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## Please Continue To Pray For Us ... Annex Prison Ministry Going Well ...



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Dear praying friends, December 6, 2011

Another month has come and passed so quickly and we are now at the end of the year 2011. It is hard to believe that another year has come and gone so fast and that we are now at the end of this current year. How we need to maximize the opportunities that the Lord provides for us to serve Him in ministry and serve Him while we can. This update will share current ministries as well as prayer requests.

Please continue to pray for us during this time of year. It is not easy to be separated from friends and family during this time of year, and we would appreciate your prayers at this time. We are very blessed with what we have here as far as communication, but it is still difficult to be separated from friends, family, and culture at this time. The Lord provides grace and strength and we thank Him for that. He is so faithful.

Please continue to pray for my wife as well as she continues in the hospital ministry. She enjoys this ministry so much and has been used of the Lord to reach many there. We appreciate so much anyone who sends

supplies, prays for this ministry, or sends sacrificial financial support. Many have been reached through this ministry as there are both abandoned babies and other children who face many difficulties and challenges. We appreciate each one who has shown interest in this ministry and we thank God for you.

The Annex prison ministry is continuing to go well. We are presently in the Firm Foundations Course - From Creation to Christ. The men seem to be really enjoying the teachings and their studies. The Word of God is powerful and effective to change hearts and lives. I love the verse Hebrews 4:12, which states: *"For the word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any twoedged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart."* Please keep this ministry in your prayers.

Please pray for myself and my friend Roger Tate as we have been making many contacts in the area for where to begin a church planting ministry. We have been praying about this and contacting many, and are waiting on the Lord, praying for wisdom, and trusting Him, even for where to begin the ministry. There are many challenges to ministry here and we thank the Lord that He is with us and will lead and guide us. What a blessing it is to know that the Lord will take care of us as we serve Him. Proverbs 29:25 states this: *"The fear of man bringeth a snare: but whoso putteth his trust in the LORD shall be safe."* Please continue to pray for us for guidance, wisdom, and leading from the Lord as we serve Him here in church planting. What a joy it is to serve the Lord.

We appreciate each of you so much for your interest in the Lord's work in Kenya. We could not do it without you and we wish each of you a wonderful year 2012. We will keep you updated. God's blessing to each of you during this holiday season.

In Kenya,  
Nathan and Carrie Radford

## \$50,000.00 MONTHLY GENERAL FUND GOAL

Please continue to concentrate your giving to the General Fund which supplies the monthly commitments we have made to our missionaries. Without sufficient General Fund offerings, the base support for our missionaries' essential needs is deficient.

## 2012 BFM WINTER CONFERENCE JANUARY 15-18

THEME: "...the Lord has called us for to preach the Gospel unto them" Acts 16.10

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## 2011-12 THANKSGIVING OFFERING GOAL: \$100,000.00

## Excited About Opportunities ... First Time Guest From United States ...



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Dear Brothers and Sisters, Dec. 9, 2011

This month got off to a great start. Just a couple days after I wrote the last letter we had a youth meeting. It was the best one that we have had. There were seventeen young people from middle school age to early high school in attendance. None of these have made a profession of faith and eight of them were here for the first time. Young people who were able to hear the gospel.

We are really excited about the openings the Lord has given us with this age group. Since we started having these meetings at the beginning of the last school year, we have had nearly thirty different attendees. Only one of these is saved and baptized. Previous to last year we had not succeeded in reaching this age group, but we were concerned for them and prayed for the Lord to bring it about. We had no idea how God would work. Then, a family moved into our area who had three girls in this age group. The parents are both saved though they grew up in families which were not Christian. This couple is very interested in their children being saved. When we suggested having meetings for young people they began recruiting among their friends.

Nathalie, another lady in the church, got excited about it. Her boys, who had come as children to Sunday School here, no longer came. Nathalie's husband left her

and remarried and this has complicated the rearing of her children. Her boys came to the first meeting and have not missed any since then. There are now three boys from this family who come and they always bring some of their friends. Some of these friends have become regular attenders and gradually we have met their parents. Though the parents are not believers they are appreciative of what we do for their children.

The Lord has kept adding others. This past Saturday we had some who are children of people with whom I sing in the community choir. These two sets of parents from the choir have never come to anything here, but we have talked to them about Christ and they were glad for their children to come. One of these teenagers brought her friend. She wants to bring her back to a regular church service. This girl's parents show no interest in religion or spiritual matters.

We also had children from the English Bible club that Judy and Wendy have been leading for a couple years. Another girl who came is a teenager who has taken piano lessons with Amanda. Isn't it great how God puts wonderful things together using several people as we just seek to serve others for Jesus sake. And, don't forget your involvement. You are used by God to enable us to be here! Please pray with us for God to bring others and to work in their heart.

We had one first time guest not included in the seventeen and who is not a teenager. Kiara Wessling recently graduated from the University of Kentucky and is here in France as a High School English assistant teacher. Friends of hers and ours from Heritage Baptist Church put us in contact with each other. She is in Gueret, the capital of Limousin, one of the twenty-two regions of France. There is no church there except the Catholic Church. The nearest one is an hour away by car if she had one. Kiara finds herself in a spiritual desert and came to our home and church to find fellowship and encouragement. We really enjoyed having her with us. Pray for her during her tenure at Gueret.

We have had good regular meetings this month and are greatly encouraged by the spiritual growth, discernment and witnessing of those who make up the body of believers here. I realize my letter is getting long, so I will stop and write more next year!!!

May God bless you and use you as a light where you live and work.

Your partners in France for Christ,  
John and Judy Hatcher



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## Medical Checkups Went Very Well... Thankful For Your Support...



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Dear friends and family, December 8, 2011

Anita and I hope that everyone had a great Thanksgiving and we wish you all a very merry Christmas and a Happy New Year! We spent Thanksgiving day driving over the Andes Mountains returning home to Huanuco from the capital city of Lima. We are always thankful to get home safely. While in Lima, I preached four nights during the 21<sup>st</sup> Anniversary Celebration for the Jordan Baptist Church in Pinonate, Lima. All services were well attended and many decisions made to follow the Lord. It does not seem like twenty-one years has gone by since we started this work with our dear brother, pastor Jorge Dianderas. God has certainly been good to us and this work over the years.

