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Dear Prayer Warriors.

"I thank my God through Jesus Christ for you all... For God is my witness, whom I serve with my spirit in the gospel of His Son, that without ceasing I make mention of you always in my prayers." Romans 1:8 & 9.

We appreciate your faithful prayers and financial support. We had a busy, fruitful spring. We saw the Lord bless His Word with professions of faith and revival decisions among Believers. We pray the Lord continues to strengthen each of the churches as they minister in the communities where God has placed them.

Spring Report:

Throughout March, April and May, we traveled in the States of Texas, South Dakota, Minnesota, Pennsylvania, Connecticut, Massachusetts, New York, Michigan and Florida. All but two of these meetings were return visits. We were blessed by the two new churches where we were privileged to minister, We were especially honored to have returned for the 11th time with long-time friends in Bemidji, MN. Bemidji holds the record of allowing us the privilege of ministering to them the most. Each of these churches have scheduled us to return again.

At this writing, I am packed and ready to leave for a trip to Florida where this coming Sunday, May 22, I am honored to preach the 40th anniversary of our home church, Calvary Baptist Church in Alachua, FL. We appreciate the history of service to Christ this church has had. We are blessed to participate in honoring our pastor, Marty Basinger, who has ministered in Alachua for the past 10 years.

FAMILY NEWS:

Most of you are aware that Jonathan is finishing his senior year of high school. I am privileged and honored to be invited to preach the Commencement message at his graduation from Temple Christian Academy on June 5. We appreciate how the school administrator, Rick Ash, has worked with us in transitioning Jonathan from home school to classroom education as he prepares for military training and college. Jonathan joined the Army Reserves in December. He will be leaving on July 12 for Army Basic Training. Lord willing, he plans to begin college at Maranatha Baptist University for the January 2017 semester where he will participate in their ROTC program and major in youth ministries. Jonathan's goal is to become a military officer; perhaps the future Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff at the Pentagon! :-)

Summer Ministry:

The day after Jonathan's graduation, I will leave for a month of ministry in Peru, South America. I will be teaching four hours each day in the Bible college and preaching in the evenings. Your prayers will be appreciated for strength during that time.

Grace and Jonathan will remain in the States as Jonathan prepares to leave for Basic Training. I will return on July 7, in time for Jonathan's 18th birthday on July 8 and to be with him before he leaves for Basic on the 12th. Grace and I will also leave on the 12th for Florida to spend time with my parents. We are trying to make more time to be with them as we see them declining in health. My brother has the responsibilities of their care and we are seeking to help him as much as we possibly are able.

In August, we will be ministering for four weeks in the Philippines. We will plan to report again after our return concerning the results of our summer ministry. It is our prayer that we be found faithful as we seek to fulfill the ministry to which God has called us.

In His service,

Evangelist Randy Chovan

