



# Baptist Faith Missions

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## SUMMER MISSIONARY CONFERENCE - JULY 13-15, 2001

Pastor Richard Turner and Faith Baptist Church of Kirksville, Missouri, invite you to this summer's conference in the interest of Baptist Faith Missions. Supper will be served at the church, 502 N. Florence Street, at 5:30 p.m. Friday. The first service will begin at 7:00 p.m. The Saturday and Sunday services will begin at 9:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Speakers will be Mike Creiglow, Glenn Archer, David Parks, Jonathan Turner, Art Donley, Jeff Harden, Cliff Presley, Doug Armstrong, and Bob Jones.

People will need to make reservations to stay in motels. We have reserved 19 rooms in the Holiday Inn Express. You can reach them at (660) 627-1100. To get the special rate they promised us, you must mention Faith Baptist Church when making reservations. The cost will be

\$55.00 or \$59.00 depending on the kind of room taken. Other motels in the area are:

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|---------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|
| Best Western Shamrock Inn | Budget Host Village Inn | Comfort Inn    |
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| Days Inn                  | Super 8 Motel           |                |
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| (800) 329-7466            | (800) 800-8000          |                |

For any other information call Richard Turner. Home (660) 665-9027 or the church (660) 665-1622. Hope to see you at the summer conference!

## Tired In The Work But Not Tired Of It ... Much Construction Going On ... Sister Draper's Health ...



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Dear Brothers & Sisters, May 31, 2001

Greetings from Brazil. It seems like a week has gone by and already the month is up! How time flies when you are busy. Each month I always say to myself that I will wait until a day that I am rested and with my head clear in order to write the mission letter. It never happens! I am dog tired tonight. The heat and the responsibilities make one weary. We do rejoice that we can be tired in the Lord's work. That is an opportunity that He through His grace has given to each one of His children.

We have now been back in Brazil for 4 months, and all of this time we have been in the construction business as well as the pastoral and mission work responsibilities. Everytime we come back, we bring what I call the "Stateside Energy." I think mine is about used up. I rejoice to be able to report that we are getting ready in June to have the inauguration service of the new building in Varzea Grande. Souls are already being saved there and three services per week are being held in it.

Next week the Sunday School addition at Chacara dos Pinheiros will be under roof, which is our part of the project. They will have to finish it or we will help more there if the available help comes in. Pray about it. Hundreds of souls can be reached through that work in the future if the Lord tarries.

We got the open air building on the lot next to the Altos do Coxipo church improved with the wall foundations poured and a concrete subflooring poured. It is now being used for more Sunday School space. Someday it could be our sanctuary. That is a future goal. We are having an increase in our attendance in all the services there since we excluded the members who refused to come back from their sinful ways. That's not to say we enjoyed doing it, but we had little choice under the circumstances.

## Putting Visitors To Work ... Visiting Down On The Farm ...

Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

May 29, 2001

This month has been full of great things, visitors, visits and work. We have had visitors from Georgia and they have done some really important things, such as build another playground for the children, put the motor into one of our old busses and paint it, build cabinets in the big kitchen and in Kathys kitchen. They were a blessing in many ways. They went on visitation with me and went to the mission points with the pastors.

Our visitation program is still on the go. We are planning to expand our bus route and two more men are getting their license to arrive the busses. We continue to evangelize the surrounding farms and continue to be well recieved. This week we recieved permission to begin visitation on a farm with more than 50 families. Pray for God to be glorified there. It is hard for you to realize the significance of this ministry. It is difficult to get permission to visit on these farms because the owners are usually Catholic, and they don't want any other demonation to infiltrate their domain. Thank the Lord we are getting that permission and God is being glorified.



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Group from Alpha and Omega home at Grace Baptist Church, Garca, Brazil.  
Can you find A. J. and Barbara?



Harold Draper and Pastor Miqueas of Chucara dos Pinheiros' Church on lot bought by church to build Sunday School rooms and school.

We are in full swing of the construction of the new building in the Jardim Fortaleza / Santa Laura community. In another week the building will be under roof with the outside walls about up. I am thankful that the works in Primavera, Boa Esperanca and Novo Diamantino are going well so that I can concentrate on things here in town. We had a 27-year-old woman saved Sunday night in our church at Altos do Coxipo. Praise the Lord for that!

We ask that you pray for Ursula. She will have to have another breast surgery in the next few weeks. It should not be too serious since they are 90% sure it will not be malignant. Brazil is facing an energy shortage worse than the one in California. I dread being without the air conditioner at night. I'm spoiled I guess. It is feared that it will cause unemployment and hardship to the working people. There is an ugly political upheaval here right now. It looks like the leftist political parties may have a chance to elect a President for 2002. I'm glad that's all in the Lord's hands.

We thank all of you for your faithful support. It looks like we will have the funds to do the minimum that we had hoped to do concerning opening up the new works and the construction. If the Lord provides the funds we can do much more on these works. We just praise His name for you wonderful people who have made this all possible. We are so thrilled to be able to see all this being accomplished. In July we will start our 25th year in Brazil. We're going down the "Home-Stretch" and ahead we can almost see the finish line; not quite. We don't admit to being old yet. God bless all of you.

Your Fellow -laborers, The Drapers

We are expecting visitors from Winchester and Virginia Beach this month. And we are looking forward to what God will be doing with these visitors. Not only do people come to work but they come to get to know our children and see the work here at the Alpha and Omega. And make no mistake, they do work, but the major thing they go home with is these children in their hearts. If you want a heart for missions just get a look at the children the missionaries all over the world are influencing. And we have that great opportunity right here at the Alpha and Omega 24 hours per day.

As always, I would like to invite each and every one of you to come on down and visit us here at the Alpha and Omega Children's Home in Garca Brazil. I promise you that we will treat you in so many ways you will have to like one of them. We are always ready to receive our friends and supporters and show them what their generosity is doing here for the children.

Thanks for your continued support of BFM and us. And as always keep us in your prayers as we labor here in Brazil.