It is considered a great honor here in Peru when someone names his or her newborn baby after you. The picture below is of me with the first child named after me here in Peru many years ago. The young man on the right is named Sheridan Danilo Vasquez, and his father on the left is Epifanio, a policeman. Danilo finished his schooling and now works as a



restaurant chef. He and his family have been faithful members at Jordan Baptist since its inception. I have about four "namesakes" in this country; Danilo was the first. Anita has one little girl named after her and Danilo's little sister is named after our daughter, Leah.

While in Lima, we also had our medical check-ups (lab work, doctor visits, etc.) and everything looks good for the both of us. Besides the fact that we are getting older, that Anita has had cancer, and I have had mini strokes - we are in good health! We thank all of you for your love and prayers for us and the Lord's work here in

Peru. To have you as our friends and supporters is truly a blessing.

Those all night bus trips over the Andes Mountains seem to get harder and longer the older I get. Even so, last week I returned to Lima for two days in order to participate in the ordination service of Pastor Severino Bruno. This servant of God



has been working in Lima with our good friends, Missionaries Rodney and Rebecca Spears. They started the New Testament Baptist Mission several years ago and have now organized the mission into an Independent Baptist Church, with Brother Severino as the pastor. I was asked to preach the charge to Severino at his ordination. It was a good time and great blessing to have been a part.

This past Sunday a young woman here in Huanuco wanted to talk with Anita and me after church service. A few years ago, she made a profession of faith in Christ Jesus as her Lord and Savior but is now convinced that she did not know what she was doing before and is now genuinely trusting in Christ. In the course of counseling with her about this decision, we discovered a cousin had raped her when she was only seven years old. Shocking I know, but this is very common in this part of the world. Probably half or more of the women in our churches have similar stories. In the Bible, the Apostle Paul wrote to the Romans these words: "...But where sin abounded, grace did much more abound" - Romans 5:20. This young woman has learned to forgive and love her Savior deeply by God's grace. So many of the dear Saints of God we work with here in Peru, are truly trophies of God's amazing grace! Anita and I thank you all for listening to God's guidance in your lives concerning your support for the work here. By your prayers and support, we are able to continue on the work that HE has called us to do here in Peru. It is God's work in which we are all privileged to be able to participate. Thanks again and may God continue to bless you all as you remain faithful to HIM.

In HIM by HIS grace,  
Sheridan and Anita Stanton

## Group From Paris, Kentucky A Blessing... Please Remember Us In Your Prayers...



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Friends and family, December 9, 2011

As I start this letter I am thinking of the wonderful season. In this busy time I want to take time out and wish everyone of you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Sometimes we get so caught up in the hustle and bustle that we forget the "reason for the season."

Let me ask you to forgive us for not having written a letter last month; the month just got away from us and we looked up and we had passed the time to send in our letter. I know that you will forgive us as you all get that busy at times also. In these two months we have had a great group from Paris, Kentucky. While they were here we did a backyard Bible school at one of the forgotten schools here in Caraguatatuba. What I mean by this is that the school is "up a holler" and is a two room school. The school is so little that even the education system here ignores it. When the perks for the schools are given out if there is anything left over it is given to this school. So with this in mind we set about to make this little school feel special. The school needed a lot of repair and things for the students so we began with ordering a BIG load of sand for the sand box they were trying to fill for the kids to play in. Then we saw that they had a little cement play house for the kids to play in, but all the toys were so dirty that here in the States we would have thrown them away. The reason that the toys were so dirty was that the space between the doll house and the school was dirt and when it rains it is just a mud puddle. So we decided to pave the area between the house and the school. But to make it special we asked the children to pick out a paver and design and sign it. Then we let them place it in on the ground and the Americans pounded them in and placed the sand around them to keep them in place. You cannot imagine the happiness that showed on those children's faces with just this small act of interest in them and their school. But that was not all we were going to do. We divided the people and half worked with the children in the backyard Bible school and half got working on painting the fence around the school. This did not happen in one day, but we worked for three days and everyone fell in love with the children. Everyone that passed in front of the school wanted to know how the principal got those Americans to come to her school. She said that she would be telling everyone at the education department about the Americans that thought of her school first and did so much for her kids. This principal who was somewhat reluctant about letting us come to her school when we first approached her was now our friend forever. The months of planning and the help of several friends everything went wonderfully well. Some children that did not know who Jesus was had heard the gospel and adults had seen the love of God through the love of some willing Americans who left their comfort zone and came to Caraguatatuba to be used of

God. After we finished this work we proceeded to the church and some projects there. The men built some benches and shelves. As the women painted and worked on the nursery the men went to work at the Vocational School. There they did tile work and carpentry work. As you can see we let our visitors have lots of down time to rest and relax when they come to visit with us here (NOT)! Thanks Central Baptist Church and Pastor from Paris for your love for us here in Caraguatatuba.

As this group was leaving we were getting geared up to host our first Pastor's Conference here at Igreja Batista Novo Tempo in Caraguatatuba. We had one week to finish the planning stages of this before the pastors began to pour in. Our attendance was one hundred and four total. This was pastors, wives, and children. Yes we had something for all. As the Pastors were getting their batteries recharged, the wives also were getting some recharging and the children were enjoying the beach and some free time away from school. Our members pitched in and helped in all areas and we had a wonderful conference. The theme for the conference was "Rescuing our passion for service." Pastor Mike Dorrough and Pastor Jim Perdue of Warner Robins Georgia led the conference and their sermons spoke to the hearts of the Pastors. This conference has been in the planning for over a year and much prayer was put into every aspect of it. This showed in the outcome. We had several pastors that told us that they were at the point of giving up and now they could go back to their churches with that passion to serve that they lacked before. We also had one deacon that surrendered to the gospel ministry. Also we had a family that committed to coming to work at the orphanage that is just waiting to open. The women had some great studies and many of those pastors wives went back home renewed also. Thanks Second Baptist Church of Warner Robins for sponsoring this conference and sending the people to bring the message. To all of you who helped with the goodies that were given and most of all those of you who prayed for the conference we send a great big THANK YOU.

