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# Scott Kaczinski & Family Music Ministries

Quarterly Newsletter

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## *Praises and Prayer*

**Praise** God for the extra financial gifts we received to pay second quarter taxes in full, the dentist bill, and the ministry accounting bill mentioned in our last newsletter!

Please **pray** that God will supply for our third quarter taxes due Oct. 31. (\$1000 left)

Please **pray** for extra funds to come in so that we may purchase the projector, screen, and software to use for our upcoming Christmas concerts. (@ \$1500)

Please **pray** for wisdom as we will need to purchase a different vehicle in the new year.

Please **pray** for additional monthly supporters to partner with us.

Please **pray** for good health for our family as we look forward to a busy, but blessed Christmas season of much singing.

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**Our pastor recently spoke on Galatians 6 about “bearing one another’s burdens.” We are very grateful to all of you who fulfill Christ’s command to love one another when you pray for our ministry, encourage us, send notes, financially give, help with projects, impart wisdom, provide us with meat and wood, and all the other special acts of kindness you do to help support our ministry. Thank you for your partnership with us!!**

## *Music Sharing*

Not too long ago a friend and I were discussing the influence of Christian music and the impact of well-written lyrics accompanied by engaging musical notes and instruments. Shortly after that conversation, I realized that if someone had not shared the music that they enjoyed with me, (Rich Mullins) I might just have missed out on arguably some of the greatest music ever written. With that said, I’d like to use this space to share with you some of the music that I enjoy listening to, with the hope that you might “check it out” for yourself.

At or near the top of my list would be from the aforementioned Mullins, and his album A Liturgy, A Legacy and a Ragamuffin Band. I’m sure that I could listen to the song “The Color Green” from this cd and never tire of it. Another album from Mullins that I enjoy is Never Picture Perfect. The three songs in succession, “Bound To Come Some Trouble,” “The Love Of God,” and “My One Thing” are very moving and I hope to one day (but not too soon) have sung at my funeral. Another cd that would definitely make my “top ten” would be Twila Paris’ Sanctuary. This album contains 14 amazingly worshipful songs...a great listen when getting ready for church! With Christmas just around the corner I’d like to share a couple of albums that I’ve chosen as my top two. My first choice would be Andrew Petersen’s Behold The Lamb Of God, and second would be Michael Card’s The Promise. These both are very non-traditional, and really get you “out of the box” so to speak and help you take an in depth, detailed look at the Christmas story and all that it entails. The lyric writing in both of these albums is simply incredible. In closing, I would also like to include any music by the late Keith Green. A possible idea for a good quiet time/devotion could be to read the parable of the prodigal son Luke 15:11-32 followed by listening to Green’s “The Prodigal Son Suite.” Just a thought. And I’d love to hear your thoughts and suggestions of music that inspires you! Feel free to e-mail me at [scott@scottkministries.com](mailto:scott@scottkministries.com)

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