In His service,  
A. J. and Barbara

### In Memory

One of our long time supporters, Brother W. T. Burleson departed this life May 2nd at the Fort Sanders Medical Center, Knoxville, Tennessee. He was 98 years old and had faithfully supported this work for over fifty years.

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## Improvements On Property ... Back To Court ...



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Dear Friends,

June 1, 2001

God has richly blessed us this past month. We are thrilled that our son, Nathan, will be coming to work with us here. Right now, he is trying to raise his support in order to be able to return with us after we return from furlough next January. We have so much here that he can do to help us with our youth programs. Over 75 percent of the population of Kenya is below the age of 25, so youth programs are really needed.

Our church elected an assistant pastor this past month to take over while we are on furlough. Moses is 23 years old, is one of our students in our Bible Institute, is one of our deacons, and has felt for several years that God was calling him to preach. I have been discipling him for quite a while, and Pam and I are happy with the choice that the church has made. I will continue to work with and disciple Moses until we come back for furlough.

We have put a fence around our church property, and have planted much of the property in corn, to be harvested later this year, and the profits put into an account to build a church upon our return. Someone had seen the empty field and plowed it up without our permission, so we decided to make it a church project and plant corn and beans on the property. Our people have planted it and are weeding it and caring for it. So, when it is harvested, it will be a project that they have done, and they will have helped to contribute the money to be used for our new church. This month, Lord willing, we will build a house for a caretaker on the small part of the property that has not been plowed, plus a small house for our assistant pastor, and a storage building to house our pews, while we build a temporary church to meet in while we are gone. The people are really excited about this move, and to have our own place to worship. Upon our return, Lord willing, we will start the construction of a new, permanent church building.

It is a blessing as we watch God use our youth. Emmanuel is a 12 year old young man who is in our visitation program on Sunday afternoons. In the past two weeks, he has personally won two people to Christ. He is very active in our Bible club on Saturday afternoons, and is quick to answer questions in Sunday School, and be involved in youth programs. We are excited to see what God will do with this young man, and others of our youth who are really striving to please God.

This past week, we went to Nairobi to pick up Angel and Tawnya. They are two young ladies from Michigan, and they feel that God is calling them into missions. They will be spending six weeks with us, and already they have been a blessing with their willing attitudes to help and minister. We will be using them to teach our Ladies Bible study on Friday nights, our youth Bible clubs, and Sunday School. It is a privilege to be involved in helping those whom God is calling into His service.

Lord willing, we are leaving Kenya on July 8th to return to the States for a six month furlough. If you are interested in having us to come to your church to tell about the ministry here, please contact us soon, as we are trying to organize our schedule now for furlough. Also, we are in need of renting or buying a good used car. So, if you know of a good car, or want us to visit, please contact us by phone or Email soon.

Unfortunately, our next court date is this coming Monday, June 4th. I will be the first witness in our defense. It has taken almost two years to get to the point of presenting our defense, so it is a long, frustrating process. We had hoped to be finished with this case before coming back, but it looks like that we will be continuing on after our return. God has given much grace, and we have learned so much, but it would have been nice to have finished with this. However, we know that our God is sovereign, and all things are in His control. **What comfort that this gives during difficult times.**

Thanks to each of you who have prayed for us so faithfully, and have supported us financially. We look forward to meeting many of you while we are in the States. May God continue to bless your ministries there, as He has blessed us here. More next month.

Servants for Christ in Kenya, Mike and Pam

## Building - Building - Building ... Ursula In Car Wreck ...



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Dear Brothers & Sisters in Christ,

May 1, 2001

We greet you again from Brazil. Our work is being blessed. Today we will finish the building in Varzea Grande. Next month we will send pictures of this. The work there is growing with souls being saved. We have been having services in it since January 20th.

We are starting to build Sunday School rooms at the Cacara dos Pinheiros work today also. The church at Altos do Coxipo at their own expense will cement the open building they have built beside the present church building, starting tomorrow. Next week we will start to build the building at Sta. Laura. All of this is being possible because of your faithful giving. Needless to say we are staying busy.

Today our church at Chacra dos Pinheiros is celebrating its 10th year as an organized church. It has grown both in number and spiritually. Pastor Miqueas Nunes dos Santos is a great man of God who knows and loves Baptist truth. We praise the Lord for men like him. Another door of opportunity has opened up for a new work in a community called 7th of May in Varzea Grande. The church at Primavera is already holding services there on Thursday nights. We will not get heavily involved in that until we get the work in Sta. Laura going good.

Ursula had a car wreck in our old car last week. It was totaled out. She was bruised up some, but no broken bones. Thankfully the man who hit her had insurance and we will be paid something for it.

Michelle got her first report card after starting in the Brazilian school in the Portuguese language. She did really well considering it being her first experience. She needs to improve on Portuguese grammar which is much more complicated than English grammar.

Beethren, by faith we are launching out to do the above building projects in 2001. We realize that we do not have enough funds already in to complete them, but we believe the Lord will provide. Pray and give if you feel led to do so. Let us invest in our eternal welfare as well as our temporal life. We do thank all of you who give and have given that we may do this work for the Lord in Brazil. To him be the Glory! Great things He has done! God bless all of you.

In Christ, Harold Draper

## Now Own 70% Of Building ... Mother's Day ... Visitors Do Much Work ...

Greetings from Brazil!

May 15, 2001

We hope all is well with each one of you. We are all doing well. Many things have happened around here. Please forgive us for not staying in touch. The computer that I was using got destroyed by a virus. In fact many of you had to delete the last letter I wrote you. It took a little time but God provided us with a new computer. The Lord willing things will do better now.

## Teen Ministry ... Gunshots ... Pray For Quedas do Iguaçu ...



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Dear Friends,

June 1, 2001

April and May were very fruitful months for us. We will have to add new pews to our auditorium to accommodate everyone who is attending, now. I love growing pains!