With everything that has been accomplished this year, construction work on our rented church building, three Bible Schools Ladies retreat, Pastors Conference, baptisms and lots of discipleship we want to give all the glory and praise to God.

We are asking you to continue to remember us in your prayers as we work for the Kingdom here in Caraguatatuba, Brazil. We are here in the States until the end of March and would love to come to see you if it is possible. Please contact us.

The Lord has blessed so much this year but as you know there are always needs to continue the work. As we were leaving Brazil we were waiting to get the van out of the mechanic shop. Our greatest need is a bus to take the burden off the van. We are running it sometimes three times for each service and you know what that is doing to the body and motor. We also need speakers for the church and welders for the Vocational School. The list is never ending, but these are the three most important.

As always we welcome you to come see what your missions dollars are doing here in Caraguatatuba. The bed will be turned down and a mint on the pillow when we get back there in April.

In His service,  
A. J. and Barbara Hensley

## PERSONAL NOTE OF APPEAL

### From Giving Friends Who Wish To Remain Anonymous

To All Churches & BFM Contributors:

The Lord has laid this burden on our heart. We appreciate all the support the churches and individuals do for the missions. But we are asking each church and individual to go \$1.00 farther—that is—on a weekly basis add this \$1.00 more to your mission contribution. If a church with fifty members would do this, it would mean \$200.00 more per month and \$2,400.00 more per year.

Imagine what this would mean to the General Fund if sixty, seventy, eighty or one hundred members added the extra \$1.00 each week: **OUR GENERAL FUND COULD GROW BY \$120,000!**

Please pray and try to meet this goal over what you now contribute. If we each sacrifice something small, then God can do something mighty.



## Attend Thanksgiving Conference ... Beverly Recovering From Surgeries ...



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Dear Brethren, December 8, 2011

A few days ago Dad and I went to the Thanksgiving Conference together. Thanks to New Hope Baptist Church for the great job and hospitality. It was good to see many friends who I had not seen for many years. Thanks to Pastors Adkins and Messer who gave me the opportunity to present the work being done in Cruzeiro do Sul, Brazil.

During the conference Pastor Walter Jones gave me an extraordinary and meaningful gift. Walter is pastor of Warren Missionary Baptist Church. He is also H. H. Overbey's grandson. As most of you know, Pastor Overbey was one of Baptist Faith Missions. Walter Jones inherited sermon notes and other documents from his granddad. One of those documents was an old map of Brazil from 1943! Walter wanted me to have that map. Wow! What a great gift. Of course, I have several letters and photos of H. H. Overbey, but this map is special. That date is the real clincher. Here's why: Our first missionary was Joseph Franklin Brandon, so given the year on the map, he would have been the person who gave that map to H. H. Overbey. Brother Brandon was also the founder of First

Baptist Church of Cruzeiro do Sul, Acre, Brazil. Guess what? That is where I serve! Thanks Walter. That map is one of the best gifts I have ever received. Check out the photo that I have included.

Beverly has been through two surgeries. Both were successful and she is recovering quickly. Thanks for all of your prayers. Our extra time here in the States was because of her treatments. We were supposed to be here though. That last sentence was stupid, I know, but here's why: Dad had, as his doctor called it, a "spell." The "spell" is called TGA (Transient Global Amnesia). He is fine now, but I was glad I was here. He spent a few days with us. He has recovered completely, but the extra time together was special.

We are planning to return to Brazil on December 12th. There is a lot of work waiting on me so pray. There is another one of those stupid sentences. Sorry.

Please consider the two financial needs I mentioned last month: the renewal of the satellite phone and the purchase of the jet drive for the 25hp motor. The two items cost just over \$2,000.00.

All of you pastors out there please consider a boost in next year's offerings to BFM. Even if it is modest it will come in very handy. Things have been tough for the past several years.

Thanks for all of your prayers and support. God bless you as much as He has us.

In Christ,  
Mike Creiglow



**PLEASE REMEMBER THAT WHEN YOU CONTRIBUTE TO THE GENERAL FUND, YOU ARE HELPING TO SUPPLY THE ESSENTIAL MONTHLY NEEDS FOR TWELVE FAITHFUL MISSIONARY FAMILIES.**

Our monthly GENERAL FUND is used to provide equitably for the standard commitments we have made to the missionaries who are supported through BFM.

## Share Gospel With Several People ... Group Coming To Finish Building In Assai ...



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December 1, 2011

Dear Friends and Fellow Workers,

God has blessed us and given a great month. He has been our peace, our wisdom and our strength. We praise Him. The regular trips and services have been made to the city of Assai. In my last letter I mentioned the builder of the pre-fab part of the new building had finished his part and that the Chapada Baptist Church in Manaus had paid the balance owed of \$2778.00. We thank our Lord for the generosity of that church where our son, David, is pastor. More about their Christian love at the end of this letter.

We have been able to share the Gospel with several this month. One group of eight boys was interesting. I was driving home and these fellows were walking up the middle of the street. Our old car, a 1979 Ford LTD, always catches the eyes of boys. I pulled over close to them and asked, "Are you guys looking for trouble?"

They stopped and asked about the year of the car, where I was from, and half a dozen other things. Then I said, "Could I tell you about what changed my life and why I am in

Brazil?" I pulled out an envelope and took out some visuals I have made to get people's attention. Giving one to each boy I explained how God transformed my life when I heard about Jesus' love when I was nine years old. One kid was wearing a slipover shirt with an emblem of the Merchant Marine. Taking advantage of this I told them how I had been in the Merchant Marines during WWII. We had a great time and I was able to share how Jesus died for us, was buried, and rose from the dead according to the Bible.

The seed was sown. Pray with me that God will bless it and show these wonderful kids how they need to trust Jesus and be saved.

**GOODNEWS ABOUT THE ASSAI BUILDING:** In the month of January a group of men from the Chapada Church are coming to Assai to finish the building. Praise the Lord. We praise the Lord for the generosity of this church.

We are also thankful that about fifteen churches have been established and fourteen men ordained to the ministry this month at the Tabernacle Baptist Church in Manaus where Paul is pastor. We praise God how he has used our family through the years. He is opening doors in France in special ways. In Garca, He is blessing Odali and Kathy in their new church plant. The work of Lynn, our daughter, (now in Heaven), and Ross, her husband, with deficient children, under the name of STONE SOUP, continues to grow and bless families.

