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8-1-94

NEWSWATCH:

1. The issue of property rights is fast becoming a national controversy.
2. Israel swears to punish those who have launched recent attacks on Jews in Latin America and the Middle East.
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3. Americans and Russians to perform their first joint military mission.
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4. Former Olympic gymnast dies from eating disorders.
5. Senate passes Nancy Kassebaum's school prayer amendment which prohibits federal funding of any school district that denies a court order and prevents constitutional prayer.
6. India passes law prohibiting doctors from informing parents of the sex of their child prior to birth.
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FEATURES:

1. A look at the Hunger Strike Force's visit to Cleveland.
2. A son is crushed by a tractor, but is saved by his faith.
3. GUEST: Bill Sanders, author of Standing Up: Making Peer Pressure Work for You.

700 CLUB
8-2-94

NEWSWATCH:

1. The United States has taken an important step toward an invasion of Haiti.
2. More death and disease may be on the way for Rwandan refugees.
3. What can be done about the crippling costs of calamity?
4. GUEST: Financial Author James L. Paris.

FEATURES:

1. Robertson and Paris answer financial questions.
2. A man feels the sting of loneliness until he comes to Christ.
3. A couple joins the "700 Club" and reaps the benefits.
4. GUEST: Ted Yamori of Food for the Hungry International.

700 CLUB
8-3-94

NEWSWATCH:

1. Whitewater hearings move into important phase.
2. Disease is spreading through Rwandan refugee camps.
3. GUEST: Paul Williams, Operation Blessing's Medical Director.
4. How should children be treated by the legal system when their crimes are anything but childish?

Robertson:

"The wind we've sown is secular liberalism. That's what it is. It's secular, liberal, so-called liberal thought, and it has destroyed our schools, destroying our families and it's destroying our society, and all we do then on the other end of it we say look at all this happening, but we can't change this, we can't tell them it's wrong to have sex before marriage. That would break their First Amendment rights. We can't teach them about God in the schools. That's against the First Amendment. We can't teach them the Ten Commandments because that's a no-no as well. So what can we do? Well, we can put them in jails and we can build more prisons and then they get out and all they are is hardened criminals."

"There's got to be a change. There's got to be a radical change. And these crazies who have been running the system for so many years have got to be replaced with people who go back to Judeo-Christian Biblical principles."

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5. The Senate votes to cut federal funding to schools that promote homosexuality.
6. A Christian couple is accosted after attending a revival meeting.

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FEATURES:

1. Singer Phillip Bailey's career and faith have endured.
2. GUEST: Father Charles Fulton of Episcopal Renewal Ministries.

700 CLUB
8-4-94

Robertson and Terry Meeuwson report from Chicago, where Operation Blessing's Hunger Strike Force has arrived.

NEWSWATCH:

1. Robert Altman is under fire in the Whitewater hearings.

Robertson:

"This whole thing is a whitewash. The general counsel, the special prosecutor, so-called, is allied with various figures

like Nussbaum. I understand he worked on a Congressional committee with Hillary Clinton. He is deeply tied in, he represented figures in B.C.C.I and so forth. He is just, in my opinion, not an impartial arbiter, and he has narrowed the scope of this investigation so severely that the only thing you could get out is whether some official now tells something that isn't true, and they send him off. It's terrible."

2. The Clinton administration is now embracing the Democratic health care plans in the House and the Senate.
3. United Nations workers are running into obstacles in their efforts to aid Rwandan refugees.
4. The Middle East faces a potentially tragic water shortage.
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5. Primary results are in.
6. The rate of economic growth is slowing down.
7. A Chinese church has asked believers worldwide to join them in prayer.

FEATURES:

1. A report on Operation Blessing's relief efforts in Chicago, which includes an interview with Mr. T.

700 CLUB
8-5-94

NEWSWATCH:

1. Clinton concentrates on health care in his prime time press conference.
2. The Whitewater hearings reveal discrepancies in the stories of Treasury Department officials.
3. The cholera epidemic in Rwanda has been somewhat contained, but other diseases are going strong.
4. The crime bill is facing challenges from both sides of the political spectrum.
5. What would happen if a comet hit the United States?
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6. Five people have been killed in Nigeria.
7. There has been a record amount of lightning this year.
8. Former Congresswoman Barbara Jordan has proposed a national registry card.
9. Mastercard will issue smart cards and in New York, computer chips will be placed in animals.
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NEWSWATCH:

1. GUEST: Michael W. Smith sings one of his songs, and then chats with Robertson.
2. The "True Love Waits" campaign is teaching teens to wait until

marriage to have sex.

