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## October 2020 News

Dear Friends and Family,

Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints (Psalm 116:15). With heavy hearts we unexpectedly laid my mum (Laura T. Gilliam) to rest in early September. She had not been sick, but we believe she had a stroke that badly affected her ability to be mobile. That stroke also seemed to greatly impact her desire to keep going. Mum had a good long life (over 80 years) and is now with my dad and my daughter Emmalyn in heaven. Due to Covid restrictions, I was unable to fly back to the States to attend the funeral. I did record a video mentioning a few memories of mum and her favourite verses (Matthew 11:28-30). My brothers, Brian and Chris, made it possible for me to watch the funeral via Zoom. Although I wish I could have been there in person, I appreciated being able to watch her funeral. Becca, Reese, Bryce, and I all reflected on our own memories of our mum, mother-in-law and grandma. Please pray for us as we go forward. I know the Lord's grace is sufficient, but we each are and will miss her going forward.



Kelly's mum passed away in September

The Wednesday morning Bible studies have been going well. Please pray for the men coming along. One, who has never been to church in his life on a regular basis, is slowly understanding the importance of church attendance.

Please pray for our elections coming up. When religious instruction classes (RI's) are taught (whether during lunch or during class time) is determined by the government in power. Please pray that whoever is elected keeps RI classes during class time. We are praying for the US elections as well.

Thank you for your prayers, concern, and financial support.

Love,

Kelly, Becca, Clarisse & Bryce Gilliam

*"... the harvest truly is plenteous, but the labourers are few; Pray ye the Lord of the harvest, that he will send forth labourers into his harvest " —*