Sincerely in His Name,  
John and Alta Hatcher

## WILL YOU GIVE AT LEAST \$1.00 A DAY FOR WORLDWIDE MISSIONS?

I know that many of you are giving much more than that - but if you are not giving a personal offering each month to our GENERAL FUND to help maintain our missionaries' essential needs, will you ask the

Lord to supply you with a regular monthly offering of \$30 to our GENERAL FUND? Together we can provide them with the funds by which they can continue their daily ministries.

## PRAY FOR YOUR MISSIONARIES...

### IN BRAZIL:

John and Alta Hatcher  
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Sheridan and Anita Stanton

### IN KENYA:

Nathan and Carrie Radford  
Roger and Julie Tate

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John M. and Judy Hatcher

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for a specific missionary or project, it should be so designated. **THE GREATEST NEED WE HAVE EACH MONTH IS FOR THE GENERAL FUND TO PROVIDE THE ESSENTIAL COMMITMENTS WE HAVE MADE TO MAINTAIN OUR MISSIONARIES' MINISTRIES.**

Contributions may also be transacted electronically via check or credit card on our website: [www.baptistfaithmissions.org/](http://www.baptistfaithmissions.org/) 'Donate/Support' page.

Baptist Faith Missions

NOV. 2011 OFFERINGS

GENERAL FUND

Addyston Baptist Church	
Addyston, OH.....	100
Ahava Baptist Church, Plant City, FL.....	100
Aldridge, Randy & Melody, Morton, IL	
(Giving Friends).....	80
Alexander, Denzel & Weda, Melbourne, FL	
(Giving Friends).....	50
Anonymous.....	500
Anonymous.....	100
Baker, David & Leota, Simpsonville, SC	
(Giving Friends).....	35
Beech Grove Baptist Church	
Crab Orchard, KY.....	30
Berean Class (Addyston Baptist Church)	
Addyston, OH.....	50
Berean Baptist Church, Hiddenite, NC.....	425
Berry Baptist Church, Berry, KY.....	400
Beverly, June, South Charleston, WV	
(Giving Friend).....	100
Bible Baptist Church, Clarksville, TN.....	475
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL.....	901
Bible Baptist Church, Portage, IN.....	160
Bluegrass Baptist Church, Lexington, KY.....	25
Bohon Road Baptist Church	
Harrodsburg, KY.....	350
Breeden, Geoffery & Emily, Irvine, KY	
(Giving Friends).....	20
Buffalo Baptist Church, Buffalo, WV.....	100
Calvary Baptist Church	
Richmond, KY.....	2,235.12
Calvary Baptist Church	
Uniontown, KY.....	779.40
Casada, Mark & Sheryl, Manhattan, KS	
(Giving Friends).....	50
Cedar Creek Baptist Church	
Cedarville, WV.....	100
Crooked Fork Baptist Church	
Gassaway, WV.....	70
East Keys Baptist Church, Springfield, IL.....	660
Elgin Baptist Church, Rogersville, AL.....	522.89
Emmanuel Baptist Church	
Evansville, IN.....	230.14
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Irvine, KY.....	200
Faith Baptist Church, Kirksville, MO.....	539
Faith Baptist Church, Versailles, KY.....	500
Faith Missionary Baptist Church	
Leighton, AL.....	200
First Baptist Church, Science Hill, KY.....	75
Giving Friends.....	950
Goldfloss Baptist Church	
Winston-Salem, NC.....	25
Grace Baptist Church, Beattyville, KY.....	50
Grace Bible Mission, Crystal Springs, MS.....	100
Grimes, Melvin & Margaret, Evans, WV	
(Giving Friends).....	105
Hardman Fork Baptist Church	
Normantown, WV.....	3,000.00
Hatcher, John & Alta, Urai, Brasil	
(Giving Friends).....	30.00
Heritage Baptist Church	
Lexington, KY.....	1,210.00
Immanuel Baptist Church	
Riverview, MI.....	500.00
Isbell Chapel Baptist Church	
Tuscumbia, AL.....	65.00
Jordan Baptist Church, Sanford, FL.....	300.00
Keen, Victor & Leanore, Chester, NJ	
(Giving Friends).....	300.00
King, Doug & Ramona, Arcadia, FL	
(Giving Friends).....	160.00
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, MI.....	589.00
Lear, Margaret, Lexington, KY	
(Giving Friend).....	45.00
Liberty Missionary Baptist Church	
Spencer, WV.....	100.00