700 CLUB
8-8-94

NEWSWATCH:

1. Whitewater hearings.
2. The White House releases commercials pushing health care reform.
3. A bipartisan bill aimed at cutting government spending will be brought to the House floor.
4. Operation Blessing has already saved thousands of lives in Rwanda.
5. Senator Kennedy has offered a bill that would protect homosexuals from discrimination in the workplace.
6. Vaccinations are causing many injuries and even death nationwide.

FEATURES:

1. Summer Kids' Club.

700 CLUB
8-9-94

NEWSWATCH:

1. The border between Israel and Jordan is opened.
2. The White House says Ken Starr should refuse to head the investigation into the Whitewater affair.
3. Rwandan refugees are dying from malnutrition.
4. Scenes from Operation Blessing's first rescue mission to Rwanda.
5. Interview with financial analyst Gary Shilling.

FEATURES:

1. GUEST: Former Star Trek star Grace Lee Whitney.
2. A man tries to be different by being wild.

700 CLUB
08-10-94

NEWSWATCH:

1. Republicans and at least one Democrat will try to block Senator Mitchell's health care plan.

Robertson:

"This is frankly seen as the key to the presidency...His whole future is at stake. That's why he's working so hard. It's not

that they care so much for the American people as that they care so much for their continuity in office."

2. Congresswoman Nancy Pelosi (R-CA) has offered a bill that would put sanctions on products made by prison labor in China and in the Chinese army's factories.
3. A deadly fever is sweeping through the Rwandan refugee camps.
4. A new book reveals Ronald Reagan's secret plan for ending the Cold War.
5. Interview with Peter Schweitzer, author of Victory, the book about Reagan's plan.
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6. The Vatican is courting Iran and other Islamic countries to join it in opposing an international conference that might endorse homosexuality and abortion.
7. The country's fiscal future.

FEATURES:

1. The Hunger Strike Force hits Appalachia.
2. Interview with Cecil Roberts of the United Mine Workers.
3. Robertson answers audience questions.
4. A couple gets involved with the "700 Club" because of its spirit of giving.

700 CLUB
08-11-94

NEWSWATCH:

1. The schedule for debate over the health care plan is unclear.
2. A voting bloc in the House is holding the crime bill hostage.
3. Cuban refugees may flood the United States.
4. A crime wave threatens the stability of Russia.
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5. Republican Governor Arne Carlson (R-MN) compares his challenger to Hitler, and claims he probably won't put non-Christians in his cabinet.
6. Democratic National Chairman David Wilhelm will resign.
7. According to the Census Bureau, fewer households are in the form of families.
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8. A 2-Live Crew concert turns into a virtual orgy.

FEATURES:

1. One of Charles Manson's followers discusses his experience on the 25th anniversary of the famous murders.
2. A woman leads the fast life, until she discovers its emptiness.

3. Dr. Paul Williams reports from Rwanda.
4. GUEST: Pastor James Meeks talks about getting involved in the Church.

700 CLUB
08-12-94

NEWSWATCH:

1. Debate over health care is getting hot and heavy.
2. A battle is raging in the House over the crime bill.
3. DNC Chairman David Wilhelm's defection is the latest of President Clinton's woes.

Robertson:

"David Wilhelm came to the Christian Coalition Road to Victory [conference] as an invited guest and proceeded to attack his hosts. It was just totally beyond the pale of civility in this kind of society. He just blasted the Christians and the Coalition. He just in my opinion is not a very nice person."

4. Unfunded federal mandates are creating a problem for communities across the country.
5. Major League Baseball players will strike.
[newsdesk]
6. Inflation is a possibility.

FEATURES:

1. The Hunger Strike Force has arrived in Maryland.
2. Operation Blessing helped a boy who grew up on the toughest street in Washington D.C.

