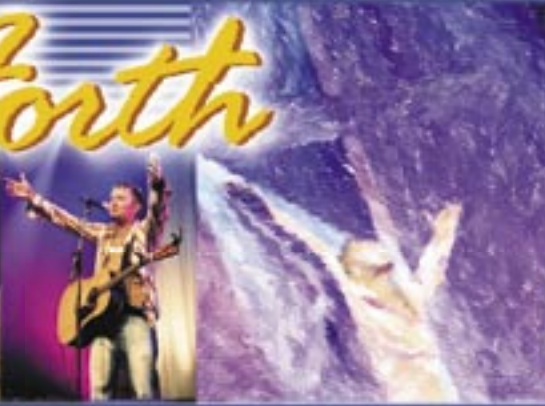


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Worship History at Break Forth Canada



An historic night of worship was held at Break Forth Canada, featuring six of the world's top contemporary worship songwriters. Left to right: Rita Baloché, Bob Fitts, Andy Park, Paul Baloché, Robin Mark and Marty Nystrom.

“Break Forth is the closest we can get to heaven while on earth. There is something supernatural about uniting in prayer, song and creed with this amount of believers.”
– a quote from a registrant

From January 23 – 25, 2004, thousands gathered from as far away as Ireland to worship God, have their hearts renewed and be equipped with brothers and sisters of many different denominations.

The little conference that began with 230 registrants just seven years ago has become the largest of its kind in North America and one of the largest in the world. The fact that something of this magnitude happens in Edmonton in January is a testimony to our God who has brought this together.

Up to three generations came together from families to worship in unity. It was

powerful to see grandparents worshipping with their children and grandchildren!

Break Forth Canada started as a worship conference focused mainly on music. Break Forth Canada has grown in its understanding of worship to include our entire lives as the Apostle Paul wrote in Romans 12:1. “Therefore, I urge you, brothers, in view of God’s mercy, to offer your bodies as living sacrifices, holy and pleasing to God--this is your spiritual act of worship.”

This year over 140 classes were held. While the creative arts will always be a strong focus of Break Forth Canada, we have expanded greatly into personal renewal, administrative ministries, prayer, church leadership and so much more. Just wait until you see what God will raise up for Break Forth Canada 2005
– January 28 – 30, 2005!

**Break Forth Night of Praise
Friday, March 12th, 7:00pm**

**Held at Sherwood Park Alliance Church,
Sherwood Park, AB**

Start spring right with a free night of worship!

Join with hundreds of fellow worshippers for a wonderful evening of engaging worship and faith-building stories. Join with the worship leadership of Marty Nystrom and band. Marty is the writer of such contemporary worship classics as 'As The Deer.'



This free evening is open to the public of all ages.

Help us celebrate God's faithfulness. You will hear stories of faith, see video clips and enthusiastically worship our God!

If you attended Break Forth Canada, why don't you grab your group and make a night of it? If you weren't able to be at the conference this year, come catch the Break Forth wave.

A free will offering will be received to support the ongoing work of New Creation Ministries.

Join us on Friday, March 12th at 7:00 PM at Sherwood Park Alliance Church. Come celebrate!

**Plan Now!
Break Forth Canada 2005!
January 28 - 30 - Edmonton**

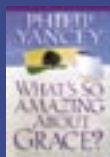
Mark your calendar now for Break Forth Canada 2005. You can look forward to a broad range of presenters, including Philip Yancey (author of *What's So Amazing About Grace*), Joyce Meyer (multi-million selling author), compelling husband and wife speakers Stuart and Jill Briscoe, as well as many other world-class leaders and teachers.*

The lineup is always changing for Break Forth Canada in order to make each event a new experience.

Equip your church and be renewed personally through outstanding classes on a wide variety of ministry, creative arts and personal renewal topics.

**Begin to rally your church now!
This is the must-attend event of 2005!**

* Presenters subject to change



**More From Break Forth
Canada 2004**



God's faithfulness was so apparent at Break Forth Canada 2004. We heard wonderful things from so many people.

Here is just a sampling of the written comments:

"I did not know how dry and thirsty I was until God showed up at Break Forth and met me."

"It's such an awesome experience worshipping with thousands of believers from so many different places, backgrounds and denominations."

"The presence of the Holy Spirit around me was absolutely incredible. I felt at all times so unworthy of the blessings God was giving to me."

"Break Forth is a time of encouragement and refreshing for whatever area of ministry you're involved in."

"God has started an outpouring that will not be stopped! It will be awesome to see in eternity what comes of this weekend."

"25% of our congregation has attended Break Forth two years running and it has produced unity, passion, and deeper understanding on our various ministry teams"

"It is a learning and worshipping experience like no other."

"It has helped to bring hope and healing to my hurting heart."

"I believe the Lord did a divine work in my heart."

"Inspirational, regenerating and too short!! Thank you!"

"Moved often beyond words . . . I cried a river."

"My entire family will attend next year. This year our three teenagers attended the final worship service. What a blessing."



Bob Fitts led multi-generational



Noted author, John Ortberg speaks on the Kingdom of God



The O.C. Supertones had throngs of young people celebrating



Erwin McManus spoke powerfully on taking steps of faith



Robin Mark receives a gold record for 'Revival in Belfast'

Over one thousand trained at Regional Break Forth Workshops in 2003!



Hands-on training was offered to over 1,000 registrants at our Regional Break Forth worship workshops in 2003.

These events begin on Friday with a meeting with the leadership, continue Saturday with an all-day workshop, extend to Sunday morning with Arlen Salte leading the morning worship services with the host church praise team and culminate in a community-wide worship concert.

