



**RUN** **WITH IT** 

— MIDPOINT OF THE UNSTOPPABLE GOOD INITIATIVE —

**UNSTOPPABLE** **GOOD**

**IN IT FOR GOOD.**



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## MY DEAR MOUNTAIN FAMILY,

In the Fall of 2022 we began a high impact season of intense spiritual growth AND mission advancement called

### ***UNSTOPPABLE GOOD.***

*Unstoppable* because when God is truly at work in his church, **even the gates of hell cannot prevail against it!** And when we do ministry in Jesus' name the result is truly Good — and the world needs so much more of Christ's goodness!

Our **Primary Goal** in this initiative has been to rally 100 percent of us together, so that every person who counts Mountain as home would engage with God and trust Jesus with their generosity through UNSTOPPABLE GOOD. So many stepped up in a beautiful way!



Our **Secondary Goal** was to make a huge impact through 16 crucial ministry areas where we are called to advance, totaling \$31 million over two years. And wow, did the Mountain people step up! Our commitments and flow of generosity through this first year have resulted in unprecedented spiritual impact IN us and ministry impact THROUGH us!

You will LOVE hearing the stories of the incredible GOOD God has done through us in just this first year! I've never seen anything like it!

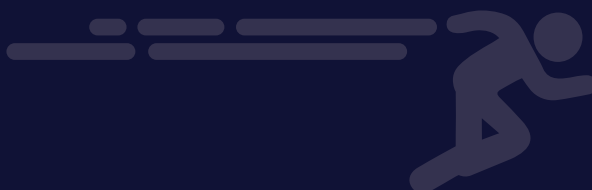
**WE CAN ALL JUST SAY A GREAT BIG "WOW!" TO ALL GOD HAS DONE!**

There is so much joy seeing what can happen when we put OUR faithfulness next to God's. **It's truly UNSTOPPABLY GOOD.**

But this race isn't over! There is SOOOO much still to do, so many critical needs unmet. Let this booklet **ENCOURAGE** you about all that has happened so far, and **INSPIRE** you for **YOUR PART** in year two of this historic initiative. As we head into our 200th year, **NOTHING IN OUR PAST COMPARES WITH THE FUTURE GOD HAS FOR US!**

Let's gooooo!

*Ben Cochran*





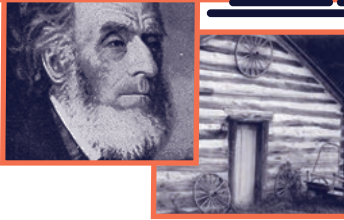


# A STORY 200 YEARS IN THE MAKING

Mountain is coming up on its 200th birthday in 2024. God has been making a way over and over again... for nearly 200 years!

It all began in the year 1824. The United States was less than 50 years old and John Quincy Adams was elected president...

**AUGUST 1824**



Samuel Rogers and James McVey traveled by horseback from Kentucky to reach out to the people in this area. They gathered people in a little log cabin structure on Old Joppa Road. That small handful of people becomes Mountain Christian Church.

First house of worship is dedicated on a piece of property known as "The Mountain," which is the present Mountain Rd Campus location.

**AUGUST 1847**



**1877**

Mountain begins church planting efforts in northern Harford County, starting Avondale Christian Church.

Albert Norton (then Senior Pastor at Mountain) leaves to begin the first mission of the Christian Churches in India. He later began church work in Japan.

**1882**

**1891**



Mountain moves to its second house of worship on the Mountain Rd Campus (remodeled and enlarged in 1941).

Mountain sends a group to plant Fork Christian Church in Baltimore County.

**1892**

**1947**

Mountain works to plant First Christian Church of Havre de Grace.

**MARCH 1956**

Mountain dedicates and moves into its third house of worship on the Mountain Rd Campus (which is now referred to as Walker Chapel).

**1975**

Mountain's facility is expanded to include a new education wing which allows Mountain Christian School to begin in September of that year.

**BUT THINGS DIDN'T STOP THERE...**





**1993**

Mountain moves to its fourth house of worship on the Mountain Rd Campus which we now call Cook Auditorium, named after Sr. Pastor Emeritus Charles and Barbara Cook.

**1997**



Ben Cachiaras begins as Lead Pastor at Mountain Christian Church.

**2004**

Mountain moves into the New Life Center, the fifth house of worship on the Mountain Rd Campus.