700 CLUB
08-15-94

NEWSWATCH:

1. Clinton fights to save crime bill.
2. Health care bill is also in jeopardy.
3. The Anti-Defamation League issues an apology for falsely saying in its report on the Religious Right that Pat Robertson never denounced David Duke.
4. Democrats hold a meeting to discuss how to deal with the Religious Right.
5. In Idaho, Incumbent Larry LaRocco (D) is trying to portray Republican challenger Helen Chenoweth, a conservative Christian, as an extremist.

Ben Kinchlow:

"One of the things that happens in a campaign like this, Terry,

is it's not just an attack on people who have religious values, it turns out to be an attack on anyone who has any kind of moral values at all....If you have any kind of moral values, then what they will do is isolate you, and put you off in the extremist category, so that only those people who toe the politically correct line become the people who are mainstream America, and anybody else is to the far right."

6. The economy.

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7. Minnesota governor Arne Carlson apologizes for comparing challenger Alan Quist to Hitler.

8. The South Carolina's governor race is another forum for a showdown between Christian conservatives and moderates.

9. News out of AIDS conference is not good.

FEATURES:

1. Summer Kids' Club.

**700 CLUB
08-16-94**

NEWSWATCH:

1. Clinton pushes crime bill.

2. Thousands of gun owners hold rally.

3. Famous terrorist is arrested.

4. Woodstock II is as indulgent as the original.

5. Residents of Idaho will get to cast a vote on whether homosexuals should receive special rights in a measure known as Proposition 1.

Bill Proctor of Oregon Citizens Alliance:

"There a real strong belief here that the homosexual lifestyle is not acceptable to cowboys and ranchers and farmers and miners and loggers and we've got a tremendous population of those kind of folks here."

Proctor:

"We are not trying to make this a divisive issue. All we're trying to do is to protect Idaho and Idaho's children from the homosexual agenda, and their request for minority status and special rights."

6. Rain in Rwanda is making matters worse.

7. GUEST: Financial writer Joy Humber.

FEATURES:

1. GUEST: Christian singer Andre performs several songs and chats with Kinclow.

700 CLUB
08-17-94

NEWSWATCH:

1. Tropical storm hits the Southeast.
2. Plutonium smugglers are caught.
3. Clinton working to pass the crime bill.
4. Military downsizing may threaten the nation's security.
5. Health care plan running into major trouble.
6. More Rwandan refugees strain relief efforts.
7. Could the United States be hit by a comet.
8. Israel and PLO continue negotiations.
9. Citizens in the Philippines protest a United Nations birth control plan.
10. Smoking students are more likely to commit suicide.

FEATURES:

1. Are we gaining ground against racism?
2. GUEST: Alfonso Bernard, Former Black Muslim.

700 CLUB
08-18-94

NEWSWATCH:

1. Can Clinton save the crime bill?
 2. The battle over health care intensifying.
 3. Twister hits Kentucky.
 4. Will a few violent pro-life radicals ruin the image of the entire movement?
 5. A judge's decision opens up all public places to the proclamation of the Gospel.
- GUEST: ACLJ chief counsel Jay Sekulow discusses this case and others.

FEATURES:

1. A woman lives a life of fear in her own home.
2. GUEST: Pastor Robert Record.

700 CLUB
08-19-94

NEWSWATCH:

1. The debate over health care may be taking a new turn.
2. Robertson interviews Senator Bob Dole about health care.
3. Clinton gets a few more Congressmen to support the crime bill.
4. At least one more resignation from Whitewater is expected.

Robertson:

"Roger Altman is being put up as a sacrificial lamb to draw attention away from the President and the First Lady...To let him to take the fall for what the Clintons did before they got to Washington is just nonsense."

[newsdesk]

5. What impact will earthquakes have on the economy?

6. The United Nations is trying to spread birth control across the world.

7. A Chinese Christian is arrested.

8. A Federal Court has revived a lawsuit by a high school teacher who says he was forced to teach evolution as a fact and violated his religious beliefs. The ACLJ has joined his defense.

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GUEST; Jay Sekulow discusses this case, which he says is historic because the decision reads, "The state may not establish a religion of secularism in the sense of affirmatively opposing or showing hostility to religion, thus preferring those who believe in no religion over those who do believe."

