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Home Church
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Bath SC 29816

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Greetings in the name of Jesus our Lord,

I do trust all is well and you're feeling like as if you're on the launching pad waiting for the countdown to be raptured out of this world to be with Jesus! Let us continually pray for Israel and the peace of Jerusalem!

Our water situation is still critical. No running water as of the writing of this newsletter. We've had rain but far from enough to raise the water table up to where we can draw or have a water supply. A water truck comes by occasionally and I mean occasionally. No advance warning, just drives by and if we see the truck before it passes, we can get a 55 gallon barrel filled and that will serve for washing clothes and dishes. When someone goes to town, I/they fill jugs of city water for drinking. Not the best tasting water but is water! We are on the list to have a deep water well drilled but we still have to wait our turn. Not an abundance of well digging equipment around. The Lord has graciously provided the funds needed to get well drilled. Water for the groves is still in very short supply and the fruit trees are showing the affects of lack of water. Continue to pray that God will send much rain: Rain that will help and not wash away everything. The Water of life is still running freely to all who will come and drink (John 4:14)!

Several days past we received very sad news that one of our young men had been shot and killed. David was only 32yrs old. I remember when he and his brother was born. David was the younger by 2 years. He went to pick up his dad's truck from a shade tree mechanic shop but David had only been there 5 minutes before the shooting. He was in the wrong place at the wrong time. The intended hit was the mechanic (unknowing to David, the mechanic was involved with the drug cartel) but David would have been an eye witness and the cartel seldom leave a live witness. Pray for his father and mother in the loss of their son and for his wife and son in the loss of his father and his wife in the loss of her husband. His death has affected our church folks a lot because our church family because he was loved and respected.

Personal update: Our oldest son Tony, that lives alone in Abilene, TX, is back in the hospital because the blood and bone infection took a turn for the worse. We do covet your earnest prayers for him. God does what money cannot do: He can answer prayer, according to His will! Again we ask: When the Lord brings him to mind, please pray for him.

Pray that our good health continues, we remain faithful and true to His calling and that we will never compromise His Word nor His Message!

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Hebrews 7:25 – "Wherefore he is able also to save them to the uttermost that come unto God by him, seeing he ever liveth to make intercession for them"