For several years we have had only a handful of teens who attended our services. Nearly all of these have been involved in at least one ministry. We didn't have a specific ministry to teens, but we had several ministries carried on by teens. Within the last several months we have had an exciting increase in teens in our services. Two of our young men prayed about starting a ministry for them. There were two teens at the first meeting, four at the second, and last week there were fourteen teens present. The two young men are excited (and a little apprehensive) about leading these young folks in a dynamic walk with Christ. More than half of those attending are unaved. Our prayer and goal is to lead them to know and love Christ and to discover how He would have them use their lives and gifts in joyful service to others.

Last month we received a special memorial gift for Charlene's mother, Evelyn Johnson. She had a very tender heart toward folks who were hungry or needy. We were able to use the special offering to aid a needy family who lives next door to us and a widow who has health problems. Charlene and I are grateful for the kind consideration in this time of bereavement.

Our work in Barigui is quite a challenge. Last week after services, as everyone was standing out front fellowshiping, a series of gunshots rang out nearby. No one was hurt, but we later found out that one neighbor was angry at another for running over his dog and killing it, so he got drunk and emptied his revolver into the front of the neighbor's house. When we visit in that neighborhood it is common to see small groups of young people sitting on the curb drinking a jug of wine and passing around a marijuana cigarette. Edinei, who heads up that work, will be finishing night school this month, and will be able to dedicate more time to the work here. We have a nucleus of very faithful young men in Barigui and hope that, with the extra time available, Edinei will be able to develop some fruitful discipleship opportunities with them.

All of our people will be in concentrated prayer and preparation for an upcoming event. We feel that God is opening the door to reach a city of 18,000 inhabitants which has no Baptist church. This city, Quedas do Iguaçu, is the hometown of a family in our church. They have many friends and relatives living there who have witnessed their changed lives since coming to know the Lord. We plan to have a 3-4 day evangelistic campaign there. Our young people are training for one-on-one evangelism as well as singing special music and doing some evangelistic drama presentations. A couple of our men and I will be preaching evangelistic messages in a rented auditorium. We are expecting great things from the Lord in this work! Pray earnestly with us for God's blessings in Quedas do Iguaçu.

In Christ's service, Bobby, Charlene, Jessie and Brennan Wacaser

## Seventy-Six Years Old ... Barbara and Alex, New Creatures In Christ ...



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Dear Friends,

June 3, 2001

On the 30th of April, the Duartina Baptist Church celebrated its first anniversary, and I celebrated my 76th birthday. I was invited to bring the message at the church. The house was filled and there were people standing. Needless to say, the large birthday cake that had been prepared was sufficient for all present with the children having two slices and some three.

There were many young people present and I brought a message on the Three Crosses. At the end of the service with everyone standing around waiting for the cake to be brought out, a lady with her daughter came up to me and said, "Pastor John, would you pray for Barbara? She has a terrible toothache."

"Yes," I replied.

But something told me that Barbara was not crying from the toothache. I leaned down and whispered to Barbara, "Honey, have you ever trusted Jesus to save you? She shook her head negatively.

"Do you know you need to trust Him and be saved?" Sobbing, she nodded her head yes.

"Do you believe that Jesus dies for you, and do you want to trust Him right now?"

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A little news about the building here at the home. For quite some time we had 59 % of the shares bought. The people that owned the rest of the shares on the building quit coming and inquiring about the sales of their part. Well in the last few weeks several showed up. We were trying to save money as much as we could. There was one doctor that owned 8 %. He had never wanted to negotiate his part. Thank God he finally came around. There is only one amount greater than his. That belongs to the workers union. The others are smaller amount. A couple others showed up and now we own 70% of the building. Please pray for this matter as God continues to supply for the buying of the shares.

Mothers day is always a big day around here. I lost my mother when I was two years old. So I have a big place in my heart for mothers. I thank God for the mother that my children have. She had three of our own and accepted three more adopted ones and received ninety more to care for. We had our services earlier this last Sunday so the mothers could come to church without any problems. We also had a cake made by the men in our church that was 16 feet long. The service was great and people were saved. We also had baptism that night.

The evangelistic team my wife works with continues to have open doors. The schools are asking them to come and minister. This has been a great opportunity. In the high schools they are permitted to get their addresses. The addresses gotten are then visited by the youth visitation from church.

A group of men from the Second Baptist Church of Warren Robins in Georgia were here to visit. This group worked on the old bus that we have had for a long time. Actually it is one of the Buses that Bro. John Hatcher had. They helped put the motor back together and did all the body work on it and started to paint. They were not able to finish the painting because it started raining. Another group of them were cabinetmakers. They built a set of cabinets for the main kitchen and a cabinet for Kathy's kitchen. There were also some that did metal work, and they built some more things in the children's playground. The kids especially liked the slides that were built. We thank these men for coming and spending some time with us and for being fruitful in their work.

We have several new kids. Every day we get phone calls from judges and city social workers looking for a place to send kids. We are at our limit. We are almost at the 100 mark. We have the room to put more kids, but there is more than just finding more room. We need to be able to minister to each of them. If we just fill up the space we will lose the vision. We always want this place to be like a home as much as possible. If we are not careful it is very easy to become like an institution.

The church is doing great. We are planning on making some changes in the building. We need to be able to use all the area we have. The benches that we had were not enough. So we have must added twenty more new ones. We have increased the number of Sunday school classes. All those who come to our church are followed up by the visitation team. There are several age groups in the church that do visitation. The church is doing great. Praise God.

We want you to know that we are thankful to all of you who support us financially and in prayer. May God richly bless each of you.

