

GIJAPA



God Is Just A Prayer Away
Radio Broadcast Around the World

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50,000 Watt Stations Every Sunday

WLW	6:30 AM	700 Dial	Cincinnati, OH
WLW	8:00 AM	700 Dial	Cincinnati, OH
KXEL	10:00 AM	1540 Dial	Waterloo, IA
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WRVA	9:30 PM	1140 Dial	Richmond, VA
WIBC	7:30 AM	93.1 Dial	Indianapolis, IN
WHAS	7:30 AM	840 Dial	Louisville, KY
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WDOC	7:45 AM	1310 Dial	Prestonsburg, KY
WWVA	9:30 PM	1170 Dial	Wheeling, WV
KDWN	10:30 PM	720 Dial	Las Vegas, NV
KRVN	10:30 PM	880 Dial	Lexington, NE

Short Wave Radio

AFRICA:

Monday 7:00 PM
(1800 UTC) 7190 kHz on Dial

BEACON of HOPE N. AFRICA:

Sunday 8:30 PM
(1930 UTC) 6020 kHz on Dial

BIBLE VOICE EUROPE:

Sunday 8:00 AM
(0700 UTC) 5945 kHz on Dial

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Sunday 8:30 AM
(0800 UTC) 9770 kHz on Dial

BIBLE VOICE RUSSIA:

Sunday 8:00 PM
(2000 UTC) 6010 on kHz Dial

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Remembering Ed

Ed would have been 98 years old this October 1, 2016, the reason for having this issue devoted to memories of him and the broadcast! Many responded with personal letters and pictures which will be part of this article:

Ed Bousman age 92 of Lynchburg, Ohio died Monday morning, May 16, 2011 at his home. He was born October 1, 1918 in Matewan, West Virginia the son of the late William Edward and Delpha Smith Bousman. Lee Mason and Bob Stevens officiated.

He had received his Bachelors Degree from the Cincinnati Bible College and Seminary and his Masters Degree in Communications from Xavier University. Mr. Bousman was a Radio and Television Evangelist for forty-nine years and had served in the ministry for over sixty-eight years. His ministry started in 1943. He served the Churches of Christ in Genntown, Ohio, Hollowtown, Ohio, Hartford, Kentucky, Lynchburg, Ohio, Allensburg, Ohio and for a short time at Marshall, Ohio. Ed would have celebrated his fiftieth year in radio evangelism, with his "God Is Just A Prayer Away" program, November 18, 2011.

In 1997, he started a shortwave radio program, Bible Voice, Europe reaching all countries throughout Europe including Russia. Also in 1997, he began Shortwave Radio Africa reaching over 140 million English-speaking people in three former British Colonies, Nigeria, Ghana and Camerouns.

In 1999, he started broadcasting into India by the Super-Power Radio Sri Lanka-Giant of Asia. This broadcast reached India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Afghanistan, Nepal; Sri Lanka in the local language English reaching out to over one billion people.

In 2003 "GIJAPA" began broadcasting into Western Russia, Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Ukraine, Czech Republic and Bulgaria by means of the powerful 100,000

watt transmitter-Bible Voice Russia.

In 2006, he began broadcasting to a potential audience of 344 million by way of the Beacon of Hope-N. Africa transmitter covering Libya, Morocco, Tunisia, Somalia, Eritrea, Ethiopia, and Sudan. He was known worldwide and his work is heard today from coast to coast in U.S and five short-wave broadcasts that serve, Africa, Beacon of Hope N. Africa, Bible Voice Europe, Sri Lanka India and Bible Voice Russia as well as the radio stations WLW, Cincinnati, Ohio, KXEL, Waterloo, Iowa, WRVA, Richmond, Virginia, WIBC, Indianapolis, Indiana, WHAS, Louisville, Kentucky, KAAY, Little Rock, Arkansas, WDOC, Prestonsburg, Kentucky and WWVA, Wheeling, West Virginia.

He is survived by his wife, Naomi Angel Bousman whom he had married on December 18, 1982 at the Madeira Church of Christ, one daughter, Melanie (Joe) Rightmyer of Holtville, Alabama, one son, Eric Vail of Edgewood, Kentucky, three grandchildren, Amanda (Alex) Rosen, Emily Vail and Cassandra Rightmyer, two nieces, Ann (Wayne) Johnson of Newport News, Virginia, Nancy (Jon) Bravinder of St. Louis Park, Minnesota and several great nieces and nephews. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his first wife, Roberta on July 4, 1980, one sister, Lucille Livesay and one brother, Jay Bousman. End of Chapter One . . . TO BE CONTINUED through his weekly broadcasts!

HOW OTHERS REMEMBER ED

Ed dressed up like the Devil and rode in his red convertible with big speaker on top. The car traveled up and down Main Street in Lynchburg and through the town. He talked about how the Devil was at work in Lynchburg. I cannot remember all he said. How true today the devil is always at work.

