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"And we sailed away from Philippi after the days of unleavened bread, and came unto them to Troas in five days; where we abode seven days.." Acts 20:6

Dear Pastor, church, family and praying friends,

Africa - It is a joy to write just days before heading to Africa on March 28, Lord will. Thank you for praying for the finances, the Lord is faithful! *Please pray* for this trip! Much work has gone into it, but all is vain unless the Lord's hand be with us. By God's grace, we will bring 4 national men from 4 different countries together in Ghana, for our *first Missionary Candidate Training* in Africa! We have 3 missionary candidates: Bro. Awumey (Ghana), Bro. Jaluge (Nigeria), and Bro. Ugwu (Uganda), and will also be joined by our ROA missionary of 8 years, Bro. Caphias, who serves in the prisons of Zambia. Lord willing, we all meet in Ghana for missionary candidate school March 31 - April 3, and will take time for these men to get to know each other. None of these men are new to ministry! Bro. Ramsford is a 7-year ROA volunteer; Bro. Samuel 4 years; Bro Jaluge 5 years. The potential for ministry growth on the African continent is great! Would you pray for us, that hearts be knit & relationships established among these 4 men!

Guatemala - Thank you for praying as we have worked on material and translation, looking to reach the public schools! Visits to 4 public schools began in February! Please now pray "that the word of the Lord may have free course, and be glorified, even as it is with you:" (II Thes. 3:1) as the Hill family labour in deep-seated traditional religious culture.

Future possibilities... Would you also please join us in asking the Lord to raise up a fulltime labourer for 2 other countries? In the Philippines and Papua New Guinea, we already have ministry going on with national partners, **BUT SO MANY MORE SOULS COULD BE REACHED**, should someone surrender to the call! "Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that He will send forth labourers into His harvest."

States-side... We thank the Lord for 7,000+ miles traveled safely. A blessed time was had at the main office to meet, plan, & also spend 2 hours just praying with several international missionaries. We were blessed to be a part of an amazing missions conference in AL. The Lord moved greatly, as we saw saints encouraged, and the church go forward with yet a greater vision! At the Alabama prison campaign, God blessed me to be in prison from 12:30pm - 8:30pm each day! Precious time to share the Way, the Truth and the Life with the incarcerated. Over 230 souls professed Jesus as Saviour that week! All that was rounded off being back for my home church's missions conference! It doesn't get much better than that!

Family news & praying for... We greatly value your continued prayers for us as we seek the Lord about a furlough visit back home to the U.K. & Romania to visit family in the summer. It's 11 years since Violeta & I went back, and we would dearly like to see our parents again!

We thank our Lord for the privilege to labour together with you, as we press on to reach souls for Jesus! Your missionaries.

Brother Mark & Sister Violeta, and family

Praise:

- 3 missionary candidates in Africa!
- So many souls saved in the Alabama prison! Full-time labourer to the prisons in Philippines & PNG. •
- **Prayer Requests:**
- Hearts knit & relationships established in Ghana, Africa.

2 Corrinthians 4:5 For we preach not ourselves, but Christ Jesus the Lord; and ourselves your servants for Jesus' sake.

