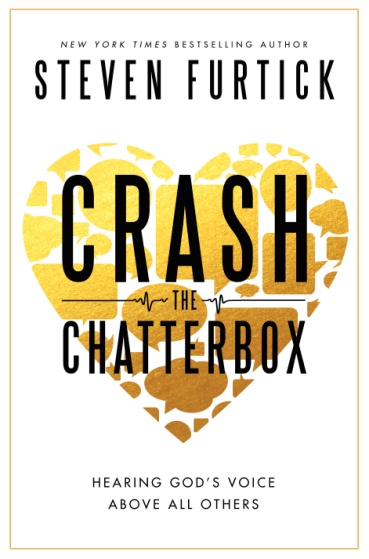
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**FURTICK KICKS OFF NEW BOOK WITH  
*CRASH THE CHATTERBOX LIVE!* RADIO EVENT**

**COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo**.,—(February 10, 2014) Steven Furtick, one of the country’s young, influential Christians leaders as lead pastor of North Carolina’s largest church, is hosting a special, live, day-long radio event on Tuesday, February 11 at [www.elevationnetwork.com](http://www.elevationnetwork.com) to coincide with the release of his new book [*Crash the Chatterbox: Hearing God’s Voice Above All Others*](http://waterbrookmultnomah.com/press-room-book.php?isbn=9781601424563)(Multnomah Books, Feb. 11, 2014).

Furtick, founder and lead pastor of Elevation Church and a *New York Times* best-selling author, taps into the theme of chatter, or dialogue, by spending 10 am to 6 pm ET talking with special guests and callers about the lies that we tell ourselves and how to overcome them. Every hour will feature a special guest to include:

* Lysa TerKeurst, president of Proverbs 31 and best-selling author of *Made to Crave*
* Pastor Craig Groeschel, lead pastor of LifeChurch.tv
* Steve Smith, Pro-Bowl wide receiver of the Carolina Panthers
* Grammy-award winning singer Mandisa
* Louie Giglio, founder of The Passion Movement, Passion Church and best-selling author
* Shaunti Feldhahn, best-selling author of *The Surprising Secrets of Highly Happy Marriages*
* Christine Caine, popular speaker, founder of A21 and author of *Undaunted*
* Musician Israel Houghton, a Grammy-award winner
* Carl Lentz, pastor of Hillsong NYC
* MMA #1 Contender Vitor Belfort
* Kari Jobe, Dove-awarding and Grammy nominated artist
* And more

Furtick, his special guests and callers will tackle the core issues in *Crash the Chatterbox,* such as insecurity, fear, discouragement, condemnation and the truths in God’s word that can short-circuit them. Sharing from personal experience, Furtick and friends will touch on how these topics show up in day-to-day life, such as parenting, marriage, leadership, work and church.

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Regarding his own experience with negative thoughts, Furtick writes in *Crash the Chatterbox*: “I used to think that someone who struggled with the kinds of weaknesses I deal with daily was useless to God. I felt so often like I was drowning in internal dialogue I couldn’t control. It had been the soundtrack of my life for as long as I could remember. Yet everything changed when I began to realize *God has given us the ability to choose the dialogue we believe and respond to.* And once we learn how, we can switch from lies to truth as deliberately as we can choose the Beatles over Miley Cyrus on satellite radio.”

The *Crash the Chatterbox Live!* radio event will be available online at desktops, mobile devices, or the Elevation App.

**ABOUT THE AUTHOR: Steven Furtick** is the founder and lead pastor of [Elevation Church](http://www.elevationchurch.org) in Charlotte, N.C., which since its founding in 2006 has grown to more than 14,000 weekly attendees at 11 locations. He is the author of the *New York Times* best-seller [*Greater*](http://waterbrookmultnomah.com/press-room-book.php?isbn=9781601423252)(Multnomah Books, 2012) and the popular [*Sun Stand Still*](http://waterbrookmultnomah.com/press-room-book.php?isbn=9781601423221)(Multnomah Books, 2010). He holds a Master of Divinity degree from Southern Baptist Theological Seminary. Furtick and his wife, Holly, have three young children Elijah, Graham and Abbey.

For more information, visit [www.crashthechatterbox.com](http://www.crashthechatterbox.com), [www.stevenfurtick.com](http://www.stevenfurtick.com) or [www.elevationnetwork.com](http://www.elevationnetwork.com). Press information is available at [www.waterbrookmultnomah.com/press-room](http://www.waterbrookmultnomah.com/press-room).

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