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Dear Faithful Friends and Prayer Partners,

Thank you for continuing to uphold us in prayer. We cannot adequately express what your prayers and encouragements mean to us.

We had a tremendous year in 2013 when we think of the many churches we visited and the brothers and sisters in Christ that we met. We had the opportunity to share our ministry in 45 churches from Florida to California. All the way we attempted to put Christ first in all of our efforts and purposes. 2014, Lord willing, will be the same. This January we had the privilege of being in Michigan and Florida to present our ministry. Again, it was a time of meeting old friends and making new ones; a time of catching up with some people and learning from others.

Highlights

One highlight of our trip to Florida was to share our ministry as a part of a Missions conference in Bradenton, Fl. What a delight to be with other missionaries and to share in the work of the Lord. On the lighter side, a gift from a friend helped to make it possible for us as a family to make trips to the Everglades and the Florida Keys.



We will be in Florida for a couple of more weeks before we head up to Maryland and then back to Iowa.

Praises:

The Lord provided a new regular supporter!

Safety on the roads, van running well

Good reception in the churches

Enjoyable experiences in Florida

Needs being met

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As you remember the Wests before the Lord please pray for,

Continued safety and vehicle dependability as we travel

That our ministry would be well received by the churches we visit

That the Pastors and church members would be encouraged about the work of the Lord in their
respective churches, Missions at home and abroad, and our ministry to Argentina

Partnership with local churches enabling us to go to Argentina

Upcoming Schedule

February 9th – Berean Baptist Church in Naples, Florida

February 16th – Amazing Grace Baptist Church in St. Cloud, Florida

February 23rd – Evangel Baptist in Hagerstown, Maryland, and
Good News Baptist in Cascade, Maryland

March 9th – Murray Baptist Church in Murray, Iowa

March 16th – Northland Baptist Church in Gilman, Wisconsin

March 23rd – Lena Baptist Church in Lena, Illinois

March 31st – Maranatha Baptist Church in Shiocton, Wisconsin

Thank you for standing with us in our efforts to train nationals for leadership roles in Great Commission Ministry.

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P.S. We want to thank you for your prayers in 2013 and we are trusting God for your continued prayer partnership in 2014. You will notice that we are changing the format of our updates this year. For convenience and privacy we are leaving out the pictures of our host pastors. We would also like to update our mailing list. If you would rather not continue having our emails sent to you, please just jot us a note and we will remove you from the list (but you are always welcome to return).

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