

# PROVIDENCE ACADEMY

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## Press Release

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## Storytellers Announced for Christian Storytelling Showcase 2010

This year's Christian Storytelling Festival will include a Storytelling Showcase on Friday, March 26, at 6:30 P.M. at Providence Academy in Johnson City, TN. Josh Smith from WJHL (News Channel 11) will be our Master of Ceremonies for the evening.

The thirteen storytellers that will participate in the 2010 showcase are

<b>Name</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Story Title</b>
Rocky Churchwell	Adult	Medley of Stories
Judy Farlow	Adult	Brave Betsy
Madelyn Rohrer	Adult	Tommy Dorsey, Father of Gospel Music
Jonathan Schmidt	Adult	Clovis-A Man of Faith
Kenny Tedford	Adult	I Am the Potter and You Are the Clay
Sarah & Rebecca Bird	Student	The Last Sin Eater
Sarah Bird	Student	Spies in Richmond
Daniel Dotson	Student	Horatio Spafford
Elizabeth Dotson	Student	Fanny Crosby
Sara Phillipone	Student	Fanny Crosby
Chloe Harvel	Student	About Angels
Nolan Harvel	Student	A Prayer at Valley Forge
Hannah Hollowell	Student	Trust in God

A panel of judges will select an Adult Champion and a Student Champion. There will be a \$300 award for each Champion and a \$100 award for the runner-up in each category. All thirteen storytellers will receive at least \$25 for their participation.

The theme of this year's Showcase is "Faith in History." Each storyteller will have seven minutes to share his or her story. The Student and Adult Champions will also be invited to present their stories Saturday evening at our main event. As an added bonus, this year's Student Champion will have the opportunity to share their story on the WHCB (91.5 FM) Bible Buddies radio show with host Mr. Matthew.

# Providence Academy Storytelling Showcase

*Who will be the Adult Champion Storyteller? The Student Champion Storyteller?*

- When:** Friday, March 26, 2010, 6:30 P.M.
- Where:** Providence Academy  
2788 Carroll Creek, Johnson City, TN 37615  
(423) 854-9819, [www.providenceacademy.com](http://www.providenceacademy.com)
- Who:** Third graders through adults are eligible.
- Theme:** “Faith in History”
- Time Limit:** 5-7 Minutes
- # of Storytellers:** 13

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## What is the Christian Storytelling Festival?

This is the fourth Christian Storytelling Festival at Providence Academy. The festival is a fund raiser for the Providence Academy Annual Scholarship Fund. The scholarship fund is a need-based program that is helping 117 students attend Providence Academy.

This year’s event will be a three day event (March 25-27) that will include the following:

- Storytelling Workshop** - Thursday, March 25, 2010, 6:30 – 8:00 P.M. - \$10 entry fee
- Storytelling Showcase** - Friday, March 26, 2010, 6:30 P.M.
- Storytelling at Providence** - Saturday, March 27, 6:30 P.M.      **Featured Storyteller:**  
Theme: “Faith in History”      **William J. Federer**

## *Tickets for Storytelling- One Ticket Covers Friday and Saturday Evenings*

- Adults - \$10
- Children/Students and Seniors (age 55 and over) - \$6
- Family passes (immediate family) - \$25
- Groups of 6 or more - \$5 per person
- Tickets will be available at the door or via our website:  
[www.christianstorytellingfestival.com](http://www.christianstorytellingfestival.com)

For questions and further information regarding the Storytelling Showcase or the Storytelling Festival, you can check our website [www.christianstorytellingfestival.com](http://www.christianstorytellingfestival.com), or call the Development Office at Providence Academy (423) 854-9819, ext 3013.

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