Will You Help Me Reach More Men With The Gospel?



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Dear Friends,

Hey, it's May! (Go ahead and boo, I know that was bad lol). I am so excited for May! I have been waiting for it to get here so I can FINALLY share with you about our new resource, *Invincible, Scaling The Mountains That Keeps Us From Victory*. I am so excited that I am actually going to start off telling you about this and give our April recap afterward...and trust me, we had some exciting news from our Mantours to tell you about!!

I was planning on announcing this book in October, but God said it wasn't time yet. My next date was January, but again God said not yet. God gave me the green light to bring this book out in May, so I FINALLY get to tell you about it!

Invincible was, beyond a shadow of a doubt, the hardest book for me to write. As a matter of fact, when my mentor, Adessa, and trusted friends and advisors, all without knowing the others had done it, suggested I work on a book where I shared my testimony of how God had set me free from so many areas of sin, bondage, and weakness, I said "No way, Jose." But they all felt this book would help men overcome and experience the tremendous freedom that comes from God.

So why did I balk at the idea? Being 100% honest with you, I just didn't want to go back through all of it again and relive the pain. Life is good. God has done so much, and for the first time in years, I felt like my past was behind me, and I could move forward into the rest of my life.

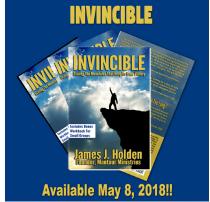
Here's the problem: God doesn't just set us free so that we can be happy and ride off into the sunset. He sets us free so that we, in turn, can help other hurting, lost people find this same freedom and victory. By refusing to share my past, I was wasting this tremendous gift of freedom. So after prayer and finally surrendering my will, I sat down and wrote *Invincible, Scaling The Mountains That Keeps Us From Victory.*

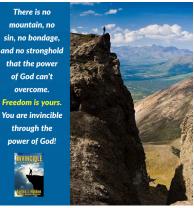
Now that's it's finished, *Invincible* is more than just a book to me. It is my life's passion to see men and women break free of their sins, struggles, and bondages and become all that God created them to be.

In this book, we examine 12 common mountains that keep too many of God's children trapped and unable to move into the Promised Land that God has for them. Just as God said to the nation of Israel thousands of years ago, He is speaking to His children today, "You have stayed at your mountain too long!"

It is not God's will for His sons and daughters to stay stagnant in their walk with God, unable to conquer the mountains that keep them trapped in their old way of life. He wants them to climb these mountains and conquer them. The message God has placed on my heart is "You can climb your mountains. You can claim victory! In Christ, YOU ARE INVINCIBLE!!"

As you read this book, you will find my personal story of climbing my own mountains. It is an honest, raw story of struggle, perseverance, and victory. Each chapter teaches the steps I took to conquer my mountains and gain victory. But the book isn't just about my testimony. The message is clear: any reader can experience this same freedom in Christ...through God, we are all invincible. But it starts with identifying our mountains and climbing. Founder, Mantour Ministries, AGUS Missionary Assoc.





I am excited to see how God uses this book to help men break free of their mountains and become everything He created them to be. Invincible will be our 2019 Mantour Conference theme as well. I am also excited to hold Overcomer Services on Sundays at churches, at men's breakfasts, and other men's events. If you have hurting people at your church and would like to hold an Overcomer's Service, contact me, I'd love to come! This is the theme I am going to be using all the way through until we start our 2020 Mantours.

So now that I have shared my exciting news, allow me to share with you how your financial support and prayers were used in April. We wrapped up our Spring Under Construction Conferences with three Mantours in April. We started off with our Northeast PA Mantour in Blakely, Pa where John Lanza brought a powerful message, encouraging men to Commit to Stay. It was a great Mantour, and the men really responded to the message.

Next we were at Philadelphia Christian Center for the Greater Philadelphia Mantour. Pastor Stan Williams was our Main Session speaker, and he killed it! We had over 100 guys respond at the altar, and 11 men accepted Christ as their Savior! We also had 6 men baptized in the Holy Spirit in our workshops. It was an amazing Mantour.

We wrapped up our Spring Mantours in the Northcentral Section as Pastor Walt Smith lead our Main Session. We had three men accept Christ as their Savior as the remainder of the men flooded the altar. It was a great conclusion to what has been our best year yet of Mantour Conferences. Men's lives were changed this year and that's what it's all about!

Now we start working on our 2019 Mantours, as well as continue to work on and grow our reach with The Mantour Guy Podcast.

Finally, we are so happy to have hit the 40% mark of raising our AGUS Missions support budget. We still have a way to go to hit the 100% mark, but we are celebrating this victory mark. I know people will want to be a part of what God is doing through Mantour Ministries when they hear about how God moved in this years conferences. God will be faithful and help us raise the remaining 60%!







I am grateful to each of you who partner with us financially and who pray for us as we reach men inside and outside of the church with the Gospel. Thank you for believing in this ministry and please keep praying for Mantour Ministries!

Reaching Men Together,

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PRAYER REQUESTS:

We are so appreciative of your prayer support. Please pray for:

1. Please pray for the our Upcoming Teen Challenge Mantour next month. Pray that God even now starts preparing the men's heart for this conference and for lives to be changed forever through this event.

2. As always, please keep my physical health in prayer. Pray that the Holy Spirit will give me the strength and pain relief to do what He has called me to do.

3. Pray that men with connect with the Mantour Guy Podcast and that it becomes a valuable tool to help men grow closer to God. Pray for me as I choose topics and guests.

4. We have raised 40% of our monthly budget, and we still have 60% to go! Please pray that God will continue to speak to individuals and churches to partner with us on a monthly basis so we can reach our budget. Also, pray against discouragement as we keep moving forward on this missionary journey.

JOIN THE TEAM:

I am in need of individuals and men's ministries to partner with me as a Missionary Associate on a monthly basis. I work on Mantour Conferences and the Mantour resources full time year round, and would value your financial support. Will you prayerfully consider partnering with me and with Mantour Ministries on monthly or yearly basis? You can give online at www.giving.ag.org using Account Number 2813962, or print and return the form below using account Number 2813962.



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