Love in Christ, Odali Barros and Family



## Baptist Faith Missions

### MAY 2001 OFFERINGS

#### REGULAR FUND

|   |           |
|---|-----------|
| Adkins, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert, Tulsa, OK        | 20.00     |
| Battle Baptist Church, Mackville, KY          | 30.00     |
| Beathe, Mr. and Mrs. William, Sr              | 25.00     |
| Beech Grove Baptist Church, Crab Orchard, KY  | 260.00    |
| Beech Grove Baptist Church, Lancaster, KY     | 267.00    |
| Berea Baptist Church, Hidenite, NC            | 200.00    |
| Berry Baptist Church, Berry, KY               | 400.00    |
| Bible Baptist Church, Clarksville, TN         | 275.00    |
| Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL          | 687.00    |
| Bohon Road Baptist Church, Harrodsburg, KY    | 175.00    |
| Buffalo Baptist Church, Buffalo, WV           | 100.00    |
| Calvary Baptist Church, Hurricane, WV         | 600.00    |
| Calvary Baptist Church, Richmond, KY          | 677.21    |
| Calvary Baptist Church, Uniontown, KY         | 175.00    |
| Cedar Creek Baptist Church, Cedarsville, WV   | 125.00    |
| Central Baptist Church, Wichita Falls, TX     | 110.00    |
| Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC         | 300.00    |
| Crestline Friend                              | 160.00    |
| Crooked Fork Baptist Church, Gassaway, WV     | 70.00     |
| Darling, Russell & Ruth, Mount Horeb, WI      | 100.00    |
| East Keys Baptist Church, Springfield, IL     | 381.00    |
| East Maine Baptist Church, Niles, IL          | 420.00    |
| Elgin Baptist Church, Rogersville, AL         | 226.98    |
| Ella Grove Baptist Church, Glennville, GA     | 250.00    |
| Elliott Baptist Church, Elliott, MS           | 205.93    |
| Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, IN       | 917.35    |
| Emmanuel Baptist Church, Oldtown, KY          | 256.95    |
| Faith Baptist Church, Kirksville, MO          | 100.00    |
| Faith Baptist Church, Leighton, AL            | 50.00     |
| Faith Baptist Church, Versailles, KY          | 200.00    |
| First Baptist Church, Alexandria, KY          | 1,000.00  |
| First Baptist Church, Grayson, KY             | 100.00    |
| Friends                                       | 100.00    |
| Gethsemane Baptist Church, Marengo, OH        | 455.00    |
| Goldfloss Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC   | 25.00     |
| Goodsprings Baptist Church, Rogersville, AL   | 150.00    |
| Grace Baptist Church, Annville, KY            | 20.00     |
| Grace Baptist Church, Fairborn, OH            | 600.00    |
| Grace Bible Mission, Crystal Spring, MS       | 215.00    |
| Hallum, Marguerite, Hammond, LA               | 50.00     |
| Harbor View Baptist Church, Harbor View, OH   | 140.00    |
| Hardman Fork Baptist Church, Lettort Gap, WV  | 300.00    |
| Hardy, Ola, Guntown, MS                       | 25.00     |
| Harmony Baptist Church, Marengo, OH           | 25.00     |
| Heritage Baptist Church, Lexington, KY        | 3,270.00  |
| I-20 Baptist Church, Darlington, SC           | 35.00     |
| Immanuel Baptist Church, Riverview, MI        | 300.00    |
| Isbell Chapel Baptist Church, Tusculumbia, AL | 81.60     |
| Jordan Baptist Church, Sanford, FL            | 100.00    |
| King, Pastor Doug & Romona, Arcadia, FL       | 100.00    |
| Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, MI            | 1,579.64  |
| Liberty Baptist Church, Mount Zion, WV        | 150.00    |
| Mansfield Baptist Temple, Mansfield, OH       | 50.00     |
| Mount Cavalry Baptist Church, Charleston, WV  | 500.00    |
| Mount Pisgah Baptist Church, Grafton, OH      | 250.00    |
| New Hope Baptist Church, Dearborn Heights, MI | 920.00    |
| New Life Baptist Church, Lexington, KY        | 25.00     |
| Norris, William, Richmond, Ky                 | 60.00     |
| Oak Grove Baptist Church, Perkins, WV         | 100.00    |
| Open Door Baptist Church, Jonesborough, TN    | 80.00     |
| Richland Baptist Church, Livermore, KY        | 825.00    |
| Riverview Baptist Church, Point Pleasant, WV  | 100.00    |
| Rocky Springs Baptist Church, Piney Flats, TN | 200.00    |
| Rosedale Baptist Church, Rosedale, WV         | 300.00    |
| Rosemont Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC    | 1,100.00  |
| Sims, James & Elizabeth, Hattiesburg, MS      | 125.00    |
| South Carolina Friend                         | 45.00     |
| Southside Baptist Church, Fulton, MS          | 100.00    |
| Southside Baptist Church, Winter Haven, FL    | 150.00    |
| Storms Creek Baptist Church, Ironton, OH      | 2,269.83  |
| Tenney, James and Patsy, Ocoee, FL            | 20.00     |
| Texas Friends                                 | 600.00    |
| Thompson Road Baptist Church, Lexington, KY   | 220.00    |
| Virginia Friends                              | 655.00    |
| Wannville Baptist Church, Stevenson, AL       | 50.00     |
| Watkins, Bert and Louise, Richmond, KY        | 55.00     |
| Webster Memorial Baptist Church, Lakeland, FL | 50.00     |
| West Virginia Friend                          | 20.00     |
| West Virginia Friends                         | 60.00     |
| Total   | 25,515.49 |

#### CAR FUND

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| Storms Creek Baptist Church, Ironton, OH | 200.00 |
| Total                                    | 200.00 |

#### WEST INDIES

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| Addyston B.C., E. Jaggermauth, S. Jaggermauth, D. MacFauqa, L. McIntire, A. Steeple, C. Sorret | 390.00 |
| Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, MI   | 58.72  |
| New Hope Baptist Church, Dearborn Heights, MI  | 92.00  |
| Total  | 540.72 |

#### OVERBEY FUND

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|--|-------|
| Storms Creek Baptist Church, Ironton, OH | 50.00 |
| Total                                    | 50.00 |

