

Dear Pastor and Praying Friends,

As we reflect back over this year, we are so thankful for all the many blessings and opportunities that the Lord has given us. We are thankful for safety during our travels. We know that many of you have prayed for us, and we are so grateful. We have preached missions conferences and revivals in over 10 states this year and traveled thousands of miles. We were blessed to help Open Door Baptist Church in Marion, South Carolina as they sought for a pastor. We have seen some receive Christ and some surrender to the mission field for which we are thankful. Because of your faithful giving, it is fruit that abounds to your account as well. *Philippians 4:17 "…but I desire fruit that may abound to your account."* 

Along with our busy schedule of traveling this year, we have had the privilege to assist with several departure interviews, candidate interviews, basic orientation training, the planning of and attending the National Conference of Macedonia, and assisting in the board meetings for the mission. It has been a fruitful year for which we are thankful that the Lord allowed us to be a part. On December 5th, 50 years ago we were accepted with Macedonia and are so thankful for the years that the Lord has given us to serve.

We pray that this coming year we will be a help and blessing to our missionaries and to each church that we have opportunity to serve along side. We want to be faithful to the ministry to which He has called us. I Cor. 15:58 "Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye stedfast, unmoveable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord."

It is a busy time for us through the first part of the year. In January, we will be helping in the 1099's and tax preparations at the Home Office.

We have a few meetings scheduled in the coming year but still have many open doors. If Karen and I can be of help to you, feel free to contact me.

Thank you so much for every gift that was given to us this year and especially those who gave for our 50th year recognition with Macedonia World Baptist Missions. We appreciate the faithful support and each Christmas gift that has been given to us. We appreciate you and pray that the Lord will bless you and continue to use you to reach the world through your missions giving!

May the Lord bless you and your families as we celebrate the birth of our Saviour and soon coming King, our Lord Jesus Christ! Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!



In His Service,

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