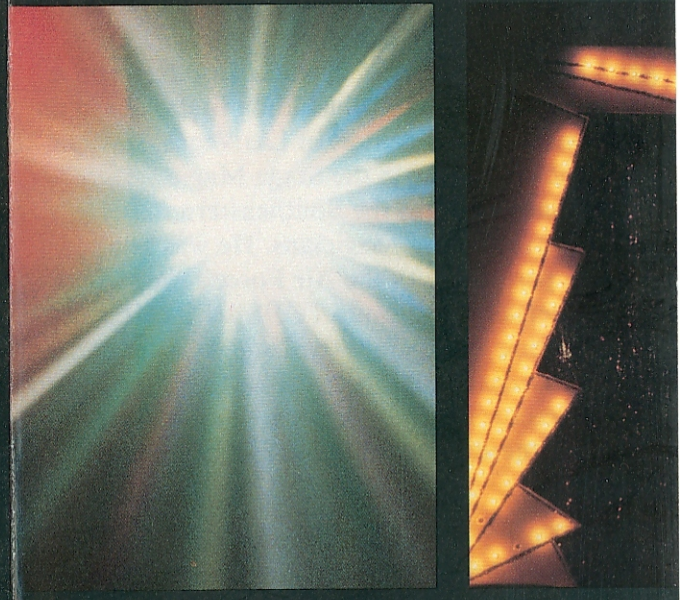


**Ron and Fran Patterson
Illusions and Variety
Production**

(Music, Special Effects,
Comedy, Custom Staging)

**SHARING
CHRISTIAN
PRINCIPLES**



VARIETY PRAISE

THE PATTERSONS

Ron is a graduate of Samford University where he received a Bachelor of Music Degree in Church Music. He has served on the staff of numerous churches working in Music and Youth Ministries.

He is also an accomplished magician and a member of the Fellowship of Christian Magicians and the International Brotherhood of Magicians. Ron has won a number of awards including first place in an international contest in Las Vegas, Nevada, and first place in the Stage Magic Competition at the Southeastern Convention of Magicians. He was selected to perform with the Air Force's prestigious entertainment group TOPS IN BLUE, touring throughout the United States and Overseas. Ron has served as the State Music Director for the Alabama Conference of Southern Baptist Evangelists in 1988 and 1989.

Fran received an Associate Degree in Music from Calhoun State Community College. She has been involved in drama for over 15 years. She has organized and led dramatic teams for churches. An accomplished ventriloquist, Fran won the National Maher's Writing Contest for ventriloquist routines in 1984. She is a member of the North American Association of Ventriloquists.

Ron and Fran were married in 1982 and have one daughter, Lydia. They are dedicated Christians who support the total ministry of the church.

VARIETY PRAISE

Variety Praise offers a creative worship experience with messages of challenge and inspiration through professional entertainment. Years of preparation and effort have resulted in a spectacular production.

The elaborate theatrical program features the custom stage illusions of Ron Patterson and the comical routines presented by Fran and her ventriloquist characters Willie, Wendy and Harry. The show is fast paced and is accented by computer controlled 3 dimensional lights, special effects, and changing backdrops.

THEIR OBJECTIVES ARE TO . . .

CHALLENGE . . . people to accept Christ as Savior and to continue to walk in a vital relationship with Christ.

ENCOURAGE . . . Christian growth involving Bible Study, prayer, worship, fellowship, stewardship, and service.

PROVIDE . . . not only a time of professional entertainment for the church and community, but most importantly a time of worship to the Lord, and inspiration and challenge to the individual.

WHAT OTHERS SAY ABOUT "VARIETY PRAISE". . .

"VARIETY PRAISE superbly combines the best in variety programming to capture the attention of the audience while teaching spiritual truth and leading the viewer to an encounter with the Lord. . . . Young and old alike will be thrilled with VARIETY PRAISE."

