

# Miracles For Breakfast: The Journey Continues

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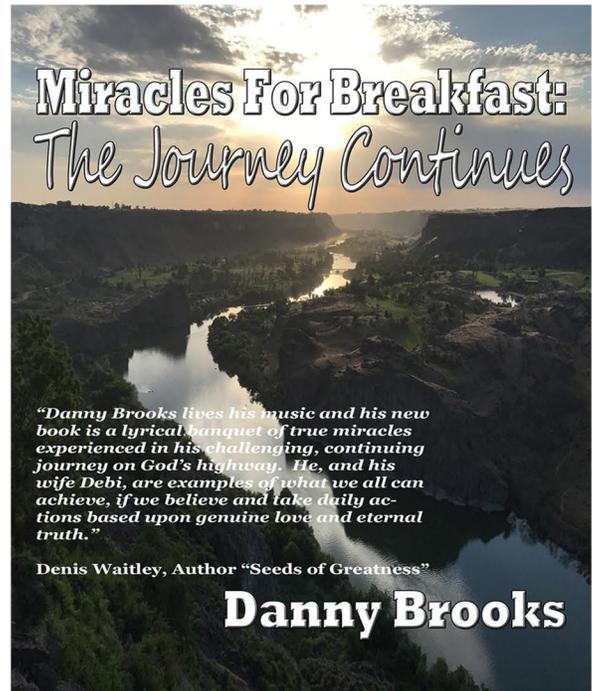
*A sneak peak....*

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**Danny Brooks** grew up in a tough blue collar neighborhood, in the west end of Toronto, Canada in a suburb called Mt. Dennis. One of eight children, he was raised in a strict *Pentecostal Holiness* family. **Danny** often jokes that he had a drug problem at a very young age, in that he was drug to Church 5 times a week. His Dad, who had a tough past, and one time rounder before finding his faith, raised his children with a strict admonition of doing what is right according to the Bible. Growing up, **Danny** went off the rails, rebelling in the 60's, getting involved with drugs, and being in the music industry felt he had a license to be stoned. As written in an earlier autobiographical book *Miracles For Breakfast: How Faith Helped Me Kick My Addictions* (published by John Wiley & Sons 2008) **Brooks** had over 40 friends and acquaintances who died of overdoses, car accidents while under the influence and in some cases, murdered. Sinking deeper into the drug world, **Danny** was hard pressed to pay some drug debts and turned to crime that landed him a 15 month jail term at *The Guelph Reformatory* in 1972. Upon his release he never used the needle again, however started drinking heavy and eventually using Cocaine and Valium. His wife **Debi** got him into the *Donwood Rehabilitation Center for Drugs and Alcohol* April 8th 1987 and leaving May 8th, 1987, **Danny** has remained clean now for over 30 years.

After reading every self-help book he could get his hands on, **Danny** decided that he wanted to write songs that edified and helped people much like the books he enjoyed reading by *W. Clement Stone, Napoleon Hill, Norman Vincent Peale* and many more, but his favorite motivational author is *Denis Waitley*, who has endorsed his newest book, *Miracles for Breakfast: The Journey Continues*. Two years ago **Danny** and **Debi** formed an idea for writing a new 7 Book *Miracles For Breakfast Series* that would be part inspirational, motivational, sharing from life experiences and underscoring that no matter who you are, what you have done, no matter how far down you have sunk, there is nothing that you and **God** can't get together and work things out to get back on a happy and winning track.

**Chapter 1** of *Miracles for Breakfast: The Journey Continues* starts off with this: *There is a Time and a Place for Everything. Adversity is the bridge to greatness.* We all go through difficult and trying times and



it is seldom convenient. Nevertheless, later we see how it fashioned certain ideas and added some muscle to our character. **God** works in amazing ways and uses our adversity that we may get a better understanding in all things. He is well acquainted with grief and adversity. *Adversity is the bridge to greatness!* The book starts off with **Danny** having a heart attack as he was finishing his show on the stage of Austin Texas', famed *Threadgills*, May 2nd 2010. He managed to finish the show, load up his van, albeit with much effort. Would go on to work 5 more weeks in extreme Texas heat that was a record drought and heat wave. 100 days of 100+ degree heat. Getting back to Canada, **Danny** discovered he had 5 completely blocked main arteries in his heart. He was warned while awaiting admission into the *Trillium Hospital* for a quintuple heart bypass, not to go out into the heat as the humidity would rob him of the little oxygen his heart was receiving. That he could have a heart attack and die. The book shares another remarkable experience and then settles into a powerful easy to read motivational, instructional book on overcoming addictions, failure and realizing ones dreams. This book, as is this series, is going to help families, and individuals who are struggling along with Corporations who have a large number of employees suffering with addictions that impair their work productivity.