Choice Christian Greetings:

I personally feel that the Lord is going to use the SonLife Broadcasting Network this year in a way that He has not done before. This year, 2019, will mark nine years since SBN first went on the air, and just look what the Lord has done. We recently signed the contracts to go on in Warsaw, Poland—where nearly 90 percent of the population is Roman Catholic—and we’re working now to get on cable systems in Berlin, Germany.

Note the size of the doors that the Lord is opening—these are capitals of countries that have agreed to allow the message of the cross to broadcast. Fifty years ago, this would not have been possible. But God is now using this network to reach almost the entirety of the world with the gospel of Jesus Christ.

Each year I am reminded of what God gave to me in 1985 as I walked alongside the railroad tracks near my home, seeking the Lord. Suddenly, the scene around me changed, and I was staring out at what looked to be a cotton field that stretched out in every direction. Bolls on brown stalks had cracked open; the white cotton was ready. To the east, a dark storm was coming, and in front of me, two mechanical picking machines were rolling, harvesting the cotton. The Lord told me in this vision, “I have called certain ministries for particular localities around the world, but I have called this ministry alone for the entirety of the world. Don’t fail Me because there is no one else to carry out this task.” A short time ago, as I prayed about the programming, the Lord spoke to my heart and said, “The commission I gave to you in 1985 is still in force. Get it done.” Not a day goes by that I don’t see these fields or the storm that I believe the Lord, in His mercy, is holding back.
I’ve said it many times: as the Lord has chosen me, He has chosen you as well to help reach the world for Christ, people just like Brian. He called in to Frances’ program and said, “I just want to say how much your program means to me and how it changed the life. It’s not just a regular Christian show, it absolutely penetrates the heart and made me just come to complete repentance, and I just thank you so much for what you guys bring to the table and share how Jesus is changing lives.”

Your faithful prayers and support are helping us to bring in the harvest, but each month that we have a share-a-thon shortfall—and we’ve had several—the work of God slows. So I’m asking you to make the financial needs of this ministry a matter of prayer. If you will do that, I know that the Lord will speak to your heart about what you should do. That’s really all that I ask.

For every one of you who can give $100 or more, I want to give you a copy of our CD titled, The Best of the Best. Donnie tells me that of all my music CDs, this one happens to be his all-time favorite, which means a lot coming from him. I pray that these songs, anointed by the Holy Spirit, will bless you and build your faith in this brand-new year.

Please, do not lay this letter aside and do nothing. Your help is extremely critical to the work of God, and your prayers for us mean far more than you know.

In the Master’s service, yours,

Jimmy Swaggart

P.S. My word for you this month is “Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus: Who, being in the form of God, thought it not robbery to be equal with God: But made himself of no reputation, and took upon him the form of a servant, and was made in the likeness of men: And being found in fashion as a man, he humbled himself, and became obedient unto death, even the death of the cross. Wherefore God also hath highly exalted him, and given him a name which is above every name: That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth; And that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father” (Phil. 2:5-11).

P.P.S. Also, I want to invite you to the upcoming 2019 Resurrection Campmeeting on April 17-21. If you have never been to one of our campmeetings, then I hope you are able to be with us. I know you will be blessed!