Mansfield Baptist Temple	
Mansfield, OH.....	50.00
Matthews Memorial Church	
Stevenson, AL.....	50.00
Morris, Byron & Alma, Wichita, KS	
(Giving Friends).....	110.00
Mt. Calvary Baptist Church	
Charleston, WV.....	700.00
Mt. Pisgah Missionary Baptist Church	
Grafton, OH.....	500.00
New Hope Missionary Baptist Church	
Dearborn, Heights, MI.....	169.00
Oak Grove Baptist Church	
Normantown, WV.....	100.00
Park Ridge Baptist Church, Gotha, FL.....	407.15
Penick, Julia, Murray, KY	
(Giving Friend).....	60.00
Redding, Warren & Barbara, Atlanta, GA	
(Giving Friends).....	200.00
Rosedale Baptist Church	
Rosedale, WV.....	1,618.00
Sheriff, Richard & Laurie, Clarendon, PA	
(Giving Friends).....	100.00
Sims, James, Rock Hill, SC	
(Giving Friend).....	250.00
Southside Baptist Church	
Winter Haven, FL.....	57.00
Stalnaker, Audra, Normantown, WV	
(Giving Friend).....	300.00
Storms Creek Missionary Baptist Church	
Ironton, OH.....	6,992.84
Texas Giving Friends.....	2,000.00
Thompson Road Baptist Church	
Lexington, KY (Ladies SS Class	
In Memory Of Elliott Gordon).....	60.00
Union Baptist Church	
Russell Springs, KY.....	50.00
Valley View Baptist Church	
Richmond, KY.....	10.00
Virginia Giving Friend.....	415.00
Watkins, Bert & Louise, Richmond, KY	
(Giving Friends).....	60.00
Whaley, Lois, Winston-Salem, NC	
(Giving Friend).....	100.00
West Virginia Friends.....	100
Wood, Neree, Columbia, SC	
(Giving Friend).....	100.00
York, Doris, Princeton, K	
(Giving Friend).....	100.00
Total.....	32,350.54
THANKSGIVING OFFERING	
Berean Baptist Church, Hiddenite, NC.....	1,000.00
Berry Baptist Church, Berry, KY.....	3,559.00
Carver, Louie & Mary, Simpsonville, SC.....	50.00
Elgin Baptist Church, Rogersville, AL.....	1,207.89
Emmanuel Baptist Church	
Bellbrook, OH.....	1,205.00
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, IN.....	62.64
Emmanuel Missionary Baptist Church	
Oldtown, KY.....	1,000.00
Faith Baptist Church, Kirksville, MO.....	1,000.00
First Baptist Church, Lucasville, OH.....	1,000.00
First Baptist Church Of Siloam	
South Shore, KY.....	1,000.00
Friend In Virginia.....	415.00
Hall, Carlton, Taylor, MI.....	5.00
Kirkman, Paul, Fairborn, OH.....	2,000.00
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, MI.....	3,000.00
Liberty Missionary Baptist Church	
Spencer, WV.....	200.00
Park Ridge Baptist Church, Gotha, FL	
(In Memory of Danny Rivera).....	60.00
Park Ridge Baptist Church, Gotha, FL	
(In Memory of Willie Kelley).....	100.00
Park Ridge Baptist Church, Gotha, FL.....	404.35
Rosedale Baptist Church	
Rosedale, WV.....	1,971.20
York, Doris, Princeton, KY.....	500.00
Total.....	19,740.08

IN MEMORIAM

Blake, Stephen & Eva, Lexington, KY	
In Memory of Elliott Gordon.....	100
England, Eva, Shelby Township, MI	
In Memory of Elliott Gordon.....	100
Overbey, Dale & Doris, Van Buren, AR	
In Memory of Z.E. Clark.....	200
Orrick, Jim & Irene, Pewee Valley, KY	
In Memory of Frank James.....	30
Vaughn, Lois, Lexington, KY	
In Memory of Elliott Gordon.....	20
York, Cynthia, Lexington, KY	
In Memory of Fred Hearn.....	50
Total.....	500
BIBLES FOR INDIA (Louis Maple Fund)	
Berean Baptist Church, Scottsville, KY.....	287
Bialy, Gregory & Elaine, Harrison, TN.....	10
Blake, Stephen & Eva, Lexington, KY.....	25
Cornelison, David & Cathy, Richmond, KY.....	25
Daugherty, Warren & Terri, Waco, KY.....	25
Hamilton, Emily, Airway Heights, WA.....	40
Kreger, Mike & Kathy, Pleasant View, TN.....	50
Lane, Mary, Richmond, KY.....	3
Ransom Baptist Church, Berea, KY.....	5
Reese, Patty Lou, Mt. Vernon, KY.....	80
Weitz, Michael & Linda, Cincinnati, OH.....	20
Total.....	570
CAR FUND	
Branson, Daniel & Patricia, Allen, KY.....	25
Total.....	25
H. H. OVERBEY SCHOLARSHIP FUND	
Storms Creek Baptist Church	
Ironton, OH.....	200
Total.....	200
NATHAN RADFORD	
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH	
Carrie Radford.....	25
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH	
Support.....	100
Allbritton, Tommy & Barbara	
Scott Depot, WV, Salary.....	120
Anonymous, Generator.....	500
Anonymous, Support.....	600
Bakker, Jason, Chambersburg, PA, Salary.....	50
Bible Baptist Church, Belva, WV, Support.....	35
Bible Baptist Church, Clarksville, TN	
(Couples For Christ SS Class)	
Christmas Gift.....	100
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL	
As Needed.....	55
Buffalo Baptist Church, Buffalo, WV	
Salary.....	60
Bush, Dale & Pamela, Richmond, KY	
Personal.....	50
Bush, Dale & Pamela, Richmond, KY	
As Needed.....	50
Bush, Dale & Pamela, Richmond, KY	
Salary.....	50
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC	
As Needed.....	77.27
Cullen, Tom & Laura, Letart, WV, Salary.....	50
Danielson, Betty, Titusville, PA, Salary.....	20
Danielson, Rodney & Anne, Piano, TX	
Support.....	75
Elizabeth Baptist Church, Bancroft, WV	
Support.....	200
Fairview Bible Church, Letart, WV	
Salary.....	100
Faith Baptist Church, Wilmington, OH	
Support.....	100
Gaal, Stephen & Martha, Hurricane, WV	
Salary.....	75
God's Lighthouse Church, Cross Lanes, WV	
Salary.....	50
Grace Baptist Church, Lima, OH	
Salary.....	250
Grace Missionary Baptist Church	
Surgoinsville, TN, Salary.....	50

