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Dear Pastor and Church

March Prayer Letter

March was a great month of ministry. We were able to do a family conference with Fundamental Baptist Church in Summersville, MO. Before leaving the country, we were able to preach at Gospel Light Baptist Church in Forney, TX. We then headed to Nicaragua to do a class on Pastoral counseling for 20 pastors. While we were there, we also did a marriage conference with more than 100 attending and preached in three different churches. After arriving back in the states, we flew out to California to do HOPE Recovery Ministry training and an emotional health conference with New Testament Baptist in Hanford, Ca. To finish out the month we drove down to Mexico and preached at a youth conference in the Baja. There were more than 10 churches present and over 200 kids. I got to speak to the whole conference, then also to the pastors once and to the 27 pastor's kids that were present once. It was a great meeting.

As I write I am sitting in San Diego, CA. getting ready to head to the airport for our first meeting of April. God has been so good to us and given us safety in our travels. We have seen God work in all the meetings and have received many testimonies from those present about the help that God gave them through the teaching. God only knows how He uses the preaching in the hearts of those who hear and might never speak about it. I have been impacted by messages often days and weeks after hearing them. I am thankful for the opportunity to preach and teach in so many places and on so many topics as God leads.

We are excited to get back to our fifth wheel and a more regular traveling routine, God has given us good places to stay but nothing is quite like your own bed. While we have been gone, I had the truck in for some normal service but also to track down an electrical issue that has been plaguing us. This has cost us more than expected but was needful. Please pray for our equipment to last as we travel and for God's blessings on our trips.

We are working on several projects moving forward that we would like you to pray with us about. God has given us a partner to help with our website issues that have been mounting. I believe that we are finally past the worst issues and things are now working. We are also doing updates and improvements on the sites that I believe will help in the long run. A few years ago, we had started a video project to update all the videos for the 15 Bible Truths of HOPE. That got stuck as my Son-in-law that was helping me started deputation to go to the mission field. Now that he is stable there, he is going to begin helping me a bit each week to move the project forward again. It has been something I have prayed over for a few years now. Please pray that these projects will continue to progress.

Another issue for prayer is our work overseas with missionaries. Much of what we do is teaching pastors in counseling and addiction ministry. We have been blessed with several churches partnering with us in monthly support, but we are still in great need in this area. We almost always must pay for our flights, and often for our hotels as we go to help the missionaries. An average trip will often cost more than \$2,000 dollars not counting the fact that when we are there, we don't receive love offerings to cover our expenses at home. Please pray with us for increased support to do this needed work. Thank you for your prayers and support.

In His Service,  
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Here are a few pictures of the meetings mentioned in the letter.

