parshall on the air. Thank you for your witness for our Lord."

~Vera, Peachtree City

"Thank you **NewLife Radio** for your blessings in my life! You are a station that I can always count on for encouragement! The songs you play put a smile on my face and I can hear the smiles on all the announcers!"

~David, Newnan

"Thank you **NewLife Radio** for the Pastor Appreciation gift package from *Love Worth Finding Ministries*. The material included in the gift will help me study and prepare for my sermons. Thank you for the encouragement. I want to encourage you and the rest of the staff at **NewLife Radio** that you are having an impact for the kingdom of God. The Gospel is preached, and Jesus is glorified by your efforts."

~Pastor Peter O'Neill  
Cornerstone Bible Church, Lilburn

*I thank my God every time I remember you. In all my prayers for all of you, I always pray with joy.* (Philippians 1:3-4)

# 2023

YEAR END REVIEW

## Thanking God for it all!

As I look back on 2023, I am reminded of all that I have of which to be thankful. Yes, I too have felt the effects of the economy, health issues, family challenges, cars that break down, grass that won't quit growing, food that cost more than the mortgage, and many other things that pop up from time to time. Yet through all that stuff, God has never failed me. He has never forgotten me, nor has He ever left me alone.

We have much to be thankful for in all our lives if we just look for it. One of the things I am most thankful for is family. And I have two of them. My blood and by marriage family, and you, my radio listening family. I love my radio family! You are the ones that keep the staff and me going through your encouragement, motivation, support, and most of all your prayers.

This year has been a challenge for us just like it has for you. If you have been blessed by the ministry of **NewLife Radio**, will you consider a special **YEAR END GIFT**? We would appreciate it so much and God will abundantly "supply all your needs according to His riches in Christ Jesus!"

From all the staff and the Board of Directors, we wish you all a very **Merry Christmas** and a **Blessed New Year!**

In His Service,

Doug Doran, President



## 2023 Year-End Special Gift

We are honored to have you as a valued listener. Thank you for your support! If you would like to help us end 2023 strong and ready to face 2024, you may do that in one of two ways. Of course, you can always go online and fill out our "DONATE NOW" form to provide an immediate gift or to set up a monthly donation. Our secure website is **www.NewLifeRadio.com**. Or, you can fill out the form below to indicate that you will send in your gift later in the year. Cut along the dotted line and mail it back to us ASAP. Our address is PO Box 2020, Griffin, GA 30224. All gifts received by December 31 will be counted for 2023 tax purposes. All gifts to **NewLife Radio** are tax deductible.



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City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

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Faith Promise Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Monthly or One-Time (circle one)

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# A Great Cloud of Witnesses

## A NEWSLETTER SERIES

**Go On Children of God! We Are Surrounded  
by a Great Cloud of Witnesses!**



**I**knew Tim Wilson for many years as a friend, and the “sound” guy at Shingleroof Campmeeting in McDonough. His gift of servanthood was always delivered with helpfulness, hope, and a great big laugh! Tim seemed to always reflect the joy of the Lord, and he financially supported **NewLife Radio** with that same joyfulness too.

Robert Timothy “Tim” Wilson passed into the presence of Jesus, his Lord, on November 16, 2022. Tim was a 1971 graduate of DeKalb High School and a graduate of Emory University with a degree in Psychology.

And could he ever sing! Tim sang for the joy of singing, and was active as a children’s choir director, church choir member, and vocalist for revivals, weddings, and funerals. He was a trustee at Shingleroof Campmeeting for 25 years, where he often sang, and coordinated the sound system. The “sound system” responsibility was probably his thanks to his technical ability.

Tim began his technical career at the Atlanta based family business, Georgia Control Center, when he was a teenager. He worked his entire career there, being promoted to Vice President prior to his retirement several years ago. He was a Boy Scout leader for many years, an avid hunter, and recently a ham radio operator.



Tim Wilson

Tim was often seen at Shingleroof Campmeeting riding his ATV with his wife of 46 years, Cheryl. He was so helpful every year with the technical hook-up necessary when **NewLife Radio** offered live broadcasts from the campmeeting.

Tim certainly was “the sound man” at Shingleroof Campmeeting. And, he most certainly was a Sound Man of God, standing for Biblical truth and the eternal message of the Gospel of Jesus Christ. “Get those microphones ready up there, Tim, we’re on our way to sing with you!”

*Joe Emert*

Joe Emert, Founder & Chairman, **NewLife Radio**



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