Grace Missionary Baptist Church	
Wyandotte, MI, Thanksgiving Gift.....	250
Grace Missionary Baptist Church	
Wyandotte, MI, Support.....	150
Harper, David, Concord, NC, Support.....	25
Harrah, Tryone & Loretta, Poca, WV	
Salary.....	50
Harris, Ruby, Charleston, WV, As Needed.....	10
Hernandez, Paul & Anne, Youngsville, PA	
Support.....	50
Jackson, Larry, Culloden, WV, Salary.....	100
Jordan Baptist Church, Sanford, FL	
Support.....	200
Kibbey, Bart & Frances, Pittsfield, PA	
Salary.....	150
Kincaid, John & Jane, Scott Depot, WV	
Support.....	50
Leavittsburg Baptist Church, Warren, OH	
Christmas Gift.....	25
Lemkuhl, Louise, Scott Depot, WV, Salary.....	10
Lewis, Lowell & Sue, Milton, WV, Salary.....	35
Lloyd, Billy & Sharon, Letart, WV	
Hospital Fund.....	100
Lloyd, Billy & Sharon, Letart, WV	
Salary.....	200
Lloyd, J.T. & Heather, New Haven, WV	
Support.....	50
Logan, Ronald & Judith, Lexington, KY	
As Needed.....	50
Matheny, Charles & Betty	
New Port Richey, FL, Expenses.....	40
Minturn, Timothy & Jody, Winfield, WV	
Prison Ministry.....	175
Mitchell, Matthew & Holly, Ossian, IN	
Support.....	150
Nizio, James & Victoria, Dearborn, MI	
For Children.....	7
Nizio, James & Victoria, Dearborn, MI	
Salary.....	30
N.S. Community Outreach Ministries of Texas	
Houston, TX, Prison Ministry.....	100
Parker, Steven, Burlington, IA, Salary.....	10
Rawley, Philip & Sarah, Rockwall, TX	
Salary.....	400
Ripley Tabernacle Baptist Church, Ripley, WV	
Support.....	50
Riverside Baptist Church, Stanville, KY	
Salary.....	25
Seventh Street Baptist Church, Cannelton, IN	
Salary.....	100
Smith, Doug & Anna, Hurricane, WV	
Salary.....	30
Rollins, David & Patricia, Hurricane, WV	
Salary.....	50
Sahlberg, William & Janet, Coopersville, MI	
Personal.....	25
Standale Baptist Church, Grand Rapids, MI	
Christmas Gift.....	150
Standale Baptist Church, Grand Rapids, MI	
Support.....	600
Teays Valley Baptist Church, Hurricane, WV	
Support.....	100
Wade, James, Abingdon, VA	
Salary.....	50
Wells, James & Jill, Nitro, WV	
Where Needed.....	25
Wright, Randy & Teresa, Hurricane, WV	
Support.....	138
Total.....	6,602.27
ODALIBARROS	
Adams, W.H. & Arbia, Lexington, KY	
As Needed.....	50
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH	
Support.....	100
Battlecreek Independent Baptist Church	
S. Pittsburg, TN, Support.....	100

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Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL	
As Needed.....	205
Calvary Baptist Church, Richmond, KY	
Alpha & Omega.....	140
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC	
As Needed.....	77.27
Elliott Baptist Church, Elliott, MS	
Support.....	187.4
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, IN	
Alpha & Omega.....	0.28
Heritage Baptist Church, Lexington, KY	
Support.....	15
Liberty Missionary Baptist Church	
Spencer, WV, Alpha & Omega.....	25
Richland Baptist Church, Livermore, KY	
As Needed.....	75
Seventh Street Baptist Church, Cannelton, IN	
Alpha & Omega.....	100
Total.....	1,074.95

**HAROLDBRATCHER**

Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH	
Support.....	100
Ashland Avenue Baptist Church	
Lexington, KY, Support.....	75
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL	
As Needed.....	100
Calvary Baptist Church, Richmond, KY	
Poverty Relief.....	100
Clarksville Baptist Church, Richmond, KY	
Poverty Relief.....	100
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC	
As Needed.....	77.28
Elliott Baptist Church, Elliott, MS	
Support.....	100
Emmanuel Missionary Baptist Church	
Oldtown, KY, Salary.....	100
Grace Baptist Church, Fairborn, OH	
As Needed.....	50
Hillcrest Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC	
Salary.....	100
Total.....	902.28

**MIKECREGLOW**

Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH	
New Work.....	100
Bible Baptist Church, Clarksville, TN, Gas....	60
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL	
As Needed.....	200
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL	
Andrew Creiglow.....	100
Calvary Baptist Church, Richmond, KY	
Andrew Creiglow.....	100
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC	
As Needed.....	77.28
Elliott Baptist Church, Elliott, MS	
Food Pantry.....	187.4
Faith Missionary Baptist Church	
Leighton, AL, Outreach Expense.....	430
Grace Baptist Church, Fairborn, OH	
As Needed.....	50
King, Doug & Ramona, Arcadia, FL	
Andrew Creiglow.....	20
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, MI	
Andrew Creiglow.....	47
Mundy, Bill & Evelyn, Godfrey, IL	
Salary.....	10
Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church, Lexington, KY	
Personal.....	300
Proctor, Evelyn, Clermont, FL, Support.....	50
Seventh Street Baptist Church, Cannelton, IN	
Salary.....	50
Total.....	1,781.68

**JOHNA.HATCHER**

Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH	
Building.....	100
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL	
As Needed.....	100
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC	
As Needed.....	77.28

East Keys Baptist Church, Springfield, IL	
Salary.....	25
Emmanuel Missionary Baptist Church	
Oldtown, KY, Salary.....	100
Friends In Tennessee, Where Needed.....	50
Friendship Baptist Church, Bristol, VA	
Salary.....	50
Grace Baptist Church, Fairborn, OH	
As Needed.....	50
Mundy, Bill & Evelyn, Godfrey, IL	
Salary.....	20
Storms Creek Missionary Baptist Church	
Ironton, OH, Marie.....	300
Wood, Neree, Columbia, SC, As Needed.....	100
Total.....	972.28

**PAULHATCHER**

Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH	
Seminary-Manaus.....	100
Ahava Baptist Church, Plant City, FL	
Seminary-Manaus.....	60
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL	
As Needed.....	100
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC	
Seminary-Manaus.....	77.27
Guthrie, Larry, Athens, GA	
Michael Samples.....	100
Mt. Calvary Baptist Church, Charleston, WV	
Mission Team.....	100
Life Church Of Athens, Athens, GA	
Michael Samples.....	250
Mundy, Bill & Evelyn, Godfrey, IL	
Salary.....	10
Trinity-Northbrook Baptist Church	
Cincinnati, OH, Seminary-Manaus.....	40
Total.....	837.27

**JOHNMARKHATCHER**

Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH	
Support.....	100
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC	
As Needed.....	77.27
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, IN	
Personal.....	500.14
Gerig, Galen & Tamara, Columbus, OH	
Salary.....	50
Grace Baptist Church, Fairborn, OH	
As Needed.....	50
King, Doug & Ramona, Arcadia, FL	
As Needed.....	20
Mt. Calvary Baptist Church, Charleston, WV	
Salary.....	100
Mundy, Bll & Evelyn, Godfrey, IL	
Salary.....	35
Richland Baptist Church, Livermore, KY.	
As Needed.....	75
Webb, Norma, Newburgh, IN	
Salary.....	60
Total.....	1,067.41