Henry Lyon, III., Director, Family Ministry Dept.
Alabama Baptist State Convention

"It is with great joy that I commend the ministry of Ron and Fran Patterson. They have one of the most unique programs you will ever see and it is beautifully and professionally presented. They make use of illusions, comedy, singing and ventriloquism that is a blessing to all. Ron and Fran are active members of a Southern Baptist Church and they love the Lord. I really hope you will use them. I really believe they will be a blessing to you."

Junior Hill, Evangelist, Vice President,
Southern Baptist Convention, Hartselle, Alabama

"Ron and Fran Patterson are professional in the best sense of the word, but they are warm and caring about people. The lost are brought face to face with their need of a Savior and the saved are made to rejoice in their salvation. Their presentation serves to deepen one's loyalty to Jesus. . . . As a college professor who teaches God's word and as a pastor, I highly commend their organization to churches and associations."

J.W. Lee, Th.D., Professor of Old Testament, Florida Baptist
Theological College, Graceville, Florida

"Thanks so much for sharing in our Youth Celebration. You did a great job not only with your talents, but with the message you shared."

John R. Long, Associate, Discipleship Training Dept.,
Alabama Baptist State Convention

"Four Stars! That's top rating for entertainment and was also my rating for Ron and Fran Patterson the first time I saw them. Then when I invited them to lead the music for our revival, they raised to five stars. They attracted in record crowds, and we had good numbers of decisions. Our church loved them, so did I. I am going to invite them back often."

Dr. Robert Curlee, III, Centercrest Baptist, Birmingham, Alabama

"How exciting it was to have VARIETY PRAISE at our church. Our people continue to comment on the wonderful experience you led us in. . . . God has given you a tremendously valid and important ministry."

Rev. Dennis J. Brown, First Baptist, Niceville, Florida

"Ron and Fran are members of our church and faithfully serve the Lord here when not engaged somewhere else. We have had them work, as VARIETY PRAISE, twice in the past year, and I plan to use them in the music for our revival this fall. God has used them greatly in this unique ministry. They are doctrinally sound, faithful servants of our Lord."

Rev. Joe L. Joyner, Westmeade Baptist, Decatur, Alabama

"What a privilege it was to watch your professional, spectacular performance. The quality of your presentation was exceeded only by the power of your message . . . a thoroughly Biblical, evangelistic program."

Dr. Jerry Burgess, International President of the Fellowship of Christian Magicians, Whitley City, Kentucky

". . . the outstanding presentation of VARIETY PRAISE at our Area Youth Rally . . . Without a doubt this was the best program that we have ever had in the eight years that I have been here. Comments from the area ministers were of the highest praise. . . . We also set an all high attendance record that doubled our average attendance . . . we are looking forward to having you back. . . ."

Rev. Dale J. Carr, Oak Ridge Christian Church, Tupelo, Mississippi

". . . How thrilled I was to have you in our church. Your program was excellent! . . . something for every age group. The response of our people was great! . . . God has His hand upon you in a special way. You are doing a great work."

Rev. Gary Miller, First United Methodist, Opp, Alabama

". . . Excellent program was fast paced, attention keeping and professional You showed many of our folk that the gospel can be presented in a variety of manners and be interesting and entertaining as well. It is a Christ exalting presentation."

Rev. William Anderson, First Christian Church, Erwin, Tennessee

"Thank you so much for all that you have done for the youth at First Baptist and the Chickasaw Association. Your ministry has been a big influence on us all!"

Rev. Don Oliver, Youth Evangelism,
Chickasaw Baptist Association, Houston, Mississippi

"This dynamic devoted duo's multi-faceted presentation of the gospel was unlike anything we have ever experienced in our church! They will hold your congregation spellbound and bless them spiritually."

Rev. Dallas Vincent, Ormsby Heights Baptist, Louisville, Kentucky

"What a wonderful Sunday! . . . I appreciate your willingness to use your talents in service to God . . . you were a joy to work with . . . show was professional and spiritually uplifting Please, consider returning next year at the same time"

Rev. Ron Thomas, First Baptist, Franklinton, Louisiana

VARIETY PRAISE IS GREAT FOR . . .

. . . Worship Services, youth rallies, conventions, large banquets, special events.

For information on scheduling VARIETY PRAISE for your church or organization, write:

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