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## **The New “Principles of Praise” TV Series- It Ain’t No Hymns & Harps**

A U.K. Based charity Harvest Fields Commissioning International and its media production arm OLI Production have recently begun filming a new TV series, following on from their highly successful 52-part series “Principles of Leadership” In that series they have had heart-to-heart chats with people such as Brother Yun, a leader in the Chinese house church movement. They have listened to strategies used by evangelists such as Anne Graham Lotz, daughter of the renowned Billy Graham, Greek Cypriot Canon J. John from the U.K., and Argentinean Dr. Luis Palau. Viewers have been able to witness interviews with head of the British Army General Sir Richard Dannatt and best selling authors and TV personalities Joyce Meyer, Lisa Bevere, Andrew Wommack and Casey Treat. Now moving on from that breakthrough series HFC International is now releasing for broadcast another unique series “Principles of Praise”. Guests have already included the well know singer and composer Graham Kendrick, Noel Ricahrds, Dave Bilbrough, Chris Bowater, Lou Fellingham and Phatfish Taking its cue from its unusual predecessor this new look at Christian music also features people such as Grand ‘Ole Opry singer George Hamilton IV and opera singer Liliana Oliveri. Many of these guests have written songs that are sung everywhere from cathedrals to home groups, youth meetings to “Songs of Praise”.

The man behind these two series and a number of other groundbreaking programmes is David Sullivan, the Director of HFC International and Executive Producer of OLI Productions. In his early years he was interviewing, on radio, personalities from Cliff Richard to the BeeGees, circus clown Emmett Kelly Junior to drummer Buddy Rich. His desire, though, he relates, is not to show the spotlight on personalities but to “examine in-depth the heartbeat of what makes these well known Christian leaders and artists who they are.” Often times the recording sessions turn into sessions of strategic discussions about missions, evangelism and the state of the Christian church today. David adds “Many of these people reach out to millions and millions of people worldwide and are responsible for overseeing hundreds or thousands of leaders. It is our desire to create tools so that we can “pass the baton” to the next generation of Christian leaders and singer / songwriters.

The series “Principles of Leadership” is currently being broadcast on 18 Christian and independent television networks around the world including SAT 7 (the Middle East), CNL (Russia and worldwide), Gospel Channel (Scandinavia), The Australian Christian Channel, the Alfa and Omega Network (Romania and worldwide), The Miracle Channel (Canada) Doers TV ( U. S. A.), Premier TV (U.K.), Shine TV (New Zealand), U Channel (Indonesia), the Family 7 Network (Holland), and IFBN (Israel). Thus, the materials that they are producing is getting into the hands and hearts of churches and ministries that might not be able to access such information and inspiration any other way. David Sullivan concludes “We feel that we have an awesome responsibility and opportunity to feed the spiritually starving of the world with the Bread of Life through the words of these great men and women of God. Recently I delved into the thoughts, inspiration and background of Billy Graham’s daughter Anne. She has had one of the most unique experiences, as a Christian, in the world today. That knowledge and encouragement needs to be shared with the world and we’re helping to do that.”

Harvest Fields Commissioning International is a U. K. Registered Charity with the purpose of assisting in raising up and encouraging churches and leaders in over 45 countries and on all 5 continents for work in churches, charities and other humanitarian assistance groups. Its websites are at: <http://www.agapelive.net> and <http://www.hfci.net>.