#### ODALL BARROS FUND

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|--|-----------------------|
| Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL                             | As Needed 53.00       |
| Citizens of Jackson County, Alabama, Stevenson, AL (Penny Drive) | A&O Home 96.70        |
| Fletcher, Michael and Dee, Winchester, KY                        | A-O Home 40.00        |
| Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, MI                               | 58.72                 |
| New Life Baptist Church, Lexington, KY                           | A-O Home 450.00       |
| Pine Set Baptist Church, South Pittsburg, TN                     | As Needed 50.00       |
| Richland Baptist Church, Livermore, KY                           | Children's Home 75.00 |
| Rosemont Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC                       | Love Gift 100.00      |
| Storms Creek Baptist Church, Ironton, OH                         | 50.00                 |
| Tenney, James and Patsy, Ocoee, FL                               | Salary 65.00          |

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|---|----------------|
| Thompson Road Baptist Church, Lexington, KY | A-O 171.00     |
| W., K. J., Lehigh Acres, FL                 | Personal 50.00 |
| Total                                       | 1,259.42       |

#### HAROLD BRATCHER FUND

|  |                       |
|--|-----------------------|
| Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH        | Building 65.00        |
| Ashland Avenue Baptist Church, Lexington, KY | Salary 266.67         |
| Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL         | As Needed 100.00      |
| Bratcher, Debra, Mesquite, TX                | Salary 30.00          |
| Calvary Baptist Church, Richmond, KY         | Poverty Relief 100.00 |
| Calvary Baptist Church, Uniontown, KY        | Personal 75.00        |
| Clarksville Baptist Church, Richmond, KY     | Poverty Relief 100.00 |
| Cole, Clyde and Ruthie, Richmond, KY         | Personal 100.00       |
| Edwards, Wilgus and Maria, Booneville, KY    | Salary 10.00          |
| Ella Grove Baptist Church, Glennville, GA    | Salary 250.00         |
| Gill, Hazel, Lancaster, KY                   | Salary 25.00          |
| Grace Baptist Church, Warren, MI             | New Work 50.00        |
| Hambrick, Mrs. Maribeth, Georgetown, KY      | 100.00                |
| Hillcrest Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC  | Salary 100.00         |
| Liberty Baptist Church, Toledo, OH           | Salary 35.00          |
| Liberty Baptist Church, Toledo, OH           | Personal 65.00        |
| North West Baptist Church, Tampa, FL         | Building 100.00       |
| Rosemont Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC   | Love Gift 100.00      |
| Sparks, James and Virginia, Madison, IN      | Personal 500.00       |
| Tenney, James and Patsy, Ocoee, FL           | Salary 20.00          |
| Total  | 2,191.67              |

#### HENSELY FUND

|   |                        |
|---|------------------------|
| Ashland Avenue Baptist Church, Lexington, KY                  | Salary 625.00          |
| Ashland Avenue Baptist Church, Lexington, KY                  | Personal 275.00        |
| Calvary Baptist Church, Shreveport, LA                        | Salary 91.67           |
| Calvary Baptist Church, Shreveport, LA                        | Alpha & Omega 62.50    |
| Central Baptist Church, Wichita Falls, TX                     | 74.00                  |
| Edwards, Wilgus and Maria, Booneville, KY                     | Salary 10.00           |
| Heritage Baptist Church, Lexington, KY                        | Personal 525.00        |
| Hilltop Baptist Church, Beattyville, KY                       | Personal 50.00         |
| Immanuel Baptist Church, Monticello, KY                       | Alpha-Omega Home 25.00 |
| Joy Belles S.S. Class, Heritage Baptist Church, Lexington, KY | A-O Home 50.00         |
| L., M. P.   | Alpha-Omega Home 50.00 |
| Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, MI                            | A-O Home 60.00         |
| New Life Baptist Church, Lexington, KY                        | As Needed 100.00       |
| Purity Baptist Church, Maysville, KY                          | Personal 30.00         |
| Rosemont Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC                    | Love Gift 100.00       |
| South Carolina Friend   | Alpha-Omega Home 50.00 |
| W. K. J., Lehigh Acres, FL                                    | Personal 50.00         |
| Total   | 2,228.17               |

#### MIKE CREIGLOW FUND

|  |                    |
|--|--------------------|
| Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH      | New Works 65.00    |
| Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH      | Equipment 500.00   |
| Beulah Baptist Church, Summersville, WV    | 30.00              |
| Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL       | As Needed 200.00   |
| Bible Baptist Church, Hendersonville, TN   | Salary 25.00       |
| Elliott Baptist Church, Elliott, MS        | Food Pantry 205.93 |
| Grace Baptist Church, Warren, MI           | New Work 50.00     |
| Rosemont Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC | Love Gift 100.00   |
| Tabernacle Baptist Church, Mims, FL        | Salary 50.00       |
| Total                                      | 1,225.93           |

#### DRAPER FUND

|   |                   |
|---|-------------------|
| Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH         | 65.00             |
| Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL          | As Needed 250.00  |
| Calvary Baptist Church, Crestline, OH         | Salary 95.00      |
| Chapel Hill Baptist Church, Nicholasville, KY | As Needed 94.00   |
| Cleaton Baptist Church, Cleaton, KY           | Salary 40.00      |
| Elizabeth Baptist Church, Charleston, WV      | 50.00             |
| Grace Baptist Church, Warren, MI              | New Work 50.00    |
| Hardman Fork Baptist Church, Letter Gap, WV   | New Work 2,100.00 |
| Hillcrest Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC   | Salary 100.00     |
| Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, MI            | New Work 62.00    |
| Rosemont Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC    | Love Gift 100.00  |
| Victory Baptist Church, Wickliffe, KY         | 100.00            |
| Total   | 3,106.00          |

