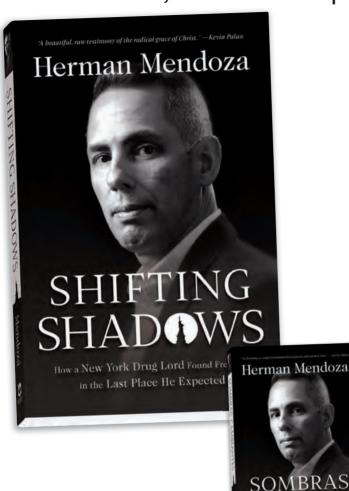


The True Story of a High-Rolling Drug Lord, Prison, and Unexpected Redemption



- Author speaks frequently across the US and Latin America
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- Foreword by Wess Stafford, president emeritus of Compassion International

erman Mendoza built his kingdom in Queens, New York. He made a fortune selling cocaine with his brothers up and down the Eastern Seaboard. He had apartments around the city for his mistresses and a home in the Poconos for his beautiful nuclear family. But when he and his brothers were busted in a large-scale crackdown, his kingdom crumbled. Ready to kill himself rather than live behind bars, Herman instead came face-to-face with the all-consuming love of God. He would never be the same.

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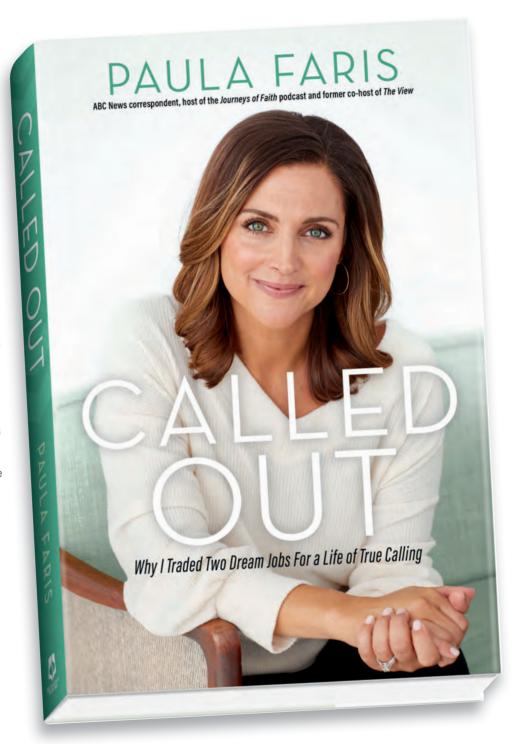
There's no rational way to kill your career. This is my last thought before walking from the shadows of the ABC headquarters' red-brick façade. But after six years, hundreds of interviews, countless hours hosting the weekend edition of Good Morning America (GMA), and taking my seat at The View, it's time. I'm ready to pull the trigger, and if I don't, I know my addiction will get the best of me. . . .

I glance at my notepad one last time, take stock of the bullet points. How forceful can I be? What if I say it all wrong? What if I'm too much? I imagine the headline: "Paula Faris Kills Career over Burger and Fries."

James Goldston (president of ABC News) already knows my struggles, my needs, even my demands. We're a part of the ABC family, and for better or worse, it's the kind of family that doesn't keep secrets well (after all, journalists make names off outing other people's secrets). But he wants to hear it straight from the horse's mouth.

"James, if ABC wants me to stay, I need to walk away from *The View* and the weekend desk at *GMA*. The Wednesday through Sunday schedule is killing me. It's starting to affect my marriage. It's keeping me from my kids, and I don't think God's calling me to sacrifice my family for my career."

He nods but says nothing.



How Television Host Paula Faris Found Her True Identity

- Author's podcast, Journeys of Faith, was ranked #1 in fall 2018 in the category of "Faith/ Spirituality"
- Author is an ABC news correspondent, former host of The View, and former coanchor of Good Morning America (weekend edition)
- Combines deeply personal story of fear and loss of identity with wise insights on discovering your life purpose

o often we fall into the trap of confusing what we do with who we are. We see our vocational calling as the most important thing about us, while our faith calling takes a back seat. And that can wreak havoc on our bodies, our souls, and our relationships.

Called Out is a deeply personal book from Paula Faris, the beloved on-air reporter for ABC News and former coanchor of *Good Morning America Weekend* and *The View*. It shares her journey through conquering the fears that nearly kept her from the high-profile, high-stakes world of broadcast journalism, and then the dangers when that world threatened to consume her. She faced public humiliation, physical breakdowns, and family struggles, while all along the way God gently reminded her of her true purpose in him.

