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Interview with Sister Bernard Overkamp (Sister Bernard) and Sister Dorothy Fabritze (Sister Dorothy)

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Part 4

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Sister Dorothy: Let me get it together. I always call him [Tree 00:00:05]. Tree was now vice president. and he went to one of these corporate meetings only about the circus. At that time, there were three units. In the discussion amongst other things, they were saying that they were looking at the spirit, the morale of the three units. They were discussing that the blue seemed to have a good morale, or good sprit, or cooperation, blah, blah, blah.

[00:00:30] They were saying what is it on the blue so that we can get it on the red and the gold? What is this good spirit, and how do we get it, and why does the blue have it and the other two don't? Tree told me later, "I just let them talk." He said, "I knew why." Then finally when they've ran out of suggestions and ideas, Tree says, "You people don't get it. On the blue unit are the two sisters. That's why the spirit has changed [then 00:01:08] for the better."

Sister Bernard: [Wow 00:01:09]-

Sister Dorothy: That was a beautiful story also-

Sister: Yeah.

Bernard: Yeah.

LaVahn Hoh: Yeah.

Sister: Yeah.

Bernard: The recognition from on top of what this can mean.

Sister Dorothy: Yeah.

Bernard: There's another beautiful story of the Circus Vargas that ... I only started with Circus Vargas maybe two or three years ago now. My contact there was Angelina, a former Ringling person, who's now general manager on Vargas. I used her as my contact asking. "May I start visiting Vargas for this ministry?" She says to me right away on the phone, "I have to talk to Nelson and Katya Quiroga." I think their name is Quiroga. Okay. I said, "Good." She came back and she said, "They said yes. I had to talk to them a little bit, but they said yes." Okay. I'm on the show and I'm there for three months. I prepared the children for sacraments, and then at the end of the three months we had this big sacramental celebration. Vargas had all this newspapers come in and TV. I don't know. We had seven entities either newspaper, radio, or TV. During the party after the sacrament, I overheard the interview of one TV station with the owners, Nelson and Katya.

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[00:03:00] I'm overhearing this and then TV guy says, "How did you ever get the sisters to come to your show?" Nelson answered very honestly. He said, "Well, the general manager came to us saying she knew the sisters from the blue and she would recommend that we take them on." He said, "I didn't want them, but she encouraged us and said it's for the better." He said, "They were only here one day, and I knew I had made the right decision."

LaVahn Hoh: [Well 00:03:24]-

Sister [Wow 00:03:24].

Bernard:

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LaVahn Hoh: [Well 00:03:25], I think with that wonderful story that we can end our interview.

Sister Thank you.

Dorothy:

LaVahn Hoh: This has been fabulous-

Sister Thank you.

Bernard:

LaVahn Hoh: Thank you.

Sister Thank you.

Dorothy:

LaVahn Hoh: This has been-

Sister I don't remember you from Robert's brother's [crosstalk 00:03:39]-

Dorothy:

LaVahn Hoh: Well, that's okay. That's okay.

Sister But, he does look familiar.

Bernard:

LaVahn Hoh: Well, I-

Sister Yes.

Bernard: