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Missionaries to

## QUEENSLAND, AUSTRALIA

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Dear Praying Friends,

Paul exhorts us to give thanks in everything. And we have much for which to be thankful. The Lord gave us safe travels over our thirty-four hour (including layovers) trip back to the States, and has kept me mostly on the correct side of the road while driving. (We drive on the other side in Australia.)

We are adapting slowly to our new schedule. We were all up at 3 am on Thursday morning. Not because we had to, but because Australia is fourteen to fifteen hours ahead and our body clocks were used to being up at that time. So since we were up, we went to Wal-Mart and got some supplies we needed for the days of driving that were ahead. This morning everyone is sleeping-in better. I slept until 4am, and when I left the room everyone else was sound asleep, which is a good sign. Please pray that we will get our "clocks" changed soon. Lord-willing, we will be in at least forty churches while we are in the States over the next three months, and work in a little rest as well as family and friend time. Please pray that we will be a blessing to the churches we visit.

Before we left to come to the States, one of our church folks, who teaches Religious Education classes, had the privilege of leading two of her children to the Lord. They did not ask the Lord to save them in class, but went home and asked the Lord to come into their hearts. The Religious Education teacher missed the lesson the following week. When she came back two weeks later, the girls marched up to her before class and told her they had received Christ as their Savior. Praise the Lord for these precious souls saved. Please pray that we will be able to disciple them in the coming days.

Thank you for sharing in our ministry and burden for the folks in Australia. Please pray for the church there in Townsville that it will remain strong and that Satan will not sow discord among the flock there. Please pray for safety for us as we travel over the next three months. Please pray for our family's health, especially our children's health. We look forward to seeing you soon.

Sincerely,

Kelly (for the Gilliams)