**2004-06**



Mountain partners with Missions of Hope International (MOHI) in Nairobi, Kenya. At the time, 200 students were sponsored with uniforms, food, health care, and a Christ centered education. MOHI has now grown to 20,000 children across 20 centers.

Mountain sends a group to start Community Christian Church in White Marsh including four staff and around 200 members.

**2006**

Mountain launches its second campus, the Bel Air Campus in The John Carroll School, to reach people.

**2010**



**2013**

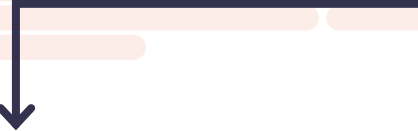


Mountain launches its third campus in Edgewood and creates a community center called The EPICENTER to focus ministry in the areas of children and youth, recovery, life skills, and health and wellness.



**2017**

Mountain launches its fourth campus in Abingdon.



**2020**

Mountain Online reconfigures and expands to reach thousands through the COVID-19 pandemic.

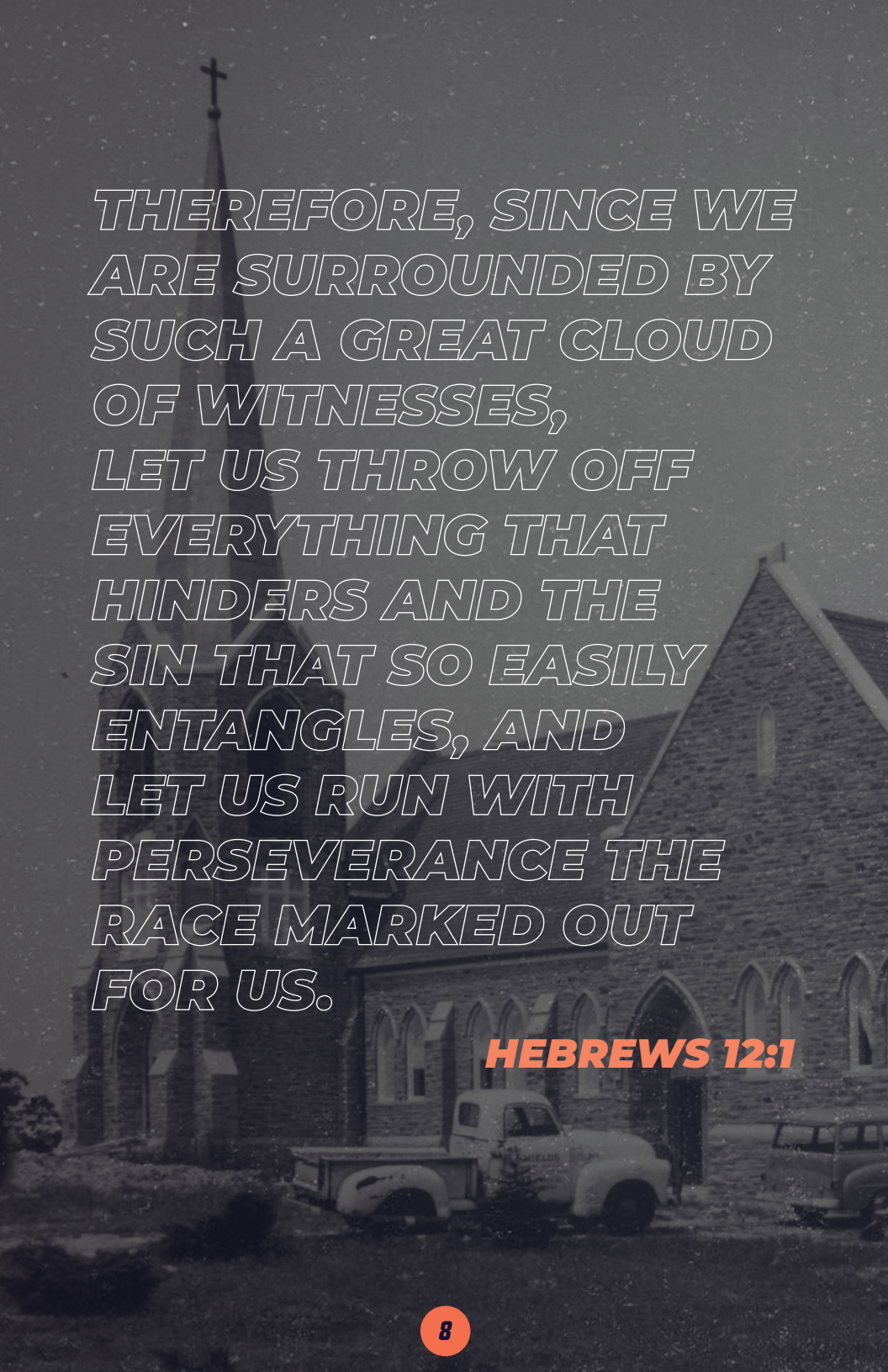


**2021**

Mountain partners with The EPICENTER to open a second location in Aberdeen, and launches its fifth campus.





A black and white photograph of a church building with a steeple and a vintage truck parked in front. The church has a prominent steeple with a cross on top. The building features Gothic-style architecture with pointed arch windows. A vintage pickup truck is parked in the foreground, and another vehicle is partially visible on the right. The overall scene is set in a rural or small-town environment.

*THEREFORE, SINCE WE  
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OF WITNESSES,  
LET US THROW OFF  
EVERYTHING THAT  
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ENTANGLES, AND  
LET US RUN WITH  
PERSEVERANCE THE  
RACE MARKED OUT  
FOR US.*

**HEBREWS 12:1**





# WHAT WE SET OUT TO DO



## PRIMARY GOAL

The PRIMARY goal is that 100% of Mountain people would engage deeply with God in a time of genuine spiritual growth. This is about what God wants to do **IN** us. This comes first: every person who calls Mountain home prayerfully listening to God's leading and growing in generosity discipleship.

## SECONDARY GOAL

The SECONDARY goal is mission advancement. This is about the GOOD God desires to do **THROUGH** us. As God moves among us and we are generous toward God, a powerful force of Unstoppable Good is unleashed in key ministry areas that **STRETCH, STRENGTHEN, and SPREAD** God's mission through Mountain.



