



A Cry for Justice A Cry for **LIFE**



Ministry Packet **Biography**

Jonathan Baldwin is a part of making 24/7 worship and prayer a reality at the International House of Prayer in Kansas City, Missouri (IHOPKC) as an intercessory missionary. For the past nine years, he has served on the Nightwatch leading, singing and praying from midnight until six a.m. six days a week. He has regularly sang, led prayer, or led worship in the prayer room streaming live on the web cast at www.ihopkc.org and on the global satellite television network GOD TV.

Jonathan responded to an invitation from TheCall co-founder Lou Engle to serve as an intercessory worship leader and go to Colorado Springs, Colorado for 24/7 worship and prayer. The events that followed increased Jonathan's desire to pray passionately for justice and life for the unborn. These 50 days led Jonathan and Lou Engle's young team of intercessory missionaries on a spiritual sojourn across the country, during the final weeks of the 2004 presidential election year. By the time the group left Colorado Springs it had grown to 70. Their journey culminated with a "Silent Prayer Siege" in Washington DC. The group prayed for 31 days in front of the United States Supreme Court with red tape over their mouths with the word LIFE written on it.

Jonathan also helped in the beginning days of the Justice House of Prayer (JHOP) in Washington DC where prayer continues on Capitol Hill today. During the 21 days before the elections of 2004, he led the Nightwatch from midnight to five am at JHOP.

Jonathan currently leads regular prayer for the government during the Nightwatch at IHOPKC and serves with Bound4LIFE KC, praying in front of abortion clinics for LIFE. He just completed his new CD "Mighty Warrior" with songs about God's desire to bring justice to the earth. God gave him the words for one of the songs "Voiceless" while praying in front of the Supreme Court. Many of the songs Jonathan has written for this effort come from the depths of his worship experiences as he prays,





meditates on and studies the Scriptures. His dream for the project is that the songs would be songs to end abortion.

Jonathan preaches and leads people into the presence of God at churches and houses of prayer all over the world. Jonathan's heartfelt message encompasses intercession, justice and experiencing intimacy with the Lord. He deeply desires to see night and day prayer, with people crying out for Jesus' return, raised up in the cities of the earth.

Ministry Endorsements



Jonathan Baldwin carries the true heart of a worshiper. I've known him and seen him in ministry for twelve years and esteem him as a man of character, humility and faithfulness. He's a "blessed are the pure in heart" kind of man and his worship and communication will bear the image of Jesus.

-Lou Engle, Co-Founder of TheCall prayer gatherings



For the past twelve years, Jonathan Baldwin has diligently served on our ministry staff. Jonathan has an excellent spirit, helping to give leadership in our prayer meetings both as an intercessor and as a worship leader. He carries the message of intimacy with the Lord and God's desire to release justice for the oppressed. I wholeheartedly recommend him.

-Mike Bickle, Director International House of Prayer, Kansas City



Jonathan Baldwin was an integral part of the leadership team of the Nightwatch at the International House of Prayer. He was a pillar in the night as he diligently served for twelve years with consistency and joy. Jonathan has passion to proclaim the beauty of Jesus, the forerunner message and has a vision to see the justice of the Lord fill the earth. His passionate prayers for the ending of abortion and strong worship leading have helped give leadership to our prayer meetings in the night. His worship leading and preaching will reflect the life of prayer he has cultivated.