Paula discovered how easy it is to lose sight of who we are as people of God. Today she is the host of ABC's highly successful podcast Journeys of Faith, which leans into both her vocational calling and her faith calling.

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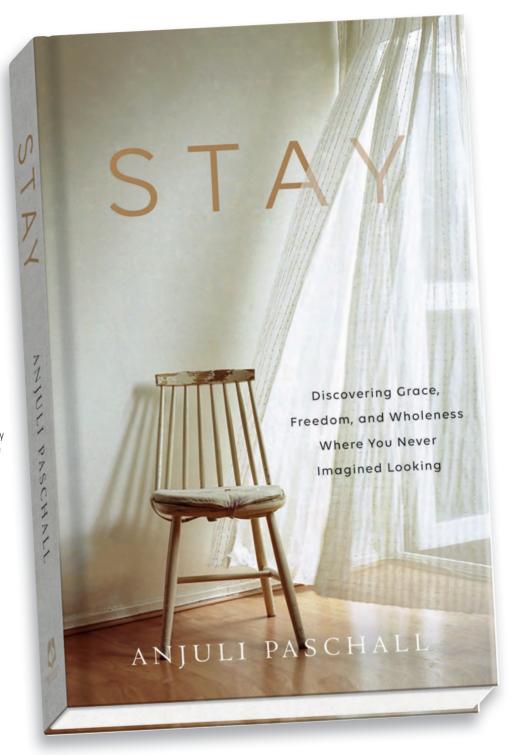
Paula Faris is a television correspondent for ABC News and host of the ABC podcast Journeys of Faith. From July 18, 2014, until July 22, 2018, Faris was coanchor of Good Morning America Weekend She was also cohost of The View for seasons 19-21. Faris graduated from Cedarville University with a degree in journalism. She lives



with her husband and three children in New York, where she attends Hillsong Church NYC.

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Stay is a tender call to enter and experience the echoing darkness buried beneath piles of mail and laundry and years of pain. This is a call to follow the fears and frustration to the unknown, frightening places inside. This is a call to uncover. We must stay. Stay with the pain. Stay with the anger. Stay with the joy. Stay with the apathy. Stay with the funk and unexplainable feelings. We must stay with the fog. We must feel it heavy on our faces, damp and eerie and dense. We must let the truth of our hearts rise to the surface and accept those wobbly places within us. This is the process of finding words for the places in our past that we never grieved, the feelings that were never fully felt, the sadness that never lessened, the loneliness in marriage we never imagined, or the rejection that rebuffs us over and over again. It is remembering who we are. Remembering our story and retelling it until our voices don't shake in vulnerability but resound with unyielding strength. Every scribble of my messy story is how I learned to grow from a young lady to a woman, from single to married, from a wife to a mother. But ultimately, my story is about how I learned to become a little girl again asking a big God if he could stay with someone small like me.



Begin Your Journey out of Shame and Fear to Find Wholeness

- Paschall is a popular contributor on the (in)courage team,
 DaySpring's online community of Christian women,
 with 500,000 subscribers and
 followers
- Author is a rising, bold voice who has tapped into her audience's struggles to live an authentic life in an overly filtered world
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s women, we are exhausted. Our hearts are being wrung out to dry—squeezed and yanked in every direction. We take care of everyone but ourselves. We've gotten lost in bedtime routines and our Costco lists. We have lost our voices in the storm of everyday life. We need to be reminded to reach inward and heed the quiet voice whispering, "Stay."

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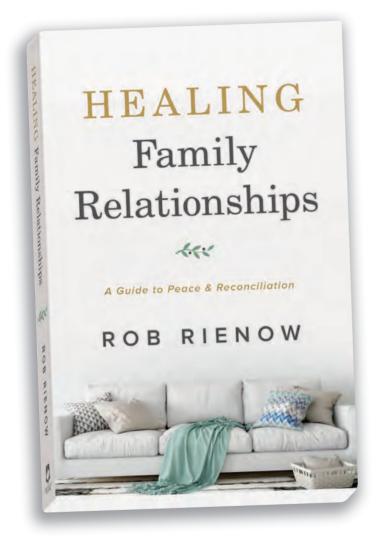
After graduating from Point Loma Nazarene University, she earned a master's degree in



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spiritual formation and soul care from Talbot Seminary. She currently lives in Southern California with her husband, Sam, and five children. Sam is a pastor at Mission Hills Church in San Marcos. They enjoy renovating their fixer-upper and spending weekends at the ocean.