# STRETCH

Stretching our hearts and hands to reach new people and make MORE disciples.

## › *Grow Mountain 2X in key measures of engagement*

- › We lost some spiritual ground to the enemy and it's time to take it back and more! This initiative will spark all of us to stretch our hearts and hands to more people taking their first steps at Mountain—seeing 2x growth in first-time guests, baptisms, and weekly service attendance.

## › *Expand our focus on KIDS and STUDENTS*

- › Kids and students have been hit hard by the impact of COVID. We can make a difference for the next generation through expanded programs, updated facilities, and new school partnerships. Kids are the future and they need us right now!

## › *Multiply our emphasis on Young Adults*

- › A new staff position and intensified approach allows us to invest in young adults and future leaders.

## › *Amplify our Sports Ministry program*

- › First rate leadership, programming, and space allows us to reach more people through this high demand strategy.

## › *Increase our Digital Ministry impact*

- › Online ministry continues to grow. Thousands more we want to reach are online. Upgrades in equipment and personnel allow us to expand our reach significantly.

**\$12.6 MILLION**



# STRENGTHEN

Strengthening our lives by taking next steps with Christ to make BETTER disciples.

## › **Strengthen every Mountain ministry**

- › From Mountain Kids and Students to Benevolence, Celebrate Recovery to Rooted, GriefShare to SoulCare, Groups to weekly services, we will strengthen the ministries that strengthen people.

## › **Launch Mental Health initiatives**

- › Christ-centered and practical help to address this pressing challenge that keeps so many from flourishing.

## › **Unveil the Mountain App**

- › A one-stop Mountain portal and daily interactive tool packed with resources to help people connect with Mountain and grow in Christ.

## › **Improve and update critical ministry spaces**

- › Space and technology updates, chairs, boilers, and repairs keep our facilities ready for ministry.

## › **Invest in leaders, assist churches, and expand as a Resource Church**

- › The mission depends on strong, faith-filled leadership. We must invest in the next generation of leaders to encourage and equip them to be agents of God's GOOD.

**\$8.2 MILLION**





# SPREAD

Spreading the canopy of God's Unstoppable Good beyond current boundaries.