**AL.HENSLEY**

Ashland Avenue Baptist Church	
Lexington, KY, Support.....	166.67
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL	
As Needed.....	50
Calvary Baptist Church, Shreveport, LA	
Support.....	150
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC	
As Needed.....	77.27
Elliott Baptist Church, Elliot, MS	
Support.....	187.4
Plug, Billie & Sorta, Chesapeake, VA	
Bus.....	200
Heritage Baptist Church, Lexington, KY.	
Support.....	15
Immanuel Baptist Church, Monticello, KY	
School.....	60
Joiner, Charles & Kandace, Bonaire, GA	
School.....	50

Lear, Margaret, Lexington, KY, Personal.....	25
Logan, Ronald & Judith, Lexington, KY	
As Needed.....	50
Mt. Eden Baptist Church, Hawesville, KY	
School.....	150
Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church, Lexington, KY	
Personal.....	300
Poe, Dane & Connie, Lexington, KY	
New Work.....	50
Second Baptist Church, Warner Robins, GA	
Support.....	59.7
Suburban Christian Church	
Virginia Beach, VA, Special Projects.....	325
Thompson, Paul & Virginia, Winchester, KY	
Feed The children.....	100
Total.....	2,016.04

**SHERIDANSTANTON**

Adams, W.H. & Arbia, Lexington, KY	
As Needed.....	50
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH	
Building.....	70
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH	
New Work.....	70
Ashland Avenue Baptist Church	
Lexington, KY, As Needed.....	100
Ashland Avenue Baptist Church	
Lexington, KY., Support.....	125
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL	
As Needed.....	200
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC	
As Needed.....	77.27
Elliott Baptist Church, Elliott, MS	
Personal.....	187.4
Emmanuel Missionary Baptist Church	
Oldtown, KY, Salary.....	100
Grace Baptist Church, Fairborn, OH	
As Needed.....	50
Grace Baptist Church, Oneco, FL	
Building.....	150
Grace Missionary Baptist Church	
Wyandotte, MI, Support.....	150
Grace Missionary Baptist Church	
Wyandotte, MI	
Thanksgiving Gift.....	250
Jordan Baptist Church, Sanford, FL	
Travel.....	100
Kentucky Friends, Personal.....	50
Logan, Ronald & Judith, Lexington, KY	
As Needed.....	50
Mt. Calvary Baptist Church, Belleville, MI	
Support.....	100
Old Mount Zion Church, Wayne City, IL	
New Work.....	200
Restoration Church, Dickson, TN	
As Needed.....	150
Richland Baptist Church, Livermore, KY.	
As Needed.....	100
Rye Patch Baptist Church, Ludowici, GA	
Salary.....	200
Shawnee Baptist Church, Louisville, KY	
Support.....	50
Tapestry Class (Heritage Baptist Church)	
Lexington, KY, Anita Stanton.....	130
Victory Baptist Church, New Salisbury, IN	
Support.....	50
Total.....	2,759.67

**BOBBYWACASER**

Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH	
Support.....	100
Bell Shoals Baptist Church, Brandon, FL	
Support.....	300
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL	
As Needed.....	250
Calvary Baptist Church Piqua, OH	
Salary.....	50

Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC	
As Needed.....	77.27
Fellowship Baptist Church, Brinson, GA	
Support.....	50
Flores, Esther, Valrico, FL	
ProjectoVida.....	25
Friendship Baptist Church, Bristol, VA	
Salary.....	50
Lear, Margaret, Lexington, KY	
As Needed.....	25
Mt. Calvary Baptist Church, Charleston, WV	
Salary.....	100
Richland Baptist Church, Livermore, KY	
As Needed.....	100
Total.....	1,127.27

**ROGERTATE**

Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH	
Support.....	100
Anonymous., Personal.....	100
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL	
As Needed.....	100
Buffalo Baptist Church, Buffalo, WV	
Salary.....	60
Calvary Baptist Church, Piqua, OH	
Salary.....	50
Calvary Baptist Church, West Branch, MI	
Christmas Gift.....	100
Calvary Baptist Church, West Branch, MI	
Support.....	250
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC	
As Needed.....	77.27
Cornerstone Baptist Church, Cincinnati, OH	
Support.....	100
Covenant Baptist Church, Dayton, OH,	
Support.....	300
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Bellbrook, OH	
Support.....	750
Emmanuel Missionary Baptist Church,	
Oldtown, KY, Salary.....	100
Franklin Street Baptist Church, Hamilton, OH	
Support.....	40
Geister, Robert & Marian, Alger, MI	
Personal.....	25
Grace Baptist Church, Fairborn, OH	
As Needed.....	50
Kahut, Donald, Xenia, OH, Personal.....	100
Liberty Missionary Baptist Church	
Spencer, WV, Salary.....	25
Mt. Calvary Baptist Church, Charleston, WV	
Salary.....	100
Richland Baptist Church, Livermore, KY.	
As Needed.....	100
Rosedale Baptist Church, Rosedale, WV.	
As Needed.....	300
Seventh Street Baptist Church, Cannelton, IN	
Salary.....	150
Skidway Lake Baptist Church, Prescott, MI	
Salary.....	50
Union Baptist Church, Englewood, OH	
Salary.....	100
Total.....	3,127.27

**JUDSONHATCHER**

Friendship Baptist Church, Bristol, VA	
Salary.....	50
Logan, Ronald & Judith, Lexington, KY	
As Needed.....	50
Mundy, Bill & Evelyn, Godfrey, IL	
Salary.....	10
Smith, Darwin & Cathy, Lexington, KY	
Personal.....	25
Total.....	135

## Time Goes By So Fast ... Continue To Pray For Muslim Friends ...



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December 8, 2011

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

This is my last update of 2011. It hardly seems possible that the year is coming to an end. This time last year we were back in the States and enjoying the Christmas season. Now we have to try and enjoy the season while in Kenya. I think this is the one month of the year when it is especially difficult to be here. I definitely miss the month of December in the States. However, God has been good and that is what I would like to share with you this month.

