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The name

Vibrations first show was on May 2005 on the air of CKZW Montreal. The name came out in a conversation between Jocelyn Richard and M. André Joly (president of Communication Média Évangélique and CKZW radio). Vibrations symbolizes the travel of the word of God thru airwaves and sounds. It also pictures what the truth can do to a heart willing to listen to it.

Purpose of the show

- To give christians the opportunity to listen to great music made for the glory of God; music out of the mainstream and out of the christian musical business; music that doesn't necessary fits into conventional radio stations; mainly progressive and classic rock;
- 2. To bring the word of God to people who needs it the most; Vibrations never preached but left the bands, the music and the spirit of God do the job;
- 3. To ensure that the message of truth is brought in a way that it shows respect to everyone who is listening and that this message is based on the Bible;
- 4. To give the opportunity to independent christian artists to have their music played;
- 5. To make that style of music known to the province of Quebec and eventually get bands to play in the Montreal area;
- 6. To keep the french aspect to all communication; Vibrations is first of all a french show:
- 7. To get the young christian musicians from Quebec to know that they can sing to the glory of God in a way that they can put their imagination and originality in their music and get christian french progressive rock;
- 8. To support all the bands that are played on the show in a way that people can have access to all the informations regarding the artits (web site, where to buy etc...);
- 9. To support all CKZW's projects and forward all informations regarding the station to Vibrations listeners:
- 10. To keep the Vibrations website (www.vibrationsmtl.ca) up to date and provide pertinent informations about the show, the bands, upcoming events and the CKZW station.



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What is considered christian material?

The bands considered as christian progressive rock or christian classic rock artists do correspond to three of those points:

- 1. Have at least one confessed christian in a leader position (composer or writer) and are good examples for those who sees the band. Does not support any violent or sexual group or ideology and does not promote any illegal activities nor drug use. Have lyrics that can bring the listeners to interrogations about their own lives and point to a different and positive way of living. Accepts and understand that Vibrations classifies them as christian progressive rock or christian classic rock artits.
- 2. Have lyrics that reflects the truth based on the Bible and glorify the Lord Jesus Christ
- 3. Have instrumental material that are titled with christian related theme.
- 4. Supports christian organisation(s) and/or are supported by christian organisation(s) and/or are supported by christian radio station(s).
- 5. Does not, in any way, show disrespect to any christian theme or to God, Jesus Christ or the Holy Ghost. Does not, in any way, insinuates or clearely states that the Bible is not accurate and that Jesus isn't the son of God. Accepts and agrees to the Vibrations beliefs and its statement of faith.

The utimate decision wether a band will be played or not on the Vibrations show goes to the Vibrations founder Jocelyn Richard. For any additional details, comments or complaints about a decision or the points stated, please contact jrichard@vibrationsmtl.ca.

Vibrations beliefs

- 1. Vibrations is not and will not be associated to a specific church.
- 2. Vibrations should not be associated to any denomination but the body of Christ, as described in the Holy Bible, the only real church that matters.
- 3. Vibrations will support any church, person and organization that agrees to this statement of faith:
 - a. We believe the Bible, to be the inspired Word of God, without error, the revelation of His will for the salvation of men, and the divine and final authority for all Christian faith and life.
 - b. We believe in one God existing in three persons: Father, Son and Holy Spirit. God has always been and will always be the only God. There were none before Him and shall be none after him.



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- c. We believe that the Father created all things in heaven and on earth. He created human beings out of a love for us and desires a personal relationship with each of us.
- d. We believe that Jesus Christ is true God and true man, having been conceived of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He lived a sinless life and died on the cross as the sacrifice for our sins according to the Scriptures. Further, He arose bodily from the dead and ascended into heaven.
- e. We believe that the ministry of the Holy Spirit is to convict men, making them aware of their sin and the salvation available through Jesus. He regenerates, guides, instructs, and empowers the believer for godly living and service.
- f. We believe that man was created in the image of God and sinless, but fell into sin and is therefore lost and subject to judgment. There is nothing man can do to save himself from this judgement, but he can allow the death of Jesus to take the place of his own eternal damnation by acknowledging God and accepting the free gift of salvation.
- g. We believe that the sacrificial death of Jesus Christ provides the only way of justification and salvation for all who believe. Any who attach additional works of man as a requirement for salvation are false in that they infer Jesus death is insufficient in and of itself to save and that human beings have the capability to save themselves.
- h. We believe that no sin is too big for God to forgive. However, making Jesus lord of our lives means striving towards holiness and turning from our sinful ways. Therefore, while being open to all sinners, Christians ought not accept, ignore, or promote any sin as permissible.

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Submitting musical material

Christian progressive and classic rock bands who would like to submit their material to Vibrations should write to this email adress: contact@vibrationsmtl.ca and provide at least one complete MP3 song with all informations about the artist, album and copyright. It is the responsibility of the band that all the material submitted is under copyrights. It is recommended that bands also send CDs to this postal adress:



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Bands can always refuse that one particular song be played. Vibrations should be informed when submitting an album or by written correspondance if this decision is after the submission. Songs that will not fit into the Vibrations beliefs or in the description of a christian artist will not be considered as potential material.

Finances

All finances for the regular activities of Vibrations is taking care by the founder. However, those who would like to contribute are highly welcomed. No bands will have more airplay or will have their songs played in exchange of money. Contributions should be strictly to show appreciation and to ensure that the show will continue to exist. For informations regarding contributions please write to: contact@vibrationsmtl.ca.

Closing words

Vibrations will continue its activities as long as the Lord will permit. It all started with the love of God and the music and hopefully will be there for many years to come. Correspondance with so many bands since May 2005 and having their support since that time, I am absolutely blessed to be a part of that adventure and I sincerely hope that the show have been and is contributing to the success of the bands played. Your prayers, support and emails are always welcomed.

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