- › ***Invest in new church planting***
  - › New churches reach new people!
- › ***Prepare for launching Mountain's next campus***
  - › We must pave the way for when the time is right!
- › ***Launch a new kids camp in Kenya through Missions of Hope International***
  - › We have seen the amazing fruit of our first camp. Let's do it again!
- › ***Expand The EPICENTER to be a larger, multi-faceted ministry center***
  - › New partnerships and acquiring additional space in Edgewood will expand ministry in critical ways—youth camps, before and after school care, recovery, crisis pregnancy, affordable clothing, food, health and wellness, and case management.
- › ***Reduce debt so we can say YES to ministry opportunities***
  - › Positioning ourselves so we can say YES to new opportunities God brings our way!
- › ***Ignite "Explosions of Good" to bless others***
  - › Strategic, generous, "sur blessings" to celebrate 200 years of ministry.

**\$10.2 MILLION**

**INITIAL 2-YEAR GOAL**  **\$31 MILLION**

# WHAT GOD HAS DONE



## STRETCH

- » Attendance has **increased 33%**
- » **More first time guests** visited Mountain in 6 months of 2023 than in all of 2022
- » **More students** participated in summer camps **than ever before** in Mountain's history
- » Kids summer camp reached **325 kids**, a 21% increase
- » A Young Adults Pastor was **hired**
- » **42 Young Adults** have been baptized
- » **437 people** participated in **Sports** programming, a 72% increase
- » **51,000 new visitors** to Mountain's website in the most recent quarter of 2023.
- » Easter services reached people in **48 states** and **12 countries** digitally







# STRENGTHEN

- » **3,128 people are engaged in groups**, the highest number since the pandemic began and nearly the highest ever
- » Mental Health Night brought key insight and help for **700 people** in February 2023
- » **Celebrate Recovery launched** in Aberdeen and new **Care Groups launch** in early 2024
- » **The Mountain App was unveiled** in January 2023
- » **12 interns, 7 residents, and 162 new volunteer leaders** have been deployed





# SPREAD

- » **\$100k was given** to Grace Capital City, a church plant in DC, to help them acquire space downtown
- » A church planting residency for Hopeville Church in Baltimore was **funded and supported**
- » Land for the **MOHI camp is purchased**, plans are underway, and construction will begin this fall
- » **Tabitha's House was built out** in Edgewood, the thrift store is open, and food pantry construction is underway
- » Mortgage principal has been reduced **10% in 10 months**
- » FCA, Habitat for Humanity, and The Sharing Table received strategic gifts as **"Explosions of Good"** to advance their ministry.

## AND THERE IS MORE ON THE HORIZON!



With the opportunity to establish Mountain's next campus, expanded generosity can help pave the way!

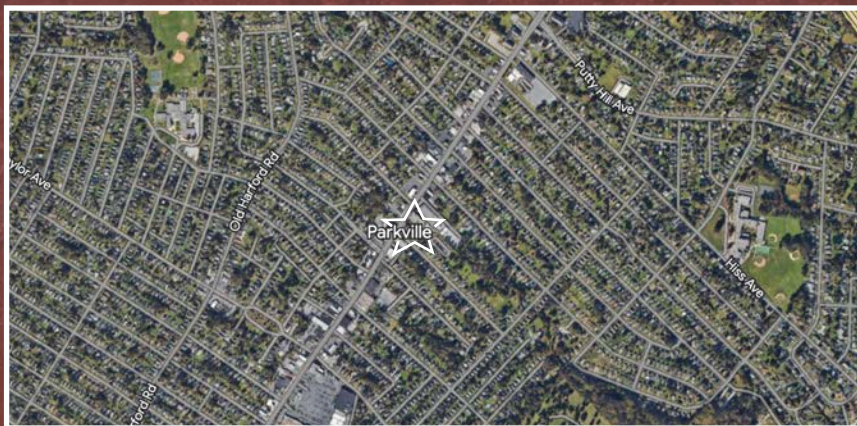
**NEW 2-YEAR TOTAL = \$34 MILLION**

Reaching a new target of \$34 million will position Mountain to continue to make more and better disciples through multi-site ministry, preparing for the next campus and more Unstoppable Good in a new community!



