

The HORTONS

MAHLON HORTON'S FALL PRAYER LETTER—2019

CHANGES—"IN EVERYTHING GIVE THANKS FOR THIS IS THE WILL OF GOD IN CHRIST JESUS CONCERNING YOU." I Thess. 5:18

We all know too well how quickly changes can come into our lives. We had just returned home on Tuesday, December 3rd, from a very full weekend schedule. After going to bed Mahlon asked a question he had not asked once since April 15, 2010; "Where is the Nitroglycerin spray?" On April 15, 2010 Mahlon had had his six by-pass heart surgery which did away with his need for any Nitro spray until last Tuesday night. His short morning walk on Wednesday brought on another angina attack so our son Norman drove us quickly to the hospital E.R. where Mahlon underwent thorough testing and was admitted to the coronary unit in order to receive an angioplasty where 5 stents were administered on Thursday, December 5, 2010. Friday afternoon he was discharged.

How God orchestrates our lives is a wonder. We do not know why He ordained that both of Mahlon's surgeries were done in the States rather than under our socialized medicine in Canada where all is paid for with our taxes. We were barely home from the hospital when we received a bill from Humana with the big words DENIED. WHY? Mahlon is a legally born American citizen of 88 years who always pays his bills on time. So here we are thrust into the American world of insurance. But we know God had His reason for us being here rather than up there. All this happened after a busy month where we had fulfilled our responsibilities. We do so appreciate all of you who regularly pray and support us. Your letters encourage us. And we are thankful and humbled that God has left Mahlon on this earth to continue to serve Him with this added time.

We still have the very serious prayer concerns that we have mentioned in our last prayer letters. Satan has not relinquished his hold in areas that are so critical. It is hard to see the damage he is doing. Thank you for your continued prayers for God's victory.

Good news; six adults were baptized back in our home church in Canada. We were so sorry that we missed it. Please pray for those who put off being baptized.

One of our members there is bedridden but is fighting to live to fulfill his 100th birthday on December 28. Please pray much for this family in this difficult time. He was a prisoner of the Germans during World War 11. The couple has been married 73 years. They were both in their 90's when our pastor son had the privilege of baptizing them.

May you all have a blessed Christmas and New Year!

Committed to His Service,

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