In the late 1950's or early 1960's at the First Church of Christ, Lynchburg, Ohio, I sang in the choir. After choir practice on Wednesday night Ed walked on his hands on the back of each pew. He walked from the front of the

church to the back from pew to pew. Not only was Ed spiritually active but also very physical. Thanks to all for GIJAPA then and now.

Blessings, Violet Hanson, Lexington, SC

Dear Brother Ed Bousman's family,

God bless you and the rest of my brothers and sisters in Christ Jesus. As you can see, my name is Richard G., I'm an offender at the Texas Department of Correction, with a life sentence since 1990. I'm a believer of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, the son of God. I'm writing you because a friend of mine gave me your address. I am in need of a KJV large print Bible and the Bible Studies too.

Thanks for your time. Richard, Tenn Colony, TX

Greeting: To whom it may concern: I Rodney Stewart was told by someone that is currently taking Bible Study courses that I could write and ask for the same courses and that I would receive a large print Bible, which I'm very much in need of. I trust in whom this letter reaches that my prayers will be answered.

Sincerely yours, Rodney S. from Harrisburg, LA

Naomi, one time, Ed was at our house for a weekend revival and Cliff told Ed the story about when he was talking to a young preacher about Ed and the young preacher said, "Oh you mean Attila, the Hun of the Restoration Movement?" Ed got a big charge out of this story and he laughed and laughed.

Clifford & Mary Francis Neat, Cynthiana, KY

I know that this information is most likely important to you. Today at about 8 to 9pm in 33098 Paderborn Germany I was listening to your broadcast on 6120 kHz. I used an Amateur Radio multiband handheld Radio Yaesu VX-3 with just the small 5 inch antenna. The Signal was good but naturally fading but I could follow Ed's talk on THE FISH that Jesus told his disciples to catch to pay taxes for him and them.

I noticed in your website that the frequency stated was 6015kHz. I am not 100% sure but I thought that it was 6120kHz, I have been a Christian for over 30 years and I have worked and still am working in Christian radio for the last 17 years, hence I know the value of listenership. I did enjoy the program and was encouraged by the message. May God bless your efforts in keeping the voice of late Rev. Bousman alive!

God Bless! Michael S. Paderborn, Germany

Dear Ed Bousman,

I would like to thank you for the large print KJV Bible. It is a big help. Thank you! I am almost 60 years old and my eyes aren't what they used to be. I have started my lessons you sent with the Bible and I am almost completed them. I look forward to sending them in and getting some more. You are a true blessing for all the inmates in here. You bless and everything you do for us. I pray that God will bless you in return. Thank you again and may God bless you!

Guy J. Texas Dept. of Criminal Justice, Luther Unit at Navasota, TX

Dear Naomi,

I will send my 10% tithes as soon as I get out of jail. Right now I can't have loose money; but if you will please keep me in your prayers, my court date is October 19, 2016 at 8:30 AM here in Galveston, TX. I would like to get time served so I can start my life over with the Lord Jesus Christ and just work for Him to help other people and read and understand his word and what He has in store for each and every one of us through the Holy Spirit and our prayers. Please send the next five lessons of Studies in the Bible. I am 45 today. Kristi

Dear Naomi,

I recently received the Bible and the first five Bible Study Lessons which are completed and enclosed. I apologize for the poor condition they are in - someone spilled tea on them - but this being a prison I'm sure you understand, and likely have received much worse. I look forward to the next ten lessons. I sincerely appreciate the Bible, it's likely the nicest one I've ever owned, and the large print make it real easy for me to read. I thoroughly enjoyed your newsletter, although I'm not sure how I feel about seeing so many letters from Texas, especially Del Valle, TX where I was before being taken to TDCJ Gurney Unit in Palestine, TX. Please keep all of us in your prayers as you will be in ours. Thank you for all you do for us.

God Bless, Daniel in Palestine, TX

Dear Bousmans,

How are you guys doing? I am 23 years old and I am incarcerated in Muskagee County Jail in Muskagee, Oklahoma. The reason I am writing you is because I would really appreciate it if you all can pray for me to continue to stay walking and talking in the word once I get a chance to walk out of these jailhouse doors. I would also like to have your Bible Studies and a King James Bible. I am not going to write a long letter about my life, but I do have younger children to attend to, not just kids, but kids I have also been a father figure to. I just ask that you pray for me to stay strong and get back to my family and be the man the Lord has put me on this earth to be.

Sincerely, Steve

Dear friends,

I prayed to God to clear up anything that will lead me to fall out of His will and before I rest an amen even some wonderful people in my life were already walking away. I'd almost asked God why all that was happening when the spirit reminded me of what I asked God for. From that day to this minute I've learnt to LET GO AND LET GOD!!!! I want to tell you that only God knows what's best for you and I bet you don't want to reason out doing life on your own God Is just a Prayer away. (GIJAPA)!!!