# WHAT'S NEXT?

## OUR NEXT CAMPUS... PARKVILLE!



In 2010 Mountain went “multi-site” and since then God has been using that strategy to make more and better disciples, expanding the reach of Mountain up and down the 95 corridor. The strategy works, and God has worked for GOOD through each new campus launch. Most recently, we launched the Aberdeen Campus and along with it took The EPICENTER ministry multi-site as well. In just two short years, Aberdeen has welcomed over 1,000 first time

guests, more than 190 people have committed their life to Christ and have been baptized, 630 people are gathering on average every weekend to worship together, group life is thriving, ministries to Kids & Students are continuing to grow and The EPICENTER is a centerpiece of GOOD in the community. **Multi-site works and it's time to do it again!** And we believe God is positioning us to launch Mountain's next campus in Parkville!



**WHY PARKVILLE?** For several years now it has been the desire of Mountain and The EPICENTER to continue expanding the impact of ministry beyond Harford County, to expand into new areas where hope is needed. When looking at potential locations, many factors are considered. First, we determine where we have a group of Mountain people who can help seed the next campus. Then, we have to determine whether or not there are any facilities or properties that can work well for the programming we hope to offer. The type of facility must have adequate parking, be strategically located near areas that are frequently trafficked, have a certain ceiling height and zoning, and have adequate square footage to accommodate the type of programming that can best serve the community.

When the VFW Hall (previously Colony Theatre), located at 8123 Harford Road, was presented to us, it became very clear, very quickly, that this property could be an ideal location for Mountain's next campus. The facility is perfectly located, right on Harford Road. The parking lot is more than adequate, the location is surrounded by homes and community partners, there is a lack of thriving churches, and we can envision a thriving church community growing in this unique and historic space. We have around 200 Mountain families already living in the surrounding area who could be a part of creating something new and beautiful in Parkville.





The building needs a little TLC, but we saw the potential, a diamond in the rough, and an opportunity to invest in a facility that can be an epicenter of hope in Parkville. Strong churches and strong community centers lead to the betterment of the community, and we saw the potential for Mountain and The EPICENTER to do something beautiful and good in Parkville.

**Parkville is the most densely populated zip code in the state of Maryland, with over 350,000 people within a five mile radius.**

That means that within five miles of this location, **there are more people than in all of Harford County.** Parkville is a diverse community, but also a changing and growing demographic. There are young families in need of strong kids programming. There is a homeless population in and around this site that are in need of a hand up, along with a significant opportunity to bring hope and healing to those in recovery.

## **GENEROSITY MAKES A DIFFERENCE!**

The vision for a new Mountain Campus and The EPICENTER in Parkville was so compelling to one Mountain family that they wrote a check for \$1,000,000 that allowed us to pay for this facility!



**AND NOW,** we have some work to do to design and renovate the building, strategize the launch, build teams and start creating a presence in the community. The building is ours, but now we must navigate zoning, permitting and construction, all of which will take some time. But that time will be used strategically to start rallying our Mountain families who live in and around Parkville, to begin a missional presence in the community, and of course to call all Mountain people to prayerfully consider how we can be a part of what God started when Mountain first went multi-site back in 2010.

We said we were going to 'Prepare for the Next Campus' through Unstoppable Good, and God is already paving the way.

**It's going to take all of us doing our part so that another community can be blessed by the ministry that's been doing GOOD for 200 years.**

**Text "Parkville" to 94062**

if you're interested in learning more about how you can be a part of this new campus launch.





# WHAT IS YOUR ROLE?



## NEW COMMITMENT

You recently joined Mountain and are wondering, "What is UNSTOPPABLE GOOD? How do I become a part of it?" UNSTOPPABLE GOOD is for anyone who calls Mountain their church home. The hope is that everyone at Mountain will join together, push back the resistance of this world that says "now isn't the time" and confidently "run with it" to the next adventure God has for us as we make "more and better disciples." You're invited to "be in it for good" by making a 12-month generosity commitment to UNSTOPPABLE GOOD.



## FINISH STRONG

Others made a commitment one year ago and perhaps for some of us, this journey has been as difficult - or possibly more difficult - than we had envisioned. Maybe you went to a completely new level in your generosity and are still adjusting your life to your commitment. Maybe you have experienced job loss, job change, or unexpected financial expenses. Persevere to finish strong in the journey you began. We all stand together, encouraging one another. We know the Lord is faithful. He will provide, and we want to finish strong in our UNSTOPPABLE GOOD Commitments.



