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DEAR BROTHER CONSTANTINE;

TRESIA AND I REALLY ENJOYED OUR VISIT AND SEEING ALL OF YOU AND RENEWING FRIENDSHIPS WHILE THERE AT BROOKS FOR THE MISSION FORRUM. IT WAS CERTAINLY GOOD TO SEE JERRY DYER AGAIN AFTER ABOUT TWENTY YEARS. I AM LOOKING FORWARD TO HIS MATERIAL.

AFTER LEAVING RALEIGH SATURDAY OF THE LECTURES, WE DECIDED TO STOP AT GOLDSBORO. WE WERE ABLE TO GET THERE IN TIME TO HEAR TWO MORE GOOD SPEAKERS.

THAT WAS INDEED A WONDERFUL WEEKEND FOR MY WIFE AND ME!

GREETINGS TO THE FAMILY OF GOD AT BROOKS AVE. I HOPE THIS FINDS YOU AND YOUR FAMILY WELL.

WE ARE SO THANKFUL FOR THE SUPPORT (BOTH FINANCIAL AND SPIRITUAL) YOU PROVIDE FOR US HERE AT FAIRFIELD. WE APPRECIATE AND THANK GOD FOR YOU.

PAM IS ALWAYS A BIG HELP TO HER MOTHER AND I.. SHE DOES A LOT OF TYPING AND COMPUTER WORK FOR ME.

THE FOOD PROGRAM GROWS EVERY MONTH. WE ARE GETING ENROLLMENT CARDS RETURNED WHICH WE PASSED OUT DURING THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE FOODS.

I HAVE FINALLY BEEN ABLE TO GET BACK ON THE RADIO, THE RADIO STATION IS WHYC, 88.5 FM. I WILL BE ON THE AIR FROM 12:00 NOON TILL 1:00 PM. I WILL BE HAVING SEVERAL SPEAKERS FROM TIME TO TIME (ROY BEASLEY OF "RESTORATION RADIO" ALONG WITH TWO OR THREE OTHERS FROM THE SAME ORGANIZATION). WHEN I AM ON THE AIR, WE GET A LOT OF POSITIVE COMMENTS AND ENROLL SEVERAL IN

THE BIBLE CORRESPONDENCE COURSE. PEOPLE WILL ALSO SEND QUESTIONS REQUESTING ME TO ANSWER THEM ON THE AIR.

THE BIBLE STUDIES AND SERVICES AT THE PRISON HERE IN HYDE COUNTY ARE GOING WELL. TWO OF US GO AND TEACH THE WORD TO THE PRISONERS. THE CLASSES VARY IN SIZE FROM ONE WEEK TO THE NEXT. WE HAD 14 IN ATTENDANCE THE FIRST WEEK, BUT IT HAS VARIED FROM 14 DOWN TO THREE. BUT THANK GOD THE NUMBER HAS COME BACK UP. SEVERAL HAVE BEEN RELEASED, AND A COUPLE HAVE BEEN TRANSFERRED, AND WE HAVE SOME NEW MEN BROUGHT IN FROM OTHER PLACES. I HAVE BEEN USING A BOOK OF CHARTS I PUBLISHED TO TEACH THE VERY BASIC THINGS THEY NEED TO LEARN. THE MEN HAVE ASKED ME TO PREACH SOME GOOD SOLID LESSONS, ALSO. THERE SEEMS TO BE A LOT OF INTEREST. SOME HAVE BROUGHT OTHERS TO START THE CLASSES, TOO.

WE HAVE A BROTHER AND SISTER IN THE CONGREGATION WHOSE MOTHER HAD TO BE PLACED IN THE NURSING HOME AT SWAN QUARTER, AND THEIR SISTER IS IN THE HOSPITAL AT GREENVILLE. PLEASE PRAY FOR THIS MOTHER AND SISTER, BUT ALSO PRAY FOR THE REST OF THE FAMILY THAT GOD MIGHT STRENGTHEN THEM FOR THE ORDEAL THEY WILL HAVE TO FACE SHORTLY. THERE HAVE BEEN SEVERAL FROM THE COMMUNITY THAT HAS BEEN IN THE HOSPITAL. SOME WERE THEN TRANSFERRED TO THE NURSING HOME, AND WE WERE STILL ABLE TO VISIT THEM.

TRESIA AND I ARE VISITING THE NURSING HOME ON THURSDAYS. WE HAVE A DEVOTION FOR THE PATIENTS, AND THEN WE ENJOY A MEAL WITH THEM. THEY ARE SO APPRECIATIVE.

THE CORRESPONDENCE COURSE SEEMS TO BE REVITALIZING, THANKS TO THE FOOD PROGRAM, PRISON WORK, AND NURSING HOME. THE LADY THAT PLACED MEMBERSHIP IS GETTING INVOLVED IN THE WORK; THE FOOD PROGRAM, THE CORRESPONDENCE COURSE, AND VISITING SHUT-INS.

IN OUR LAST REPORT, WE SPOKE ABOUT OUR BUILDING FUND. WE NOW HAVE A LITTLE OVER \$1300.00

I AM STILL TRYING TO FIND A USED CAR THAT WILL BE OF HELP IN THE WORK HERE. I AM AMAZED THAT MY CAR IS STILL RUNNING, BUT I WILL KEEP NURSING IT ALONG AS LONG AS I HAVE TO. COMING HOME FROM RALEIGH AFTER THE LECTURES, I THINK I PUT ALMOST AS MUCH TRANSMISSION FLUID IN THE CAR AS I DID GASOLINE.

PLEASE PRAY FOR US AND THE WORK WE ARE TRYING TO ACCOMPLISH. TRESIA AND PAMELA SEND THEIR LOVE TO ALL AT BROOKS AVE., AS I DO ALSO.

I BELIEVE YOU HAVE BEEN GOOD EXAMPLES FOR US HERE IN FAIRFIELD. AFTER KATRINA MADE LAND FALL IN LOUISIANA, AND CAUSED ALL THE DEVASTATION, THE MEN DECIDED TO SEND \$500.00, AND OTHERS IN THE CONGREGATION DONATED ENOUGH OVER THEIR CONTRIBUTION TO MAKE UP TO \$1200.00 SENT TO THE CHURCH THEIR TO HELP IN THE LORD'S WORK THEY ARE DOING.

WE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR YOU AND THE WORK YOU ARE DOING IN RALEIGH.

YOU ARE ALWAYS INVITED TO COME AND VISIT, YOU WILL BE OUR HONORED GUEST.

IF SOME WOULD LIKE TO COME AND BRING ONE OF THE LESSONS WHILE HERE, WE WOULD CERTAINLY LOOK FORWARD TO THAT.

WE PRAY WE WILL ALWAYS BE FOUND WORTHY OF YOUR CONFIDENCE.

GOD LOVES YOU, (AND SO DO WE), -GOD BLESS YOU AND KEEP YOU – KEEP THE FAITH – PRAY FOR US.

IN HIS SERVICE,
James S. Jones

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