First, after living with us for a month, the orphaned boy Philip has moved on to a local orphanage run by some of our American friends here in Kitale. We would have liked to have him stay with us for the holidays but the timing seemed right to move him to his more permanent home. We enjoyed his stay here. He made a big impact on our family and we learned a lot about Kenyan youngsters.

Second, I wish for you all to continue to pray for our Muslim friends, Daud and Shazia. Our Bible studies with them are still going on. Last week, after our lesson on "Jesus the Savior," I came out and directly asked them what was keeping them from trusting in Jesus. I did this because they seemed to agree with so much of what I was teaching them and disagreed with so little. In the course of these lessons I have shown them that Jesus is the Christ, the Messiah, the Savior, the perfect sacrifice for sins, the final Prophet, the sinless man, the miracle worker with power over death, and the great teacher who offers life. They didn't deny that all of this seems true. They also did not balk too much with Jesus being the Son of God. The reason they gave for not trusting in Jesus now is that they have a hard time believing all this was really necessary for them. In other words, they want to know Jesus' teaching and more about him personally, but they don't believe they need him as their Lord and Savior. They still want their salvation to be based on their own merit. However, they do want to

continue our studies even after this series is over and I will continue to trust in the power of the Word of God and the Spirit of God to bring our dear friends to salvation and trust in Jesus.

Last, our work in starting churches is progressing. Nathan and I have been talking with a lot of people, sharing our vision, and trying to start groups who will follow the Lord's will in obeying his word, sharing their faith with unbelievers and starting churches. This is a difficult work here and what we are trying to accomplish is definitely swimming upstream against the prevailing Christian "culture," tradition and the common way of doing things. Satan is fighting us also. In fact, I just received a letter in the mail this week that had us a little concerned. It was supposedly from our Bethel Baptist Church here in Kitale, a church that had been started a couple of years ago and with whom we work the most directly. In summary, the letter stated that the church no longer recognized us as missionaries who were called by God, that they would be seeking other missionaries to work with, that they disagreed with all that we were trying to do, and that they would be doing whatever they could to get us removed from Kenya. The reason this concerned us was because our work permits, which allow us to stay in Kenya, are actually dependent upon the four Kenyan pastors I was working with last term, one of whom is the pastor of Bethel. Because I was concerned about this I went to the pastor and asked him about this letter. I was relieved to know that he knew nothing about this letter, that it was not officially from him or the church, that he was more upset about the letter than I was, and that he was going to confront some people of the church whom he thinks might have written the letter. So, although I was concerned, I can honestly say I don't think it will cause us major problems except for having to deal with the people who are trying to cause rifts and divisions in the church. I believe this is a common problem that occurs in too many of God's churches all around the world, especially here. But God is still on the throne and He is in control of all things. Thus, we will continue to entrust all things into His loving care.

Until next month, beloved. May God's peace and joy be with you.

For the glory of God in East Africa,  
Roger, Julie, Emily, Amy, and Josiah Tate

## Pour Concrete Floors At Church ... Evangelistic Teams Very Busy ...



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Dear Friends,

December 9, 2011

We had a lot of fun pouring the concrete floors at the new church this month. In my last letter, I mentioned that we are able to purchase concrete at a substantially reduced price by having the concrete company deliver unused material at the end of the work day or on Saturdays with short notice. We had two such opportunities a couple of weeks ago and it was sort of fun to rise to the occasion. The major challenge is that all of our team members work regular jobs and aren't available at the drop of a hat. Charlene was my hero when we got the first call. I tried to make a few phone calls, but got only answering machines and the three cubic yards of concrete was already hardening in a pile in my future office. While I was shoveling mud into a wheelbarrow and spreading it where needed she got on the phone and was able to contact a handful of volunteer helpers. By the time we finished spreading the last shovel full, the concrete was nearly too stiff to spread. If she hadn't reached the volunteers while I worked, I would have had to spend wasted time and resources later breaking the hardened pile where it was poured and left. After Charlene reached the volunteers she also came running with a shovel ready to lend a hand. What a mate God has given me!

Three of the four evangelistic teams are out on the highways this month working in three different states; Parana, Sao Paulo and Rio de Janeiro. These will be our last trips for the year and then we'll bring the buses in for repairs and maintenance. We were truly blessed of the Lord this year with an amazing number of opportunities to share the gospel. The public schools continue to remain open to us and we were able to be in one hundred and thirty-six schools sharing Jesus. Our workers have worked very hard, lived with very little personal resources, but are very happy to be used of the Lord in this noble calling. Some volunteers will take some time to visit their families during the holidays and get some much needed rest. We are very excited about what the Lord has in store for us in 2012.

I am looking forward to concentrating my full attention on our new church plant in January, since a very able brother will be assuming the pastorate at my former church. That church was severely hurt by a false brother who tried to lead the people into illegal activities for personal gain. We are so grateful to God for His word and faithfulness to keep His promises. We know that we have His presence and His blessings on us as we reach out to the communities surrounding our new work and we hope to make His glory known there to many. We seek His guidance and the resources that only He can provide to complete the task. He will provide for His name sake and we will praise Him for it. What a mighty and good God we serve!

Thank you for your prayers and faithful support, even as you suffer setbacks and heartbreaks in your own field of service to our Master.

In Christ's love,

Bobby, Charlene and Brennen Wacaser

## "THANK YOU! THANK YOU!" GIVING FRIENDS

Never a month goes by without our thanking God for all our faithful Giving Friends who contribute so regularly and sacrificially to our General Fund offerings. Also, hardly a month goes by without my speaking personally with some of you and having the opportunity to thank you personally for your participation in this missions ministry.

I was speaking with one of our dear supporters recently [you shall remain anonymous - but you know who you are]. She is a widow of very modest means, but she

continues to live modestly on purpose so she can continue to give to missions.

And, when I thanked her for her long-time financial support for BFM, she told me, "I'll do without something else before I will NOT give to Baptist Faith Missions." May God increase her tribe!

God has blessed her - and God will bless her. And I pray also that God will use her example and testimony to challenge all of us to follow suit.

1 Samuel 25:17 Now, therefore, KNOW and CONSIDER WHAT YOU WILL DO.

## DON'T FORGET THE WORKHORSE FUND

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