## INCREASE

Since our UNSTOPPABLE GOOD commitment one year ago, some of us may have experienced an increase in faith or finances. Keeping your commitment has likely required a lot of sacrifice and significant investment. However, you may be sensing the Lord stretching you to take an additional step of faith in your generosity. If that's you, then consider how God is calling you to respond to His generosity by increasing your commitment. Generosity is not a one-time event; it is a journey. Ask yourself: Am I still giving in a way that challenges me? Does my giving represent an act of faith in God? Pray, and give as God directs.

# GIVING JOURNEY

We're all on a journey. And when our path syncs up with Jesus, then we really hit our stride. Around Mountain, we call that the Mountain Walk: Love God, Love People, and Serve the World. That's the simplest way we know how to describe following Jesus. And one of the most beautiful and exhilarating parts of that journey is learning to **Give Generously**, a path that could look something like this...



## INITIAL GIVER

Wow, what an amazing first step! The risk, the trust, the thrill—an Initial Giver experiences the joy of responding to God by releasing some of their resources for a purpose larger than themselves and giving for the first time. Everybody starts somewhere. Welcome to the giving journey.



## CONSISTENT GIVER

A Consistent Giver is someone who creates a habit. Their commitment to give runs deep enough to become a discipline that they exercise regularly. Their generosity reflects their desire to walk consistently with Jesus and pursue his will. Often, this person will take the significant step of setting up a recurring gift online. One doesn't have to give online to be consistent, of course; online giving is simply one tool to further establish this rewarding discipline in a person's life.



## PRIORITY GIVER

A Priority Giver has begun to learn the theology of "Nachos." Huh? "Nachos" as in: "Not Yours." Meaning that all the stuff you have is really not yours. It's God's. Even the capacity to create and build wealth is a gift from God. As a result, this person begins to thank and acknowledge God for all they've received AND honor God by giving the first and best of what they have to the Lord through his church. This person's priorities have been reshuffled by God. They think about their commitment to give first and then make their saving and spending decisions after that, as opposed to their saving and spending decisions determining their giving. This person experiences the freedom of serving "one master" and declaring that Jesus is first.



## **SURRENDERED GIVER**

“Nachos” theology leads the Surrendered Giver to discover how to honor God with 100% of their resources. Jesus fully surrendered himself for us, and this person responds with a surrendered life. This giver would say, “My giving is not just changing my spending and saving; it’s also changing me!” They also look at what they’re not giving away and ask, “Is it surrendered too?” This informs how they use everything they’ve been blessed and entrusted with—whether that be through direct monetary giving or through a God-honoring use of an existing resource (e.g. honoring God with the use of one’s home, business, etc.)



## **ETERNAL GIVER**

An Eternal Giver takes a long view. They think long-term about the impact of generosity over their lifetime and beyond, making decisions in light of eternity. They think of what home they buy, what car they purchase, how much savings they choose to keep, all in relation to the impact on their capacity for generosity to God’s mission. An Eternal Giver might be someone who has a lifetime giving goal which puts every other decision in perspective. Much like a Surrendered Giver makes a commitment that will govern their monthly and annual decisions, an Eternal Giver makes a lifetime or longer-term giving commitment that governs their larger-item purchases like homes, cars, investments, and the like. An Eternal Giver experiences the deep joy of leaving a legacy that outlives them.





# ONE FUND

Every aspect of Unstoppable Good and all the ministry that Mountain does over the next two years year is being brought together in one fund. You could call this a “One Fund” initiative. This means that there is not a “building fund” or a “campaign fund” separate from the “general fund.” Everything that Mountain is prioritizing over the next year is part of Unstoppable Good. It’s so much more than a “building campaign.” This initiative is a multi-faceted, multi-ministry, multigenerational, multi-continent effort to see God’s Unstoppable Good STRETCH, STRENGTHEN, and SPREAD in powerful

ways. So when you give to Unstoppable Good, you’re multiplying your impact through this one fund.

To help each person think about how God is inviting them to give and be IN IT FOR GOOD, a copy of the commitment card is included here. Please take time to pray over this card and begin to work through it. Allow it to be a tool that helps you clarify what God is calling you to do and strengthens your trust in the Lord. A digital commitment card will be online, and physical cards will be available at each campus.

## I AM NEW TO UNSTOPPABLE GOOD

I want to make a 12-month commitment of

\$

\*This includes your regular giving over the next 12 months as well as your expanded giving and stored resources in the time period of Dec 2023 - Dec 2024.