Through the prayerful support of God's people, we are able to bring these workshops to churches large and small. Read just a few quotes on how God is using these events:

~ *Our first "Life Praise" Worship Service was held June 4th, just one month and one day after your seminar! Miracles do happen. The service was wonderfully received! It lasted just under an hour but we had people socializing for over an hour afterwards and we finally had to round up the kids after 9 pm and tell them to stop singing worship songs - it was a school night! There were lots of smiles, tears and hugs.*

~ *Just another great big THANK YOU for all you did for us last weekend! The amazing amount I learned was just a beginning. I feel like I grew immensely this weekend, in faith and understanding and in worship leading. I am certainly bearing God's challenge to take my fledgling little group to new heights*

~ *We have been so patient (well, most of the time!) waiting for our music to move to a new level. It's been a time where God has shown me personally how to just wait, pray and let Him move the obstacles that have been in the way. God's way is always the best way, and I saw such a huge movement toward deep and true worship at our church last weekend. When I looked out from the stage while we were singing "You Are My All In All" during the concert Sunday night, I was overwhelmed with emotion---I couldn't believe that was my congregation out there worshipping Jesus!!! It was beautiful. Why do we ever doubt Him?*

~ *The blessings of your ministry were never more evident than today when we again filled the sanctuary for our contemporary service. We had at least 20 new seekers there today! I spoke with most of them and they came because of having talked to somebody who either attended your seminar, or they were at your Sunday night worship concert, or they saw our worship service on cable TV on Friday night. Needless to say that really pumped Pastor up.*

Break Forth Live Released!

It is with great joy that we announce the release of the live Break Forth blended worship experience from 2003. This is available in three formats:

- ~ A CD which includes just the worship music of the service.
- ~ A VHS video which includes the entire worship service, complete with the full message by Dr. Robert Webber and drama by Dr. Randy Ritz.
- ~ A DVD which includes everything from the worship service as well as special features of interviews with Dr. Webber, Chris Tomlin and more.



Order your copy of this unique worship and teaching resource today!

Arlen and Brennan Salte to Belize

On February 4 – 15, Arlen and his 17-year-old son Brennan were blessed with an opportunity to minister in the Central American country of Belize. This team consisted of 25 students and adult sponsors called the 'Freedom Team'. While in Belize, the Freedom Team held evangelistic concerts in many schools, youth rallies and worship services.

These concerts featured live rock music, dance, drama set to music, testimonies and spoken presentations of the Gospel.

The team also distributed thousands of shoeboxes to many needy children in partnership with Samaritan's Purse.

The 'Freedom Team' is a ministry of the Leadership Class of Strathcona Christian Academy. For more information on this excellent ministry, visit www.scalead.com.



248 Children Sponsored!



At Break Forth Canada 2004, a record 248 children were sponsored through Compassion Canada. These children will be fed, clothed, educated and most of all, their faith will be nurtured through local Christian churches.

Karen Taylor from Compassion Canada wrote to say, "I want you to know that we are all still celebrating and Praising God for the incredible BLESSING of having so many children sponsored at BF'04. It truly is miraculous. Not only did God minister to thousands of people across Canada during this conference (I've heard such great comments from friends who attended) but so many precious lives were impacted in the 3rd World as well because of this weekend. Thank you for what you do ... and for doing it so well!!"

Break Forth Songbook Update 5 Released!

We heard the cry from churches. "Why do I have to buy a new songbook every year with 2/3 of the same songs that the last songbook had? Why are they in such high keys? Our church can barely sing the songs! Why are so many songs placed in difficult keys for guitarists?"

We desire to provide the best resources for the local church worship ministry. Our Break Forth Songbook does just that!

Here's how it works . . .

You purchase a core songbook in a three ring binder. After that, instead of purchasing a new songbook every year, you simply purchase an update with new songs, slip them in your binder and you're good to go.



Every song selected is in vocal friendly and guitar friendly keys. Included in the core songbook are chord charts, thematic sets, scripture references and more.

We now have Update #5 ready to go. The purchase price is just \$12 Canadian.

If you have the core songbook and the other four updates, order Update #5 today to stay current. If you haven't started your collection, why don't you begin today?

Break Forth Hymns Update Released!

The Break Forth Hymns CD is so hot we've already had to re-order. These are contemporary versions of rich hymns of the church such as Amazing Grace; Beautiful Savior; A Mighty Fortress; Holy, Holy, Holy; How Great Thou Art and more.

The accompanying Break Forth Hymns Supplement is now available. This is similar to the Break Forth Songbook Updates for your church praise team. This includes piano and guitar charts, all the string arrangements, choral arrangements and more as recorded on the CD. Order your copy today. Just \$12 Canadian.



Memorial Gifts Given:

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Conference Recordings Available:

Many of the main speakers and teachers were recorded on tape and CD at Break Forth Canada 2004. Now you can be ministered to as you drive and at home. You may also want to share these messages with friends. Tapes are just \$7 and CDs are \$12. Discounts are available for sets. You may purchase these by contacting Kennedy Recordings in one of five ways:

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Who Is New Creation Ministries?



New Creation Ministries is an evangelical Christian ministry, founded in 1977 by Arlen Salte to share the Gospel in new ways.

God has blessed NCM with impact and growth.

Our supporters have helped us carry out over 10,000 outreaches in North America and overseas. This was done through concerts, rallies, conferences and workshops.

This spring, we will minister through workshops, conferences, teaching and evangelical concerts in Canada, the USA and Europe.

This all happens through the power of God and the prayerful gifts of His people.

Your support through prayer, volunteering and finances makes a difference.

Please contact us to see how you can join us to touch hearts throughout the world. Please visit our web site to learn more. You can reach us at: www.new-creation.net

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