

**March 25, 1977**  
**March 26, 2016, March 26, 2018**

Yesterday and today are very significant days in the history of World Christian Broadcasting. Events that happened on these days bring some tears, some shouts of joy and many prayers to our Heavenly Father. You and I stand today on the shoulders of many coworkers and friends who allowed God to work through them and motivate them to bring us to the opportunities before us right now.

**March 25, 1977**

On this day, three of our founders died in a plane that crashed on the Island of Martinique while looking for our first antenna site for World Christian Broadcasting. **Lowell Perry**, an ACU professor and in whose living room World Christian Broadcasting came together, **Kenneth Ferguson**, the pilot that day, and **Hal Frazier**, from World Radio were the three who were aboard the plane when it crashed. Remember their families today and spend some time thanking God for the courage of these and a few other founders who dreamed of the day the entire world would be covered with the gospel. Today we honor their memory and thank God for what they mean to this ministry.

**March 26, 2016**

**“We are broadcasting”** were the words from Nancy Chambers heard by over 100 staff, family and friends over Skype as they gathered here in our offices on Saturday evening, March 26, Easter Sunday morning in Madagascar. This was the result of the hand of our God working through Charles Caudill, Kevin and Nancy Chambers, the Madagascar team, the staff in Alaska, the Franklin team, many donors, volunteers and supporters who prayed and worked this radio station into existence. With Madagascar’s antennas blanketing south and west Russia, south and west China, India, the Middle East and the countries of Cuba and Latin America, the entire world is now covered by the 35 daily hours of programming from Alaska and Madagascar. We are humbled by the years of building, honored to be alive and a part of this staff at this time in its history and thankful to the God of heaven who brought it together.

**March 26, 2018**

In the International Home of World Christian Broadcasting today are F. H. Gates, Rex Morgan and Romulo Dante as we begin getting ready to begin Portuguese programming in a few months. Romulo is from Brazil and will be our Senior Producer for Portuguese broadcasts. Over the next three days, these along with our dedicated production staff will be working to introduce Romulo to our equipment, system, our ministry and making some plans for this new language service into Brazil, Portugal and a few countries in Africa where Portuguese is the official language. **250 million more people** will now have the gospel in their language.

**God has brought all of us together at this point in our lives, at this time in the history of World Christian Broadcasting for “just such a time as this”. Looking back, it is so very easy to see the mighty hand of God at work. Spend some time today reflecting and thanking God for where we are and where we are about to go with the gospel.**

**Andy Baker**