



Ministry Update From The Wyricks

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Greetings from the great white north, where the calendar says it is still fall but the temperature is -25. The Lord has blessed us so much and given us even more opportunities to share His Word. As I have mentioned before, the Lord has given me an opportunity to be involved with the local volunteer fire department here in Delta Junction. The department received some fire safety equipment from the state of Alaska to install in 50 homes in the community. This has opened the door for me to meet people that I may not otherwise be able to meet. Just the other afternoon I was able to go into a home of a Russian family. While there, I was able to give them 2 Russian Bibles and God's Simple Plan of Salvation in Russian. I have been able to be in two more Russians homes since then and one of them called two of his friends while we were there and we should be going to those homes next week.

In our last prayer letter, I mentioned a Romanian family that has lived here for two years. We tried to get to know them when they first moved here. I helped them move in and gave them two Romanian Bibles but that is about far as it went. There seemed to be a wall in the way. That wall seems to be falling down, Praise the Lord. I was out shoveling the apartment complex sidewalks (something I do to help our landlord and in return he does not go up on our rent) when Victor walked up and asked if I had some Russian Bibles. He wanted to give them to his children. He followed me to our apartment and I was able to give him four Russian Bibles. Help us pray for Victor and his family to see the error of the church (Russian Charismatic) they attend. Also, pray for us as we go into these different homes in the community that God will give us opportunities to share his Word. We have one Bible left to give away, so we have ordered 30 more and most of them are already spoken for. Some Russians that have received Bibles earlier want to give their family members Bibles for Christmas. We were ordering them for \$31.00 a piece but the cost of printing has gone up to \$41.00 now. We are trusting the Lord to supply the funds to purchase these and more Bibles as we go into more Russian homes in the coming weeks. Please pray also that we will be able to purchase more Bibles and tracts, as they are needed.

Here is an update on Sophia, the Russian lady that was going to the Russian Charismatic Church and has now been coming to our meetings faithfully. Last Sunday night she was talking to us after the service and said that she really enjoyed coming and that God spoke to her heart when she came. I praise the Lord for His faithfulness and with His help, I pray that I will continue to be a vessel that He will use to minister to the Russians and also the Americans here in the Interior of Alaska.

Nancy and I want to take this opportunity to thank all of you that have so faithfully stood with us with your prayers and support. If it were not for each of you, we could not be here. We would also like to wish each of you a Merry Christmas. The Christmas story is why we are here, to tell the lost world "For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life." The greatest story ever told is the reason for the season.

Continue to keep us in your prayers and if you would like to help us purchase some Bibles, you can send your gift to our mission agency and mark it "Bibles for the Wyricks."

Thanks again and Merry Christmas from your missionaries in Delta Junction, Alaska,

Ernie and Nancy Wyrick