#### JOHN HATCHER FUND

|   |                            |
|---|----------------------------|
| Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH           | Building 65.00             |
| Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL            | As Needed 120.00           |
| Bible Baptist Church, Kingsport, TN             | Salary 65.00               |
| East Keys Baptist Church, Springfield, IL       | Memory of Jim Hicks 100.00 |
| Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, IN         | Personal 25.00             |
| Friendship Baptist Church, Bristol, VA          | Salary 25.00               |
| Grace Baptist Church, Warren, MI                | New Work 50.00             |
| Meadow Bridge Baptist Church, Meadow Bridge, WV | Salary 100.00              |
| Richland Baptist Church, Livermore, KY          | Brazilian Preachers 30.00  |
| Rosemont Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC      | Love Gift 100.00           |
| Rosemont Ladies Fellowship, Winston-Salem, NC   | Alta Personal 100.00       |
| Sims, James & Elizabeth, Hattiesburg, MS        | New Work 25.00             |
| Spicer, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert, South Bend, IN     | 300.00                     |
| Storms Creek Baptist Church, Ironton, OH        | Maria 25.00                |
| W., K. J., Lehigh Acres, FL                     | Personal 50.00             |
| Total   | 1,180.00                   |

#### PAUL HATCHER FUND

|  |                        |
|--|------------------------|
| Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH                                  | Seminary 100.00        |
| Ahava Baptist Church, Plant City, FL                                   | Seminary 60.00         |
| Bible Baptist Church, Hendersonville, TN                               | Salary 25.00           |
| First Baptist Church, Alexandria, KY                                   | Baptist Seminary 50.00 |
| Grace Baptist Church, Warren, MI                                       | Seminary 50.00         |
| Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, MI                                     | Seminary 31.00         |
| Rosemont Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC                             | Love Gift 100.00       |
| Trinity-Northbrook Baptist Church, Cincinnati, OH, Baptist Theological | 30.00                  |
| Total  | 446.00                 |

#### STANTON FUND

|   |                      |
|---|----------------------|
| Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH             | Building Fund 65.00  |
| Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH             | Peru New Works 65.00 |
| Ashland Avenue Baptist Church, Lexington, KY      | Salary 416.67        |
| Ashland Avenue Baptist Church, Lexington, KY      | Personal 50.00       |
| Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL              | As Needed 200.00     |
| Burroughs, Mr. and Mrs. Charles, Bristol, TN      | Carlos Fund 100.00   |
| Calvary Baptist Church, Crestline, OH             | Salary 95.00         |
| Cooper, Michael and Beverly, Lexington, KY        | Carlos Azena 10.00   |
| Durrum, Anthony & Linda, Winter Springs, FL       | Personal 200.00      |
| Ella Grove Baptist Church, Glennville, GA         | Personal 250.00      |
| Elliott Baptist Church, Elliott, MS               | As Needed 205.93     |
| Emmanuel Baptist Church, Centerville, OH          | Building Fund 50.00  |
| Gilpin Masonary Construction, Inc., Lexington, KY | Personal 50.00       |

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|---|-----------------------|
| Heritage Baptist Church, Lexington, KY              | Personal 500.00       |
| Howe, Bro. and Mrs. C. Raymond, Saint Augustine, FL | Building Fund 150.00  |
| Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, MI                  | 20.00                 |
| Muddy Ford Baptist Church, Georgetown, KY           | Salary 50.00          |
| Ohio Friends  | Relief Fund 50.00     |
| Rocky Springs Baptist Church, Piney Flats, TN       | 25.00                 |
| Rosemont Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC          | Love Gift 100.00      |
| Shawnee Baptist Church, Louisville, KY              | Salary 100.00         |
| Sparks, James and Virginia, Madison, IN             | Chasqui Work 1,000.00 |
| Stanton, Jeff and Martita, Merritt Island, FL       | Personal 25.00        |
| Tabernacle Baptist Church, Mims, FL                 | Salary 50.00          |
| W. K. J., Lehigh Acres, FL                          | Personal 50.00        |
| Total   | 3,877.60              |

#### WACASER FUND

|   |                  |
|---|------------------|
| Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH             | Salary 65.00     |
| Calvary Baptist Church, Piqua, OH                 | Salary 35.00     |
| Fellowship Baptist Church, Brinson, GA            | Salary 50.00     |
| Friendship Baptist Church, Bristol, VA            | Salary 25.00     |
| Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, MI (From SS Kids) | 24.00            |
| Mount Calvary Baptist Church, Charleston, WV      | Salary 100.00    |
| Rosemont Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC        | Love Gift 100.00 |
| Total   | 399.00           |

#### MISCELLANEOUS

|                                     |                           |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| I-20 Baptist Church, Darlington, SC | Administrative Costs 6.00 |
| Total                               | 6.00                      |

#### HOME MISSIONS

|   |                            |
|---|----------------------------|
| Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL          | Reinhardt 53.00            |
| Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL          | Building 90.00             |
| Faith Baptist Church, Versailles, KY          | Reinhardt 50.00            |
| Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, MI            | Reinhardt 98.72            |
| New Hope Baptist Church, Dearborn Heights, MI | Reinhardt 184.00           |
| Norris, William, Richmond, KY                 | Reinhardt 40.00            |
| Richland Baptist Church, Livermore, KY        | Reinhardt 75.00            |
| Rosemont Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC    | Reinhardt 100.00           |
| Rosemont Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC    | Love Gift Reinhardt 100.00 |
| Total   | 790.72                     |

#### IN MEMORIAM FUND

|   |                          |
|---|--------------------------|
| Jones, Bob and Sue, Harrison, TN                | Grace Young Lee 450.00   |
| Matthews Memorial Baptist Church, Stevenson, AL | George Bean 50.00        |
| Overbey, Dale & Doris, Van Buren, AR            | Bro. R. P. Hallum 125.00 |
| Total   | 625.00                   |

