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Dear Prayer Partners,

Happy New Year to you all. It just seems that the time flies by. We began this decade on a mission trip to the Indian Reservation in Arizona. That was the trip that the Lord used to begin calling us into His work. It is hard to believe that was 10 years ago. God has brought us through many things and we are thankful to be in the ministry. As we begin this new year, it is our prayer that the Lord will grow us all and use us mightily.

We were able to be home for Christmas and spend some time with our grandson. He is now 5 years old and is a bundle of activity. We are praying that he will soon be saved. Please pray with us about this. Young people today face far more temptations than we did during our growing up years. They need our prayers and a Godly example to follow.

We spoke with Emmanuel just before Christmas. The devil is fighting him there in Africa. He has learned that his father is not dead, as he thought, but just abandoned him. It was a great blow to him and he is confused. Pray that he will give this burden to the Lord and seek His will about how to handle the situation. Also, please pray for Isaac and Benard. The work in Africa is going forward and Brother Walker is seeing some maturity in the church. Keep the church there in your prayers.

We will need to raise approximately \$6000.00 for our tickets to Pohnpei, Micronesia. This is a big increase from when we traveled there in 2005. We now have about 25% of this. Please pray that God will provide the rest very soon. We want to purchase the tickets by May.

Please be in prayer for the sale of our house in Easley. It is becoming a financial drain on our ministry and we really need to downsize our expenses with the economy like it is. God is able to sell it even though things are bad right now so keep praying. This will help us greatly when we leave the country in September.

Prayer Requests: 1)The church in Africa 2)Unsaved loved ones 3)New Supporting Churches 4)Sale of our house 5)Funds for airline tickets to Pohnpei

In His Service,

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