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the WYRICKS IN Alaska

CARRYING THE GOSPEL TO THE INTERIOR OF ALASKA

Greeting from Delta Junction, Alaska where Nancy and I praise the Lord for His many blessings. We are truly thankful for each and every one of you and for your faithful prayers and support. We praise the Lord for the opportunity we have to serve Him and for the many opportunities that He gives us to tell of His wonderful love.

We praise the Lord that I am able to continue having morning devotions and prayer with the staff of the Interior Alaska Medical Clinic. When possible, we also try to have a Bible Study on Thursday afternoons as well. I am thankful for this opportunity and pray that this door remains open. It is our desire that through this God is honored and glorified and that some soul will be saved.



We continue to visit Quality Care Center, the assisted living facility here in Delta, nearly every day. Our desire is to help and encourage the residents as well as the staff. On Sunday afternoons we have a service for residents and staff. One dear lady has come to services only once or twice but now is showing more interest and is asking questions. Please pray with us for all of these that the Lord would save souls as a result of this opportunity. Most of all, our prayer is that God will be glorified in all that is said and done. It is all about Him.

There are so many people here in the community that have built up a wall and are very cold toward anything to do with church or God, some because they have been burned by "religion". With the Lord's help, we are trying to show them it is not a religion, but a personal relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ that is their greatest need. Pray for us as we daily go about our lives in front of these individuals, that we will live in such a way that points them to Christ. We desire them to see that there is something different between a personal relationship with Christ and religion.



Last winter spoiled us with the mild winter we enjoyed (mild by Alaska standards, that is). I am not sure we even got to -30 the entire season. But this year we have had an almost normal winter. The coldest temperature at our house was -51 on the morning of January 18th. It is pretty bad when it is that cold and you can say, "Well, it could be worse".

Lord willing, Nancy and I are planning a short furlough this year. Our plans are to leave Alaska on April 30th and return on August 30th. We need to raise some much-needed additional support and visit family. Please keep us in your prayers that the Lord's will be done as we plan this trip.

We praise the Lord for His many blessings and for every one of you. "Bless the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits:" Psalm 103:2.

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