## I'M ALREADY ON THIS JOURNEY

My current two-year commitment is:

\$

Dec 2022 - Dec 2024

At the midpoint of Unstoppable Good, I would like to:

Confirm my commitment to finish strong

Increase my two-year commitment to

\$

Dec 2022 - Dec 2024 (new total)

# GIFT CHART

As you pray and discern how God would ask you to give during this time, allow this gift chart to be a tool for you. Allow it to be something that inspires and challenges you towards greater generosity for God's Kingdom!

Gifts Needed	Two Year Gift Level	One Year Gift Level	Monthly Gift	Gift Level Total
1	\$3,000,000	\$1,500,000	\$125,000	\$3,000,000
1	\$2,000,000	\$1,000,000	\$83,333	\$2,000,000
2	\$1,000,000	\$500,000	\$41,667	\$2,000,000
5	\$500,000	\$250,000	\$20,833	\$2,500,000
8	\$250,000	\$125,000	\$10,417	\$2,000,000
12	\$150,000	\$75,000	\$6,250	\$1,800,000
18	\$100,000	\$50,000	\$4,167	\$1,800,000
25	\$75,000	\$37,500	\$3,125	\$1,875,000
45	\$65,000	\$32,500	\$2,708	\$2,925,000
55	\$50,000	\$25,000	\$2,083	\$2,750,000
85	\$35,000	\$17,500	\$1,458	\$2,975,000
90	\$25,000	\$12,500	\$1,042	\$2,250,000
110	\$15,000	\$7,500	\$625	\$1,650,000
125	\$10,000	\$5,000	\$417	\$1,250,000
150	\$7,500	\$3,750	\$313	\$1,125,000
210	\$5,000	\$2,500	\$208	\$1,050,000
Many	\$2,500	\$1,250	\$104	\$1,050,000
<b>Total Gift Goal</b>				<b>\$34,000,000</b>







# DAILY EXPERIENCE

Are you ready to get going with God every day? Jump into this daily texting challenge!

Each morning, pause to listen for what God is saying to YOU through reading a Bible verse, reflecting on a question, and practicing prayer. Campus Pastors will hop in on Mondays via video to guide us along as we all run towards Jesus together.

**Let's do it!**

Text "**RUN**" to 94062





# MESSAGE NOTES

## WEEK 1

*<sup>1</sup> THE LORD HAD SAID TO ABRAM, "GO FROM YOUR COUNTRY, YOUR PEOPLE AND YOUR FATHER'S HOUSEHOLD TO THE LAND I WILL SHOW YOU. <sup>2</sup>"I WILL MAKE YOU INTO A GREAT NATION, AND I WILL BLESS YOU; I WILL MAKE YOUR NAME GREAT, AND YOU WILL BE A BLESSING. <sup>3</sup> I WILL BLESS THOSE WHO BLESS YOU, AND WHOEVER CURSES YOU I WILL CURSE; AND ALL PEOPLES ON EARTH WILL BE BLESSED THROUGH YOU."*

**GENESIS 12:1-3**





# MESSAGE NOTES

## WEEK 2

<sup>1</sup> AFTER THIS, THE WORD OF THE LORD CAME TO ABRAM IN A VISION:

“DO NOT BE AFRAID, ABRAM.

I AM YOUR SHIELD,

YOUR VERY GREAT REWARD.”

<sup>2</sup> BUT ABRAM SAID, “SOVEREIGN LORD, WHAT CAN YOU GIVE ME SINCE I REMAIN CHILDLESS AND THE ONE WHO WILL INHERIT MY ESTATE IS ELIEZER OF DAMASCUS?”

<sup>3</sup> AND ABRAM SAID, “YOU HAVE GIVEN ME NO CHILDREN; SO A SERVANT IN MY HOUSEHOLD WILL BE MY HEIR.” <sup>4</sup> THEN THE WORD OF THE LORD CAME TO HIM: “THIS MAN WILL NOT BE YOUR HEIR, BUT A SON WHO IS YOUR OWN FLESH AND BLOOD WILL BE YOUR HEIR.” <sup>5</sup> HE TOOK HIM OUTSIDE AND SAID, “LOOK UP AT THE SKY AND COUNT THE STARS—IF INDEED YOU CAN COUNT THEM.” THEN HE SAID TO HIM, “SO SHALL YOUR OFFSPRING BE.” <sup>6</sup> ABRAM BELIEVED THE LORD, AND HE CREDITED IT TO HIM AS RIGHTEOUSNESS.