#### MIKE ANDERSON FUND

|   |                        |
|---|------------------------|
| Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH               | Salary 65.00           |
| Bible Baptist Church, Durham, NC                    | 85.00                  |
| Bush, Dale and Pam, Culloden, WV                    | Salary 20.00           |
| Calvary Baptist Church, Hurricane, WV               | Special Project 100.00 |
| Calvary Baptist Church, Hurricane, WV (Youth Group) | 20.00                  |
| Campbell, Julie, Pelion, SC                         | As Needed 50.00        |
| Elizabeth Baptist Church, Bancroft, WV              | Personal 141.00        |
| Fairview Baptist Church, Letart, WV                 | Salary 100.00          |
| Faith Baptist Church, St. Albans, WV                | 50.00                  |
| Fellowship Baptist Church, Vienna, WV               | 55.00                  |
| Friendship Baptist Church, Bristol, VA              | Salary 25.00           |
| Grace Baptist Church, Surgoinsville, TN             | Salary 50.00           |
| Heritage Baptist Church, Lexington, KY              | Personal 50.00         |
| I-20 Baptist Church, Darlington, SC                 | 35.00                  |
| Lehmkuhl, Louise, Scott Depot, WV                   | Personal 25.00         |
| Matheny, Charles & Betty, New Port Richey, FL       | per expense 40.00      |
| Mount Calvary Baptist Church, Chaleston, WV         | Salary 100.00          |
| Mount Hope Baptist Church, Chesapeake, OH           | Salary 60.00           |
| Pack, Joe L., South Charleston, WV                  | Salary 10.00           |
| Rawley, Philip and Sarah, Mesquite, TX              | Salary 300.00          |
| Rocky Springs Baptist Church, Piney Flats, TN       | 50.00                  |
| Rocky Springs Baptist Church, Piney Flats, TN       | Special Off. 40.00     |
| Rosemont Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC          | Love Gift 100.00       |
| South Carolina Friend                               | As Needed 75.00        |
| Stalnaker, Audra, Normantown, WV                    | Personal 100.00        |
| Wade, Dr. & Mrs. James, Abingdon, VA                | Personal 100.00        |
| Winfield Baptist Church, Winfield, WV               | 100.00                 |
| Total   | 1,946.00               |

#### BOBBY CREIGLOW

|  |                  |
|--|------------------|
| Rosemont Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC | Love Gift 100.00 |
| Tenney, James and Patsy, Ocoee, FL         | Salary 25.00     |
| Total                                      | 125.00           |

#### JOHN M. HATCHER FUND

|  |                     |
|--|---------------------|
| Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH        | Support 65.00       |
| Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, IN      | Personal 796.97     |
| First Baptist Church, Grayson, KY            | Personal 25.00      |
| Grace Baptist Church, Coffeen, IL            | Where Needed 107.96 |
| Illinois Friends                             | As Needed 1,500.00  |
| King, Pastor Doug & Ramona, Arcadia, FL      | 20.00               |
| Mount Calvary Baptist Church, Charleston, WV | Salary 100.00       |
| Mundy, Mr. & Mrs. Billie, Godfrey, IL        | Salary 15.00        |
| Rosemont Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC   | Love Gift 100.00    |
| Total  | 2,729.93            |

TOTAL - ALL FUNDS 48,442.65

## WHERE TO SEND OFFERINGS

Make all checks payable to:  
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## DON'T FORGET THE WORK HORSE FUND

This is the General Fund  
Out of it comes the missionaries' salaries, expenses,  
travel, medical, cars, etc. It has not kept  
pace with rising costs. It needs to increase  
so that our missionaries might have what  
they need.



Please consider increasing your offerings.



## Brother Creiglow's Report . . .



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Dear Brethren:

June 2, 2001

Although it has been a busy month, it doesn't seem like we have much to show for it. Our travels have been few, but will try to share with all of you just where we have been and what we have been doing.

Betty was invited to speak to the ladies of the Immanuel Baptist Church of Centerville, Ohio where Brother Darrell Messer is Pastor. This was for their Mother's day celebration and she spoke on the subject of, "The Mission Field from a Woman's Point of View." On Sunday morning I preached, and that night we heard a great message from Brother Messer.

One evening I received a call from the clerk of Charity Baptist, Mrs. Joyce Ratliff, saying the church was interested in supporting a good mission work and wondered if I could visit them to present the work of Baptist Faith Missions, and of course that was music to my ears. This church is in Wilsie, West Virginia. I had met their pastor, Brother George Rose, about a year ago and we had a great time of fellowship. We thank them for having us.

For some time I have been communicating with a prospective missionary, Brother Dallas Eaton of Glasgow, Kentucky, who wanted to sit down with us to talk about missions, so the meeting was set for Saturday and Sunday, May 26 and 27. On Saturday morning Betty arose not feeling well, but thinking she would be better as the day progressed. We started on our way. When we were about half way to our destination she was feeling worse, so I called Brother Eaton that we would have to return home and would get back with him to reschedule our meeting. We want to apologize to Brother Eaton and his family.

By Monday afternoon Betty was about over the virus, so we traveled to Harrisburg, Illinois where we spent several days with Brother Art Donkey and the Bible Baptist Church. After preaching for them on Wednesday night, we traveled, on Thursday, to spend the rest of the week with Glenn and Judy Archer and the Richland Baptist Church in Livermore, Kentucky.

We thank all these churches and brethren for having us, and for their manifested love toward us.

In His Name, Bobby D. Creiglow

## Praying For Others . . . Home Bible Study . . .



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Dear Brothers and Sisters,

June 3, 2001

We thank the Lord for each of you who are with us in the ministry through prayer and financial support. Something that helps us greatly is meeting in prayer with other believers. Each day we pray together for our neighbors who need Christ, believers here who need encouraging and many of you whom we know personally. On Thursdays we meet with two other missionaries to pray. May we encourage you to consider doing the same with another believer or two. God has answered our prayers in many ways.

The Bible study in the gospel of John that we began last month is going well. We have gained another participant since we wrote the last Mission Sheet letter. She is a lady that we met in a store. Those who come are increasingly more open; and it is obvious that the Lord is working in their hearts. Yesterday, we read and discussed the first 21 verses of the third chapter of John.

We received an email from Isabelle, our former neighbor who now lives in Paris. She expressed what a help our last conversation with her had been. She suggested that we might be able to help another neighbor who is going through some difficult emotional times.

