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IVAN KOLOFF TO APPEAR AT _____

_____ is proud to present nationally known wrestler and now Christian speaker, Ivan Koloff, appearing on _____ at _____. This speaking engagement will be held at _____ .

Ivan was born the 25th day of August 1942. and raised on a dairy farm in Canada . He came from a family of seven boys and three girls with Ivan being a middle child.

After watching wrestling on TV since eight years old, Ivan so wanted to become a professional wrestler that he wrestled with his chores on the dairy farm, dreaming of the day he would make his dream come true. Ivan not only wrestled with brothers.

Upon leaving school at 18 years old, Ivan finally made it to Jack Wentworth's wrestling school in Hamilton, Ontario. After a year of training - weightlifting and learning all the holds - Ivan became Red McNulty, an Irish rogue, who hailed from Dublin, Ireland wearing a patch over his eye and wrestled as a heel. He soon got his debut match which was against Bruno Sammartino "The Living Legend" on TV in Pittsburgh, Pa . Ivan went of to win many championship belts and matches.

Later in life Ivan's life was to make a change. "After all I was TOUGH; I was a WELL KNOWN WRESTLER; I had A lot of will power....The truth was, it was all a BIG LIE. I was in DENIAL. I wasn't happy, I desperately needed HELP. There was a big void, something lacking that I could not realize. In 1994, my nephew Nikita invited me to his church for a revival service and I accepted because I could see a big change in Nikita. I accepted the Lord that day and found the answer because of the truth of God" says Ivan.

He now travels speaking in churches, youth, etc. An evening with Ivan is night you will not forget.

Mr. Koloff is available for phone interview. Please contact Gateway Music Group at 573-766-1405 set up a time that is convenient.