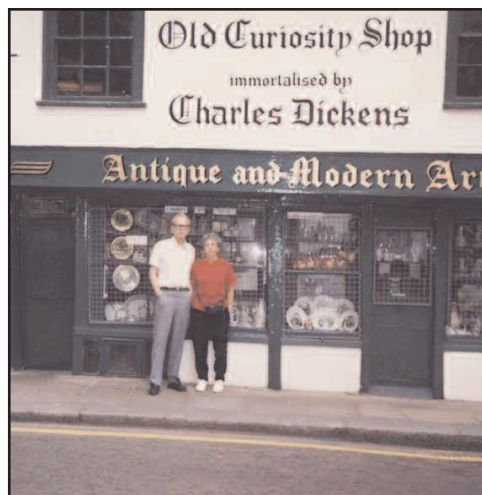
I've been listening to Ed Bousman's sermons online for years. He wrote five years worth of sermons before he passed away May 2011 to be played every Sunday on his program. So if you listen to him on Sundays you'll still get a new message for five years and then 25 years of reruns! WOW! If you go to his website, gijapa.com or .org you can

listen to all of his sermons. Power stuff! No matter how alone you think you are **GOD IS ALWAYS JUST A PRAYER AWAY!** Galadima from the internet!

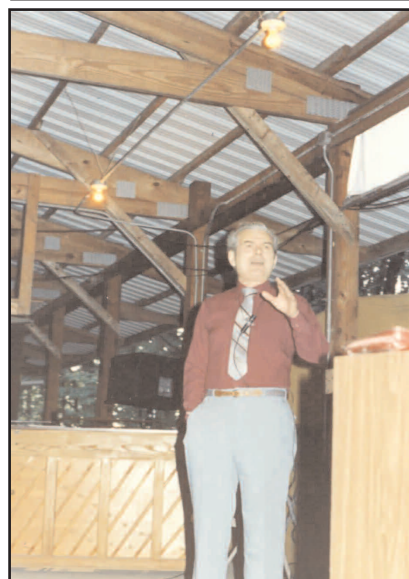
We were back home from spending our honeymoon with Ed's mother and sister in Newport News, VA. I was still teaching at Sycamore High School in Montgomery, Ohio; long hours - leaving at 6:15 am returning around 4 pm. I looked forward to spending my evening with Ed. This particular day stands out in my mind more vividly than others. We had finished supper and I was sitting on the couch waiting for Ed to come out of his office. Instead of coming over and sitting on the couch with me, he headed towards the door that goes upstairs! I said, "Aren't you coming to sit and visit awhile before I go to bed?" As he opened the door, he turned around and said, "To do what I do, and how I do it, it can't be done in an eight hour day." He disappeared up the stairs as I wiped the tears from my cheek. I tell you this because I visualized for the first time in my life someone that truly put Christ first in his life. At first my feeling were hurt, but then I suddenly realized that we are always saying that we put Christ first in our lives, or so and so does, but to experience it made me realize what it really means. How could he still need to go upstairs to study, when he had all day to get it done? He didn't love me any less, he simply was putting into action the fact that **THE LORD CAME FIRST IN HIS LIFE!** That is the amazing memory I have of Ed, he had his NT in his hand all the time, as he opened it constantly checking on the accuracy of scripture he was quoting under his breath! His motto was, "I make it a habit to talk to the Lord more each day than I do any one person." So if he talked to you an hour he owed the Lord equal time. It is no surprise that he called his radio broadcast, **GOD IS JUST A PRAYER AWAY;** for him He was! In loving memory of Ed, my husband, Naomi.



GOD IS JUST A PRAYER AWAY Ed Record 1962 50th



Alabama



**Ed in the Recording Studio 2008-2011
5 Yrs of Sermons recorded ahead!**



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NAOMI does all the rest!



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MATTHEW 7:7-8
American Standard Version (ASV)

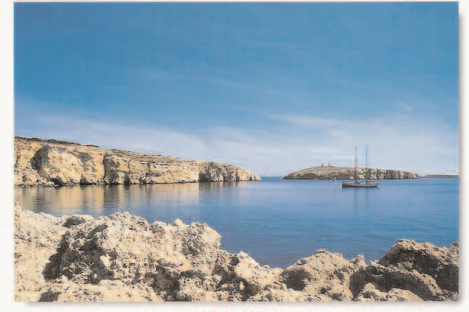
7 Ask, and it shall be given you; seek, and ye shall find; knock, and it shall be opened unto you:

8 for every one that asketh receiveth; and he that seeketh findeth; and to him that knocketh it shall be opened.

Northumbria, ENGLAND **SHORT WAVE-BIBLE VOICE EUROPE** is heard here!



GIJAPA Broadcast Heard in **MALTA**

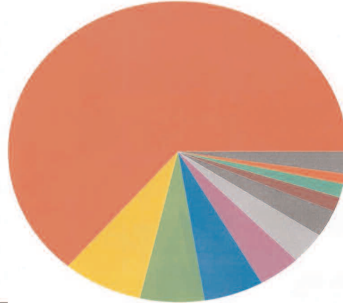


St. Paul's Island, where the apostle Paul was shipwrecked in 60 A.D.

PRISON MINISTRY

1. We have 1,800 studying w/GIJAPA
2. They span over OH, KY, IN, VA, WV LA, AR, TX, AL
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