**GENESIS 15:1-6**

Lined area for writing notes or text.

**DAILY EXPERIENCE**

Join the daily texting challenge and grow deeper.

TEXT "RUN" TO 94062



# MESSAGE NOTES

## WEEK 3

<sup>14</sup> THE LORD SAID TO ABRAM AFTER LOT HAD PARTED FROM HIM, "LOOK AROUND FROM WHERE YOU ARE, TO THE NORTH AND SOUTH, TO THE EAST AND WEST. <sup>15</sup> ALL THE LAND THAT YOU SEE I WILL GIVE TO YOU AND YOUR OFFSPRING FOREVER. <sup>16</sup> I WILL MAKE YOUR OFFSPRING LIKE THE DUST OF THE EARTH, SO THAT IF ANYONE COULD COUNT THE DUST, THEN YOUR OFFSPRING COULD BE COUNTED. <sup>17</sup> GO, WALK THROUGH THE LENGTH AND BREADTH OF THE LAND, FOR I AM GIVING IT TO YOU." <sup>18</sup> SO ABRAM WENT TO LIVE NEAR THE GREAT TREES OF MAMRE AT HEBRON, WHERE HE PITCHED HIS TENTS. THERE HE BUILT AN ALTAR TO THE LORD.

**GENESIS 13:14-18**



# MESSAGE NOTES

## WEEK 4

ABRAHAM CALLED THAT PLACE THE LORD WILL PROVIDE. AND TO THIS DAY IT IS SAID, "ON THE MOUNTAIN OF THE LORD IT WILL BE PROVIDED."<sup>15</sup> THE ANGEL OF THE LORD CALLED TO ABRAHAM FROM HEAVEN A SECOND TIME<sup>16</sup> AND SAID, "I SWEAR BY MYSELF, DECLARES THE LORD, THAT BECAUSE YOU HAVE DONE THIS AND HAVE NOT WITHHELD YOUR SON, YOUR ONLY SON,<sup>17</sup> I WILL SURELY BLESS YOU AND MAKE YOUR DESCENDANTS AS NUMEROUS AS THE STARS IN THE SKY AND AS THE SAND ON THE SEASHORE. YOUR DESCENDANTS WILL TAKE POSSESSION OF THE CITIES OF THEIR ENEMIES,<sup>18</sup> AND THROUGH YOUR OFFSPRING ALL NATIONS ON EARTH WILL BE BLESSED, BECAUSE YOU HAVE OBEYED ME."

GENESIS 22:14-18





# MESSAGE NOTES

## WEEK 5

*<sup>18</sup> ABRAHAM WILL SURELY BECOME A GREAT AND POWERFUL NATION, AND ALL NATIONS ON EARTH WILL BE BLESSED THROUGH HIM. <sup>19</sup> FOR I HAVE CHOSEN HIM, SO THAT HE WILL DIRECT HIS CHILDREN AND HIS HOUSEHOLD AFTER HIM TO KEEP THE WAY OF THE LORD BY DOING WHAT IS RIGHT AND JUST, SO THAT THE LORD WILL BRING ABOUT FOR ABRAHAM WHAT HE HAS PROMISED HIM."*

**GENESIS 18:18-19**







# GET IN A GROUP

Around Mountain we like to say “life is better together.” During the series *Run With It*, groups will be forming at campuses and in homes to help us all grow. Everyone is invited to take part in a group.

Half of the Unstoppable Good journey has come and gone. The race began with Mountain folks last year, and now so many more have joined and have the opportunity to grab the baton and run with it.

This group study experience is designed as an anchor to help sink deeper into God’s Word and as a challenge to support one another to follow God’s leading.

Groups will dig into Genesis and follow the life of Abraham to search for answers to questions, discover God’s big story, and learn how his story intersects with our story.

Sign up for a group, and get the groups guide by visiting [UnstoppableGood.church/Groups](https://UnstoppableGood.church/Groups)



PRAY EARNESTLY

COMMIT FULLY

CHEER LOUDLY

GIVE GENEROUSLY

**BE IN  
IT FOR  
GOOD**

**UNSTOPPABLEGOOD**

IN IT FOR GOOD.



**MOUNTAIN**  
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