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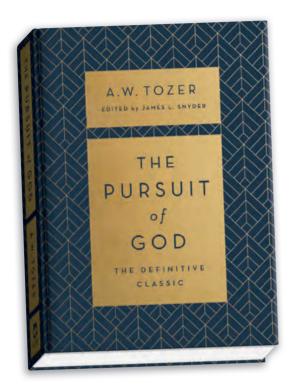
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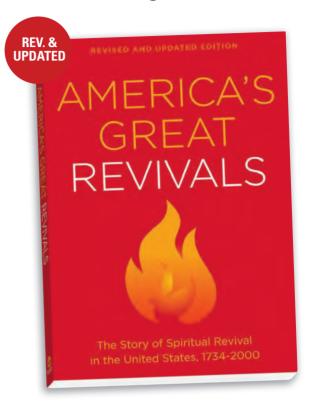
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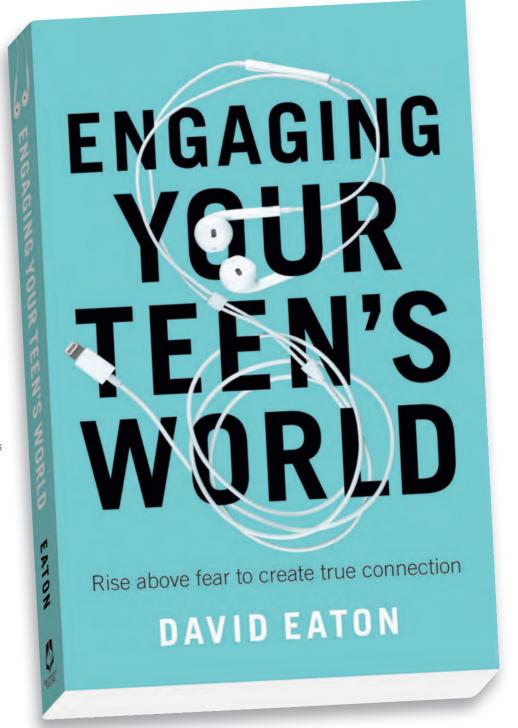
But how can parents have that ongoing communication if they don't understand their teen's world? This book provides the needed culture translator, one that lets parents know what kids today are watching, doing, and thinking, and that teaches them how to stay on top of these things. Being aware of the pulse of culture allows parents to bridge the gap between generations. It brings common ground and opens the way for understanding.

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- Author is featured monthly on the Canadian television show 100 Huntley Street
- Axis staff speak live to 10,000 students and 50,000 parents and youth leaders annually

etflix and chill," "broccoli," and LGBTTQQIAAP+. If you don't know what these words and phrases really mean to your teen, you are not alone. The verbal terrain of today's youth can be difficult to navigate, and sometimes requires a guide—a culture translator to help parents of teens decipher the codes and unlock the doors to an ongoing conversation about faith and life.

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- conversations about sex, gender, porn, sexting, and drugs
- being a missionary to your teen
- and much more

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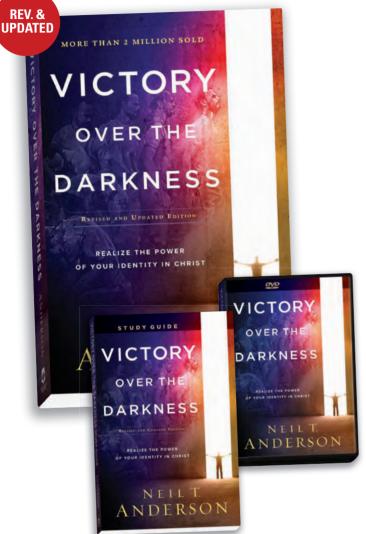
ABOUT THE AUTHOR

David Eaton cofounded Axis because of his passion to see the good news about Jesus transform students, families, culture, and the world. As CEO, David collaborates with the Axis team, sharing the vision with friends of Axis and creating content. David has led partnerships between Axis and



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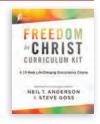
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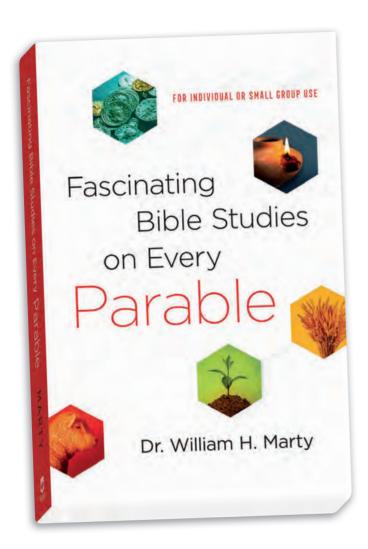
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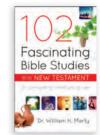


