

Dear Supporting Pastors and Churches,

We greet you in the name of our Lord Yeshua and trust that each of you enjoyed a blessed Christmas. As 2017 comes to a close and 2018 is upon us, may we continue our arduous labors for and with our soon coming King.

We write you with the same desire of the Apostle Paul as he completed his first missionary journey, "And when they were come, and had gathered the church together, they rehearsed all that God had done with them, and how he had opened the door of faith unto the Gentiles" (Acts 14:27).

We thank you for your undergirding prayers and faithful financial help used of God to fund our foreign endeavors. Without which, humanly speaking, we would have been hindered and potentially crippled.

We conducted 43 weeks of preaching ministries. We were actually scheduled for 49 weeks but two foreign ministries had to be canceled due to separation issues in one and extremely dangerous conditions in the other. Twenty two weeks were fulfilled in the countries of Canada, Philippines, Japan, Micronesia, Trinidad, Brazil, South Africa and Israel. The remaining weeks were conducted throughout many states in the USA.

God blessed His Word with hundreds of professions of faith in our Saviour, Jesus Christ. We do not report actual numbers because only God knows who were genuine. He also knows the many who were saved but not registered. Many missionaries and pastors write us later to announce additional converts saved as a result of the meetings. We also rejoice in subsequent accounts of baptisms.

Some notable conversions include Paul, a civilian American worker, who heard me preach all day Sunday at Lighthouse Baptist Church in Atsugi, Japan (US military church). He was noticeably shaken and convicted by the Holy Spirit. He returned Monday night too late to hear the gospel preaching due to commuter traffic. He showed up right at the invitation time and shouted to the crowd, "I came to get saved"! I showed him Scripture for well over an hour and he was marvelously born again. Later his fiance was saved and they were baptized together. Roger, a 50 year man, attended two nights of our week long crusade at Calvary Baptist

Church in Point Fortin, Trinidad (Caribbean). His wife had prayed for her husband's salvation for 25 years. Roger came a third time on the last night of the meetings. He was broken with conviction and came forward to be saved. It turns out his wife had waited all those years to be baptised, waiting for her husband to be converted. So they were baptised together. A young married couple attended our Prophecy Conference every night in Porto Feliz, Brazil. We had talked with them after the services but they just could not get past wanting to work religiously and morally for their salvation. We scheduled a time to meet with them and spent over two hours explaining biblically salvation by grace alone through faith in Christ. The "light bulbs" came on as they were convinced and were gloriously converted.

We rejoice in the many backslidden believers who were revived and restored to our Lord's fellowship. These are also so important to our Father.

We led a fantastic 13 day tour to Israel this past November. The group of 18 travelers were blessed and instructed in Israeli history, ancient and modern. We toured so many biblical sites, retracing the steps of Patriarchs, Prophets, Judges, Kings, and of our Christ. Join us on our next tour January 7-19, 2019.

Our 2018 is scheduled and ready to go. We will be preaching, Lord willing, in the Philippines, France, Hungary, England, India, Peru and many states in the USA.

Please follow our schedule and ministry on our web site:
evangelistrandychovan.org

God bless and use each of your churches to reach the lost with the saving gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Your Missionary Evangelists,

Randy and Grace Chovan