

Harris' Listeners Are Devoted To His Radio Ministry

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Listen to WPEG on Sunday mornings and you may hear Gospel radio announcer, Bob Harris delivering a prayer, giving salutations to members in his audience or voicing his concern for a sick or shut-in. These special acts go beyond the duties of his job.

They say to those who hear him that Harris is totally devoted to his "radio ministry" and feels an obligation to his listeners that surpasses "the call of duty."

What he has tried to do in the 15 years that he has been a radio announcer, ministering to the people

through Gospel music and prayer has certainly not gone unnoticed. On Sunday, April 1, Harris will be honored at a 15th Radio Anniversary celebration at the Mother House of Prayer.

Joining in the celebration will be several Gospel singing groups - Tommy Ellison and the Five Singing Stars of Brooklyn, New York, The Chosen Sons of God of Birmingham, Alabama, The Void Brothers of Sanford, N.C., Rev. Benny Davis and the Benny Davis Singers of Atlanta, Georgia, Joe Wilson and the Gospel Disciples and the Fantastic Sons of David and the McCullough Tigers, all of



Rev. Bob Harris
Charlotte.
Tickets for the event are

\$6 in advance and \$7 at the door. Senior citizens and children will be admitted for \$1.

There's going to be more to this day than imagined. Bob Harris will also take on another title and will be known as Rev. Bob Harris. On Saturday, March 31, Harris will be ordained as a minister of the Gospel by Rev. Benny Davis, pastor of the Interfaith Deliverance Center in Newton, N.C. Harris remarked that he received God's calling to preach. "Immediately afterwards," Harris began,

"I went to talk to Rev. Benny Davis and he arranged for me to preach my trial sermon at his church on February 26th.

"Already the listening audience has accepted me as their radio minister," emphasized Harris, "receiving the calling I feel will further strengthen my credibility as a man of God."

Harris still intends to reach people through the radio, but added that he would be available for all types of speaking engagements.

Easter Seals Telethon To Air

WSOC-TV, Channel 9 Meteorologist, Jerry Peterson, will host the Easter Seals Telethon live from Outlet Square, Sunday, April 1, from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Jan Bailey will join Jerry as co-host again this year.

Also on hand will be Doug Mayes, "Eyewitness News" anchor and host of "Midday With Mayes."

WSOC-FM's on-air personalities Bob Brandon, Edd

Robinson and Bill Ellis.

Pat Boone will host the 1984 Easter Seals Telethon from Hollywood. Joining him there will be co-host Donna Mills of "Knots Landing," this year's national poster child, Stephanie Sweeney of Welcome, N.C., and host of other stars.

The annual Easter Seals drive supports rehabilitation services for people with disabilities.

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