-Stuart Greaves, Nightwatch Director International House of Prayer, Kansas City



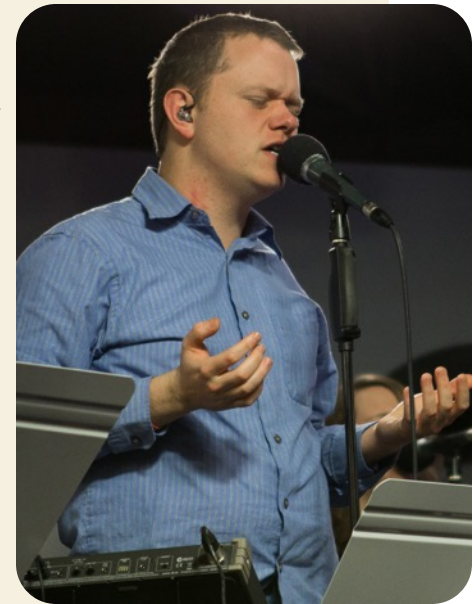
Testimony

Growing up in East Texas, I was blessed to be raised in a Christian home meeting the Lord when I was only two years old. When I was eight years old, my faith was awakened when a teacher encouraged me to study the Bible and write songs about Jesus. I did just that, studying the books of Psalms and Revelation and writing songs from the verses I read. Little did I know how much the Lord was preparing me for the future.

When I was 14, I served over the summer in children's evangelism outreaches in parks, day cares, and backyards sharing the message with children that God loves them, died for them, and has a destiny for their lives. Over the next three summers, God used me to personally lead over a hundred children to Christ. While continuing to minister to children, God showed me the importance of spending time in His Word daily. I started studying the Word of God every day.

God began re-awakening the desire I had as a young child to pursue Him in music. My whole life vision shifted on July 11th, 1999 when I received a prophetic word that God would use my music as a harvest tool for this generation of young people. Since that time, I have actively pursued learning about music and worship. After high school in 2001, I began studying Piano and Voice at Angelina College in my hometown of Lufkin, TX. In 2004, I graduated from there with an Associate in Arts degree in Piano. As I studied, I began to realize that original vision I had as a young child: read the Bible and write songs from what I read.

During the summer of 2002, I felt called to a three-month internship, "Fire in the Night", at the International House of Prayer (IHOPKC) in Kansas City. My life was changed on the first night as I read Song of Songs 4:9 and discovered how much Jesus' heart was moved by my weak glance of love. Compelled by love, I finished my internship knowing that after I finished college, I would move to Kansas City to live the life of a full-time intercessory missionary.



Ministry Highlights

- 1997-2000** Led over a hundred kids to Christ, beginning at age fourteen, while serving in children's evangelism outreaches held in parks, schools, day cares and neighborhood backyards
- 2000** Mission trip to Panama at age sixteen ministering to an unreached people group, the Kunas, a remote jungle tribe marked his heart for world missions
- 2001** Jonathan's Panama Missions testimony published in Teen Mania president, Ron Luce's book, *When Teens Pray*, about praying for a miracle healing he saw



- 2002** Began praying at the International House of Prayer in Kansas City (IHOPKC) on the Nightwatch from midnight - six am as part of the internship called “Fire in the Night”
- 2004** Graduated from Angelina College in Lufkin, TX with an Associate of Arts degree in Piano & Voice
- 2004-present** Began serving as a full-time intercessory missionary at IHOPKC praying from midnight to six a.m. on the Nightwatch
- 2004** Jonathan prayed for 31 days with an intercessory group led by Lou Engle for the ending of abortion in front of the U.S. Supreme Court. This historical journey, marked by silent prayer with red tape, inscribed with the word LIFE on it, over their mouths signaled a new emphasis and paradigm for the Pro-LIFE movement.
- 2004** Helped with the Justice House of Prayer (JHOP) in Washington DC. Led worship and prayed in the newly created Prayer Room that continues to this day
- 2005** Part of the Leadership team for a 22 Day Silent Prayer Siege in front of Planned Parenthood in Kansas City
- 2007** Mission Trip to Port au Prince, Haiti pierces his heart for the poor and oppressed
- 2009** Mission Trip to Cuernavaca, Mexico strengthening the Ven Pronto House of Prayer
- 2009-2011** Studied & Completed a degree in Justice from the International House of Prayer University (IHOPU)
- 2011** Jonathan spent two and a half months in Port-au-Prince, Haiti teaching at a middle school and participated in the largest daily morning prayer gathering in North America (1,000-2,000 people)



Scheduling Information

If you would like to invite Jonathan to speak and/or lead worship please contact him below:

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