

Solid Rock

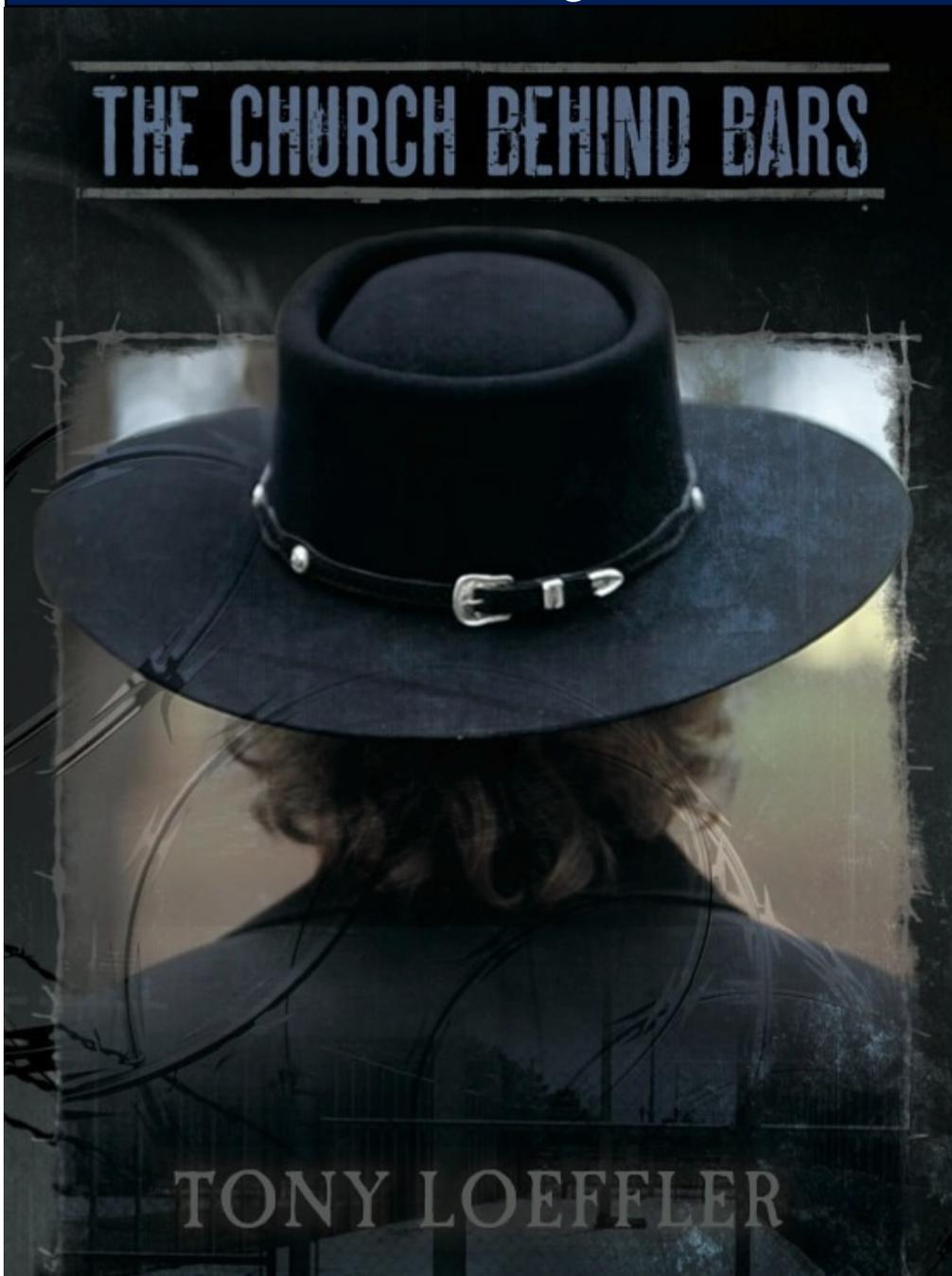
Our Mission Statement

To share the Gospel of Jesus Christ throughout the world to all who are willing to listen.

A ministry update

The Church Behind Bars

Unveiling



The Unveiling

It is time to lift off the veil of The Church Behind Bars so that the world can look inside and see some of the characteristics that are unique to this part of the Body of Jesus Christ.

The church behind bars actually began to surface in the early 1990's when budget cuts began affecting the chaplaincy programs throughout the United States.

The last chaplain standing was forced to ask for some help in the chapel and this gave rise to chapel orderlies or chapel clerks. It was then that the church behind bars began to grow.

For years the outside church has gone behind the walls to do the work of the Great Commission. The book of Hebrews chapter 13 and verse 3, encourages Christians to visit those in prisons.

Now more than ever, is time to encourage and challenge the church behind bars to fulfill the Great Commission in their mission field. There is no one better equipped to reach an inmate than another inmate who knows the power of the Gospel. **The church behind bars is alive, growing and diverse.** It is time for them to be introduced to the world!

A New Prison Model

In this DVD, you can witness the power of collaboration cradled in an innovative multi-day prison ministry format that encourages, inspires and empowers the church behind bars to fulfill their calling. This multi-day format helps create a therapeutic community for the inmate population that has a restorative ripple effect on the prison, inmate families and society.

There is a revival going on in the prison system and thousands are coming to Christ and getting baptized. It has taken over forty years to get this video before the public. Now it is here! Chaplains throughout the nation are coming to realize the importance of this new approach to prison ministry, and volunteers are excited as well to work beside the church behind bars. Together, we are helping them to understand their identity so that they can reach their brothers and sisters with the power of the Gospel.

The Solid Rock Ministry, "Shooting Stars" prison tour presents musical programs much like a music festival. These multi-day programs bring music, teaching, praise/worship, prayer/healing concerts and confinement visitation, all in an attempt to remind inmates that the Lord loves them in spite of their failures and that they have a destiny and calling in the Lord.

Sponsors and Donors

In the music, arts and crafts world, sponsors are known to help and endorse events. Similarly, sponsors and donors are needed for the Solid Rock "Shooting Stars" prison tour to encourage the church behind bars. There are currently over 2.3 million inmates behind the bars and if you include their family and friends, there is a huge marketplace for our sponsors. Tour sponsors can yield some benefit from sponsoring these tours and at the same time help society. It is important that incarcerated men and women find hope in a hopeless environment. It will only improve the quality of life for all of us.

What People Are Saying

Wow! This was great. I had no problem viewing it. The video is very well done. It has a positive message imbedded in it. This should work toward assisting prison ministries everywhere. Thanks. Rev. Alex Taylor, Chaplaincy Services Administrator, State of Florida

I've known Tony for about 30 years and he is the real deal. His dedication to reaching men and women behind bars touches everyone he talks to about it. I hope thousands of people watch this video and then send in a gift to Solid Rock to help them continue to reach the unreachable. Bishop Frank Dupree, Living Water Church, NJ

*I think the video is awesome. Thanks
Chuck Sexton, Assistant Warden, State of Florida*

I have seen Tony and his band work selflessly to reach many for Christ in prisons worldwide. We traveled together to Rio De Janeiro and visited men and women in prison there. It is men like Tony Loeffler who are making a difference. This is why I support this ministry. I greatly encourage you to pray and support Solid Rock Ministry, "Shooting Stars" tour. Jeff Siegel, President of Global Youth Baseball Federation, Inc and New York Regional Director for Chosen People Ministries.

Over the past 40 years I've probably been in more prisons and correctional institutions in more countries than anyone on the planet and have seen all kinds of different ministries at work. There is a lot of good ministry being done around the world but the need is so great all of us together are only scratching the surface both in breadth and depth. What Solid Rock brings to the table of prison ministry is depth and that takes time, concerted time. If there is any single thing we need more of in prison ministry, it is depth and these guys go deep. That is much more impactful than just an hour here and there. Thanks for helping to change the face of prison ministry in this country by caring and respecting inmates enough to stay the course with them. Ron Nikkel, President Emeritus, Prison Fellowship International

"The Church Behind Bars," a documentary film released by the Solid Rock Ministry, is a powerful confirmation of the work of God in one of the most challenging environments on earth: the prison system. Intelligently conceived, compassionately filmed, and effectively edited, the film reveals the heart of Rev. Tony Loeffler's ministry with committed volunteers reaching the hearts of incarcerated men and women through the power of the Holy Spirit. Places of punishment, custody and confinement are shown to be routes to repentance, restoration, and renewal through music and prayer, and preaching and teaching the word of God. Highly recommended! El McMeen, Co-Author Objection! Overruled (Or, Two lawyers Have a Little "Chat" about God and Hell.)

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