

The Jordans – Serving in Sicily September 2007 Update

Dear Friends,

Many are talking about difficult and dark times we are living in these days. Sure, gas prices are rising, the economy is going down, and our leaders have compromised their values on morality and honesty. During all this, I am happy, "through the tender mercy of our God; whereby the dayspring from on high hath visited us, to give light to them that sit in darkness and in the shadow of death, to guide our feet into the way of peace. Thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

The Castiglia family in is bereavement at this time. This is the needy family that the Church choose to help last Christmas. The dad, who had been suffering from prostrate cancer for some time, pasted away. He was 86 years old. The son Giovanni, has been coming to Church off and on for about a year. This family really needs our prayers at this time.

Pina, another married daughter of Andrea Apollo has started coming to Church. She has been saved for a number of years, but had gotten away from the Lord. She really seems to be happy now that she has made peace with the Lord. Her husband Franco and two children need to be saved. Please keep her in your prayers that she will be the example she needs to be.

The beginning of 2008, we started having a ladies meeting every Saturday afternoon and Linda is really thrilled how the ladies are enjoying the studies each week. We also begin a Friday night Teen Meeting twice a month. The teens are inviting others and we are praying that this group will grow and young people will be saved. We believe this will bring unity among our people and open another door to reach the lost.

Prayer list:

- Brother Santo Eterno is in the hospital in Alcamo. His red blood cell count is really low.
- · Gene is home from the hospital, but is still very weak and is not able to eat solid food yet.
- Angela has the cast off of her foot, but is still having a lot of swelling and pain.
- · Maria Sciuto has the flu and has been in bed for 2 weeks.

Our grand daughter Cayla had planned a beautiful Church wedding March 22nd, but Ryan, her husband to be got orders to go overseas the first of March, so they had a simple wedding to be able to be together before his departure. A family had paid for Linda's ticket to return to the States for the wedding back in January, and the ticket was non refundable. We prayed about this and felt it was better for her to use the ticket instead of losing the money that the family had paid for the ticket. Linda will be leaving March 5th and returning to Sicily March 27th. She will be in Greenville, SC during that time. If you would like to contact her, she can be reached at the following phone numbers. Our son**Wes**, (864) 271-3168 or our daughter **Joni**, (864) 947-9940. Please pray for a safe trip for her and that the Lord will use her for his glory during the time she is there.

In closing, thank you for your faithfulness to pray and support the ministry here in Sicily. God bless until next month.

In Christ,

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