

# Endorsements

for *Have Heart: Bridging the Gulf between Heaven and Earth* by Steve and Sarah Berger

“Steve and Sarah Berger have faced the worst tragedy imaginable: the tragic death of their son, Josiah. There are no words to describe the pain and sense of loss a parent feels when they have lost a child. To say that your world changes forever is an understatement of epic proportions. I know, because our son also died. In fact, it was through our mutual loss that my wife and I became friends with the Bergers. In their new book, *Have Heart*, Steve and Sarah write candidly of what they have experienced. And yet, despite the very real pain they live with each and every day, this book bursts with hope.

“While no one ever gets over the death of a child, the Bergers are going through this experience with more than their faith intact. As you will read, their faith is deeper, their insights are more penetrating, and their hope is bright with the expectation of seeing their beloved son again. I trust this book will be a blessing to you.”

**Greg Laurie**

Author and Founding Pastor/Evangelist, Harvest Christian Fellowship

“Steve and Sarah Berger show us how we can find light and life beyond death’s shadow by allowing God to carry us behind the ‘Why?’ to the ‘What are you going to do through this circumstance?’ No one ever wants to face the heartache this family has experienced, but the Bergers help us see up-close and personal the power of love and the beauty of life in God’s eternal presence.”

**James Robison**

Founder and President, LIFE Outreach International

“Like Steve and Sarah, Nancy and I have a son in Heaven. It wasn’t until we looked at Heaven as the country that our son now inhabits that it yielded its truths to us in an undeniable way. This book illuminates the glorious truths about our future home with a life-changing force and a biblical depth that makes it a ‘must read’ for all who have made travel plans for Heaven.”

**Dr. Chuck Missler**

Founder, Koinonia Institute

“The story of the life of Josiah Berger should be shared far and wide. From this most tragic accident, there came life. Josiah’s decision to donate his organs allowed 77 people to live longer, healthier, better lives. He is a hero to these 77 people, and he is a hero to society. As a heart transplant surgeon, I can attest that there is no better story to capture what was Josiah’s favorite phrase, ‘have heart.’”

**Senator Bill Frist, M.D.**

Former U.S. Senate Majority Leader

“Framed within the most intimate of losses, this book allows its readers to peek into life-and-death perspectives of those who follow Jesus.”

**William Paul Young**

Author of *The New York Times* Best Seller, *The Shack*

“You are about to read an extraordinary story by my dear friends Steve and Sarah Berger. Their son, Josiah, went home to the Lord in 2009, with his life fully in front of him. In *Have Heart*, Steve and Sarah share how this home-going drove them deeper into God’s Word where they found comfort and truth. The Scriptures became an anchor for their hearts as they mourned the passing of their son, and celebrated his eternal home and ongoing legacy.”

**Michael W. Smith**

Grammy Award-Winning and Multi Platinum-Selling Performing Artist