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Dear Co-laborers and Praying Friends,

Isaiah 42:12 "Let them give glory unto the LORD, and declare his praise in the islands."

We send you greetings from the beautiful island of Guam where many souls are bound in dark religion. However, we know the One that can open their eyes and bring them to the Light.

Our Lord continues to bless here and send in folks to hear the preaching of the Gospel. The attendance at Lighthouse Baptist Church is continuing to grow in number, and some are growing spiritually. We give Him all the glory.

Lighthouse was blessed in a special way last month concerning a need. As we have already reported to you, we had two bus routes, with only one van. The one route grew to the point that there were times that some children had to be left because the van was overloaded. I asked the church to pray about that need, and after that very service, one individual came to me and stated that they were going to make a sizable donation designated for a van the next week. That week, we went shopping for used vans and found one in good condition. The donation that the individual provided paid for the van, the registration, and tires for the van. We now have two 15-passenger vans, and they are bringing folks in to the hearing of the Word of God. The leader of one of the Bible clubs handed me a list last week, and told me that they were the ones that had made professions of faith. The list had about 10 names. Praise the Lord!!!

Recently, we have also been blessed with some more military families. One lady has joined, and is already serving in the music ministry. Her husband will probably join as soon as his schedule will allow. Last Sunday, another family who had visited a few times asked about joining with us in the work. They are looking over our statement of faith, etc. and will make a decision, hopefully soon. There is a lady and her daughter that are also considering joining with us. Hopefully, the two boys that I am discipling will be ready to be baptized soon.

It is a tremendous blessing to labor with the Quinlan family. It is a special blessing in this day, when so many are compromising and leaning to the worldly ways. Their willing and humble spirit surely adds to the work. Brother Sean is working with a man, and Sister Tammy a lady, discipling them.

It seems that the time of our furlough is nearing faster than we would like. June 27 is just around the corner. We sincerely look forward to seeing the family and all of you who stand with us. Please pray with us that the Lord will use us to be a blessing. We believe that He can still use these old folks. As Dr. Harold Sightler used to say, "Retire? Re-fire!!" The fields are white to harvest, and we want to be a part of that harvest.

Thanks to all of you who pray for us and stand with us financially. As we have stated many times, you ARE our lifelines. We look forward to telling you more about what God has done with your support and prayer. We love you all and pray for you also.

Our temporary mail address will be the mission address above. As soon as we get a telephone and e-mail address we will let you know.

Because of Christ,

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