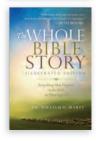
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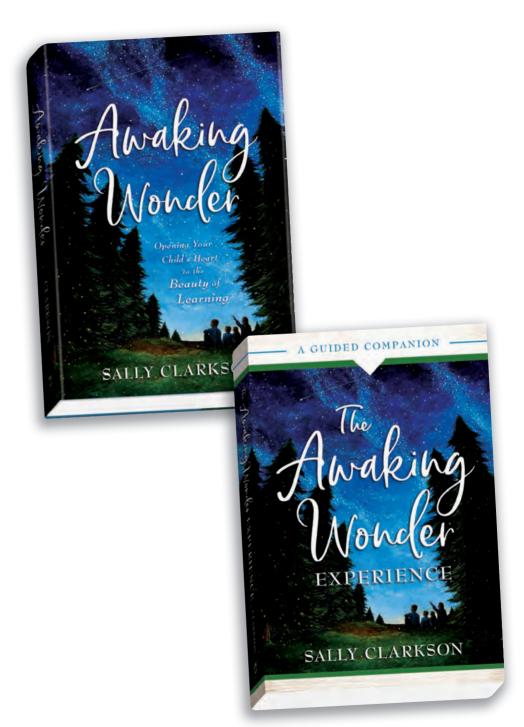
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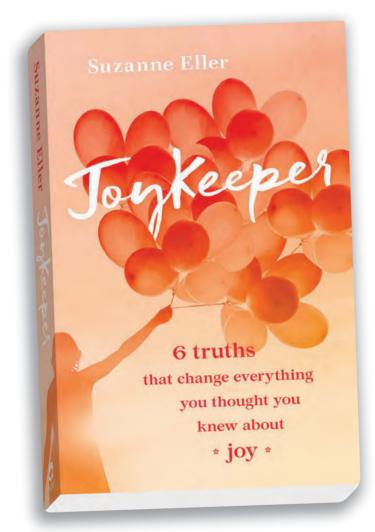
ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Sally Clarkson is the beloved author of bestselling books, including Own Your Life, The Lifegiving Home with her daughter Sarah, Desperate with Sarah Mae, and Different with her son Nathan. As a mother of four, she has inspired thousands of women through Whole Heart Ministries. She



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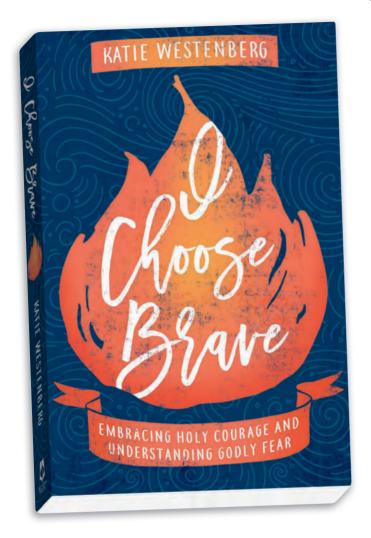
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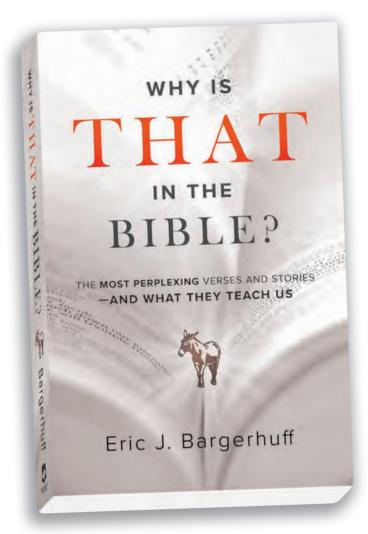
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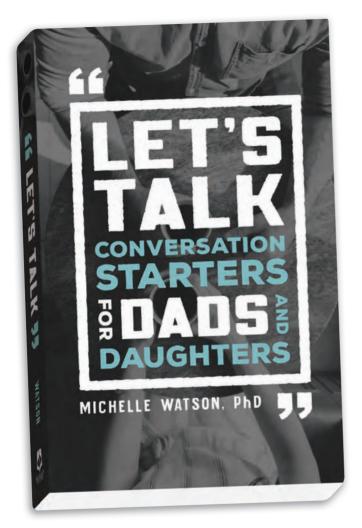
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