

# 2024 PHOENIX TOUR OF EVENTS

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## IOM Board | Prayer Warriors Donor Relations Report

### Dear Ministry Supporter,

We are profoundly grateful to our incredible supporters for making the 2024 Phoenix Tour of Events possible. Your unwavering generosity and dedication have fueled our mission and inspired countless lives.

Our trip was initially planned as a fundraising endeavor to support our mission, but it unexpectedly blossomed into a miniature revival. What started as a series of events aimed at generating funds soon transformed into powerful gatherings where hearts were touched, spirits were uplifted, and lives were profoundly changed. The overwhelming sense of community and shared purpose created an atmosphere of genuine connection and spiritual renewal. This unforeseen shift reminded us of the incredible impact of our work, not just in financial terms but in the meaningful and lasting transformation of Yeshua's indwelling LIFE. Our report is as follows:

- From the conception of this tour to our return, the Lord blessed us with a little over \$9,000, plus moderate book sales.
- **Monday, 10/28: Leadership Team Breakfast.** A special thanks goes to Wendell Smock, Dean Leto, John Lynch, and Robert Jacobs. These men provided event preparations, promotions, and event readiness. Thank you, gentlemen. We acknowledge the involvement of the leaders who were not present at the meeting: cinematographers J.J. Bukowski and Brett Cline, Pastor Emilio Prada, A/V coordinator Aldo Ruiz, event administrator Doug Wright, Jeff Brugman, Mike West, and Dan Elkins.
- **Monday, 10/28: Covenant of Grace Planning Meeting.** We thank the entire church team for their faithful and kind preparations and help in staging and hosting the “Knowing Identity Matters” mini-conference.

- **Tuesday, 10/29: The Nehemiah Mini-conference.** We had a “packed house” for this event. Thanks to the organization provided by Wendell Smock & the Haymaker team, many of the men were not only blessed by this event, but each contributed to the dynamics of the presentation on Biblical leadership in a modern culture. Wendell and I will follow up this event with a forthcoming workbook on my book, “*Nehemiah, The Man and the Legend,*” in a weekly men’s breakfast format. The objective is to return to Phoenix in 2025 for a full conference.
- **Wednesday, 10/30: The Brugman Gathering.** This evening event was well attended by Jeff Brugman's friends and associates. The objective was to raise funds for IOM America, but the Lord had other plans—this sweet gathering turned into a time of sharing IOM’s impact on the people of our troubling times.
- **Thursday, 10/31: Scottsdale Church Men’s Breakfast.** The overall objective of this presentation was to ignite a flame of revival in the hearts of men regarding the importance of men knowing their identity in Christ while leading spouses, children, grandchildren, and those they influence. However, while accomplishing this objective, the gathering turned into a mixture of praise, worship, and sharing of testimonies of the Lord in the lives of those in attendance. This gathering ministered to my soul more than other events we hosted.
- **Thursday, 10/31: Prescott Board Member Visit.** Rick and Donna Kratz are faithful donors and have been friends since the establishment of IOM America. Rick also serves on the Board as a financial advisor. The visit was filled with tender fellowship and sweet encouragement.
- **Friday, 11/1: Knowing Identity Matters mini-conference.** This was our primary conference event of the week. *Covenant of Grace Fellowship* hosted it. The conference was well attended and represented by leaders within the Phoenix community and participants of general interest. Cinematographer Brett Cline filmed the event for our November global simulcast. The event hosted teachings on the believer's identity in Yeshua, praise, worship, and healing of troubled souls. I could not have asked for a more anointed event.
- **Saturday, 11/2: Mimi’s Café Celebration Breakfast.** This was another well-attended gathering. Thanks to several donors, IOM could provide our donors and friends a quality breakfast without charge. Without an agenda, the gathering was centered around testimonies of the Lord. Through tears and confessions, our time was blessed with prayers of healing & anointed moments of encouragement.
- **Saturday, 11/2: Rapture Ready mini-conference.** Dean and Julie Leto hosted the evening, which included a tasty dinner. The presentation revealed the primary signs and wonders of the approaching Rapture, detailing the seven-year reign of the Antichrist, the forthcoming reign of Yeshua’s one-thousand-year rule, and the New Heaven and Earth. It was an event to remember.

It must be said that ministering to people along the way is one of the highlights I will cherish for years to come. From the young lady at the rental car counter to the event attendees and hotel workers, my soul was revived through these encounters.

### IN THE NEAR FUTURE:

- † We plan to establish a weekly Nehemiah Men’s breakfast in Phoenix.

- † IOM has developed an online venue for all interested individuals to attend the full “*Knowing Identity Matters*” conference, packed with diagrams, videos, and audio teachings. It is available now, [HERE](#).
- † Toward the end of November, our ministry will release the simulcast of the event hosted by Covenant of Grace Fellowship. The link can be found [HERE](#).
- † John Lynch and I are planning to travel to Samaritan’s Purse’s headquarters to host a “sit-down” with Franklin Graham. The objective is to present a method of adding the identification Truths to their global tract and practical ways of integrating the *Knowing Identity Matters* workbook into their outreach services.
- † Our ministry has launched the *Knowing Identity Matters Podcast*. You can review one of our first podcasts [HERE](#).
- † We are praying for the Lord’s direction regarding our return to Phoenix in 2025 to conduct the full *Knowing Identity Matters* conference & the *Nehemiah, The Man & The Legend* conference.

We are incredibly grateful to everyone who contributed to making the ***Phoenix Tour of Events*** a resounding success. Our heartfelt thanks go to the generous donors whose contributions provided the essential support needed to bring our vision to life. Equally, we deeply appreciate the enthusiastic participants who attended, engaged, and brought their spiritual gifts and passion to each event. Together, you have all made an indelible impact, and we are truly thankful for your unwavering support and dedication.

Through His Indwelling,



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