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Youngstown Welcomes Gaither Homecoming Music Spectacular

- - - Tickets Go On Sale Tuesday, July 18 - - -

Greenville, SC – Multi-Grammy Award winning recording artist, **Bill Gaither** will present the **Gaither Homecoming** music spectacular at **Covelli Centre in Youngstown, OH**, on **Friday, October 7, 2011**. The legendary recording artist will present an exciting celebration, filled with the very best in Christian music, including Gaither's own multi-award winning group, **The Gaither Vocal Band (pictured in attached jpg)**. This special event will begin at **7:00pm**.

For nearly half a century, multiple Grammy and Dove award winner Bill Gaither has been a musical trailblazer. His reputation as a performer, songwriter and mentor for newly-discovered artists is known world-wide. Gaither's beloved series of Homecoming CDs and DVDs continues to top the sales charts and attract an ever-increasing audience. Whether you are a brand new fan or a longtime lover of feel-good Gospel music, don't miss this incredible concert experience. "In times like these we must reflect on what is most important in our lives...faith, family and friends," explains Gaither. "I invite everyone to join me and my special 'friends' for an uplifting musical extravaganza filled with joy, laughter, good music and great memories."

The roster of talented "friends" taking the stage with Gaither and the Gaither Vocal Band, featuring Mark Lowry, David Phelps, Michael English and Wes Hampton, include The Isaacs, The Martins, Gordon Mote, Charlotte Ritchie, Gene McDonald and Kevin Williams.

Additional information regarding the Gaither Homecoming Tour stop at **Covelli Centre in Youngstown, OH**, on **Friday, October 7** is available online at www.premierproductions.com or www.gaither.com. Tickets may be purchased by calling **1-800-745-3000**. Tickets are also available at the **Covelli Centre Box Office** and all **Ticketmaster outlets, including Giant Eagle**. Special group rates are available by calling **330-746-5981**.

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