Sekulow:

"The most exciting thing is, and I underscore this, you cannot have the religion of secularism in the schools, and we can now take this opinion, we will march it, I will promise you, all over the United States and not let any school district teach evolution as fact."

Robertson:

"But this is going to just completely overturn thousands of precedents and policies in schools. This is a major, major case."

Sekulow:

"The National Education Association I'm sure is rolling over, screaming bloody murder over this case because their whole agenda has been basically moved out by the 9th Circuit Court of Appeals."

Robertson:

"The import of this goes far beyond the one case. It will impact the teaching of evolution, the teaching of secularism, the secular humanism, the atheism, etcetera that has been dominant in our public school education for the past couple of decades."

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08-22-94

This show was a hour-long version of Summer Kid's Club.

700 CLUB
08-23-94

NEWSWATCH:

1. The crime bill passes with the help of moderate Republicans.
2. Cuban refugees are fleeing.
3. The Sudan has been embroiled in civil war for 12 years, and Christians have been primary victims.
4. Corporate downsizing is causing thousands to lose jobs.
5. Many unemployed are turning to churches for help.
6. In Wisconsin, people are being freed from dependence on welfare.
7. Mexican elections results are in.
8. Blacks and whites gather in Wedowee, Alabama to pray for an end to racial strife.

FEATURES:

1. This section of the show was a repeat.

700 CLUB
08-24-94

NEWSWATCH:

1. The flood of Cuban refugees is growing.
2. Senate Republicans will try to block crime bill.
3. DNA testing implicates O.J. Simpson.
4. Ben Chavis files lawsuit against NAACP.
5. Zaire is no longer allowing all Rwandan refugees in.
6. Oregonians may get to vote doctor assisted suicide into law.
7. Emergency rooms might not be all they're cracked up to be.
8. Famine in Africa is threatening to kill 23 million people.

FEATURES:

1. This section of the show was a repeat.

700 CLUB
08-25-94

NEWSWATCH:

1. [beginning of story is cut off] Teacher in Georgia is suspended for failing to comply with Georgia's moment of silence law.
2. The liberal rights group People for the American Way is labeling concerned parents who try to have a voice in their children's education as censors. Focus on the Family has been

investigating the so-called censorship incidents contained in People for the American Way's "Attacks on the Freedom to Learn" report. Most of the complaints are not religious-based, but involve a parent's or student's concern about the violent or sexual nature of educational materials.

Tom Minnery, Focus on the Family:

"We've called the office quite a number of times asking to talk to them about this and some other issues that we wanted to ask them about and didn't get the calls returned and sent them a certified letter and that was not answered and finally they asked us to stop harassing them so we stopped calling."

3. "Deadbeat dads" are a major societal problem.
4. But some fathers are struggling just to see their children.
5. Some military doctors are opposing Clinton's order for military hospital to perform abortions.
6. A national coalition of Christians and Muslims is calling for the United Nations to abandon its support for the international conference on birth control.

FEATURES:

1. This section of the show was a repeat.

**700 CLUB
08-26-94**

NEWSWATCH:

1. Cuban refugee crisis continues.
2. Senate Democrats try to rescue President Clinton's crime bill.
3. U.N. officials will try to meet with Haitian military leaders.
4. A newly formed group is pushing Congress to pass a law against desecrating the American flag.
5. Birth control will be a major topic of discussion at the International Conference on Population Control in Cairo.
6. Many Americans are carrying guns to protect themselves.
7. Teacher in Georgia who was suspended for failing to follow the state's moment of silence law will file lawsuit.
8. Operation Blessing's Hunger Strike Force is going strong.

FEATURES:

1. This section of the show was a repeat.

**700 CLUB
08-29-94**

NEWSWATCH:

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1. The flood of Cuban refugees may rise again.
2. Tornado kills four in Wisconsin.
3. Israel's cabinet has approved plan for Palestinian autonomy.
4. Health care reform is all but dead.

[enddesk]

1. The rest of today's show was a repeat of features on athletes.

700 CLUB
08-30-94

Today's show was a special about Martyrdom for Christ.