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## Laced With Hope

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**Ron:** There's hope for today's family.

**Announcer:** For FamilyLife Blended®, here's Ron Deal.

**Ron:** At a Summit on Stepfamily Ministry, an event for pastors and lay leaders, I heard lots of personal stories that included reward and struggle. Struggles to merge family members, to protect a marriage, and given the prevalence of complex families in our world today, to get church leaders on board with the need for blended family ministry. Nontraditional is the new traditional, you know.

And yet, each story was infused with hope. Hope in a God who loves and redeems. Hope in the power of church community and the Holy Spirit to sustain and guide when the future is unclear. There is hope for today's family. For FamilyLife Blended I'm Ron Deal.

**Announcer:** To find out more visit [familylifeblended.com](http://familylifeblended.com).

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