Tomorrow is a national holiday in France. The holiday is Pentecost! Several of the ten annual holidays are religious in nature. This seems strange for a country that seeks so strongly to enforce separation of church and state and where only 3% of the population are religiously active. But, this is one of the things that make people here hard to reach for Christ. In their mind, they have tried Christianity and it hasn't worked. Our hope is not in the ease of reaching people but in God who is at work in and around us. He can give them a hunger and thirst for righteousness.

Since our last letter, Lydia has arrived to spend the summer with us. We are looking forward to a visit from Mike and Pam Anderson on their way back to the U.S. for furlough.

May you see God at work every day around you. Pray for us and for the spread of the Gospel in France.

In France for Christ, John and Judy



Group meeting in John and Judy's home for Bible Study.

## HATCHER

(From Page Two)

She shook her head once more in the affirmative. Then I said, "Let's bow our heads and thank God for saving you." We put our heads together and I prayed.

The toothache? It wasn't there anymore. In about one minute Barbara was with her friends playing, laughing and eating cake. When she and her mother came to say goodnight, Barbara hugged me with the thrill of a newborn sister in Christ. What a joy to see children come to Jesus.

Barbara is almost nine. That is the age I was when one Sunday morning the pastor spread his arms and told of Jesus' love as He died for us on the cross. I had the same pain that Barbara felt. I got up and ran to where Dad was seated and put my head in his lap. I was crying, and he thought I had the stomachache. It was the ache of a broken heart. I trusted Jesus and joy has been mine ever since.

## Report From Churches and Missions . . . God At Work In Peru . . .



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Dear Friends,

May 31, 2001

Anita and I realize that our friends and family back in the United States are gearing up for summer. It is always a bit strange to us how the seasons vary from the northern hemisphere to the southern hemisphere.

Down here, the capital city of Lima is beginning its winter months. Did you realize that the schools let out for summer school down here just before Christmas and then start up again the middle of March? Funny world we live in, isn't it? The next time it gets too cold for you in the States you can come down here for a visit and enjoy the summer time, Peruvian style! Anita and I would love to have you.

The work here in Huanuco is going very well. We are seeing growth both spiritually and numerically. Our Lord is working in strange and wonderful ways here, and we deem it a real privilege and opportunity to be a part of His work. The first floor of the new Sunday School building was completed yesterday (all except painting). The lights are installed and the bathrooms are functioning. We will be tearing down the old adobe mud structure next week. We'll be waiting for about a month to continue on with the second floor due to shortage of building funds. The Lord always provides. The Zion Baptist church here in Huanuco is also going into a large building project in a few weeks. They've borrowed the



Anita Stanton with some of the children they minister to.

money from the bank and got a very reasonable interest rate. Remember them in your prayers please. The Quinta Baptist Church is holding its own. They are still looking to buy some property and have a place of their own. The pastors and many members of these churches study in my Monday night Bible class. We have real good fellowship among our churches.

The mission in Huariaca with Brother Teofilo Prudencio is also experiencing growth. This is a mission out of our church here in Huanuco. Also our new mission in Chasqui is going very well. Construction is under way in Chasqui due to some funds received from the Hardman Fork Baptist Church in West Virginia. A hearty thanks to those dear folks. We'll keep you posted as the work advances. Our oldest mission work in Challana is holding its own. They need our prayers. Seems this work can never agree on a preacher or who will be in charge of the services. I try to let the missions run as independently as possible, so they can gain experience and be ready for the day of their organization. But sometimes when a work shows its immaturity it's necessary to intervene. Pray for Challana.

The work in Hualar in the North of Lima is doing very well. Pastor Carlos Gonzales informed me this morning that he has four more to baptize this month. This is where we have another building project going on. We have the walls, columns and tie beams all in place but now we are ready to pour the roof. This is going to cost us about \$1800.00. The folks there do a lot of the work themselves but need help with the materials and some of the technical labor. Any extra help you can give for this work will be greatly appreciated. As an added note for prayer: please be praying about a new work in another city called Barranca. The son-in-law of Brother Gonzales is a young preacher named Alberto Flamirez and he has expressed the desire to start a work in this city. Barranca is about three hours farther north of Hualar on the Pan American highway. Realistically we are looking at about one year before we would be ready to start something there but we ask you to be praying about it.

Anita and I really enjoyed the visit from my parents, Ralph and Virginia Stanton, a few weeks ago. They came down and stayed for about two weeks. It was a real treat for us to have them.

Thanks again for all of you that pray for us regularly and continue to support us. The Lord is working in Peru, and He is using you dear friends to help keep it going. Thanks for listening to HIM and giving. Come down and see for yourselves what the Lord is doing. We would love to have you. Until next month.

Serving Jesus in Peru, Sheridan and Anita Stanton

On the first of May, the Galia Baptist Church celebrated its 25th anniversary. People came from many places. Some walked, others came in cars and rented busses. It was a lovely occasion. There were over 350 persons present for the all day occasion.

Last month, I met a fifteen-year-old boy. His name is Alex. His mother and father are separated, and he has lived with his mother in the city of Sao Paulo. Due to bad influences, his father brought him to live here. "Unhappy" is too weak to describe his situation. The second time I came in contact with Alex I used my visual to explain how Jesus loved us and died for us. He listened attentively and declared he was trusting Jesus as his Savior. Alex helps at the gas station where his father is part owner. Each time I buy gas there I try to encourage him. After two weeks, he confided that he has never spoken one word to his father since living here with him. Unbelievable! I told him he needed to change this and that God would help if he would ask Him. Last week I stopped at the station and we talked again. I asked, "Alex, how's it going?"

"Great," he replied.

"Have you talked to your father?"

"Yes, everything is okay now."

It sounded too good to be true. But it was. What a change Jesus can make in our lives and the lives of others.

Joyfully yours because of what Christ can do for Barbaras and Alexes,

John and Alta Hatcher

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