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Dear Praying Partners,

Meditating upon the Word today, I read in Mark's Gospel (14:8) of the woman that anointed the Lord's feet with spikenard, and the Lord's gracious testimony and record of her love, "She hath done what she could." How much we owe our Heavenly Father and the Lord Jesus Christ! Eternity will not suffice to glorify, honour, and praise our Great God and Saviour. Therefore, let us not let a day go by that we neglect to do, by God's grace, what we can for Him!

We have had a blessed year. Our Bible Studies and preaching meetings continue. Please keep praying for the people we have

mentioned in the past. Our Friday men's Bible Study has grown from two to four or five, now. As you may remember from previous letters, these men all profess to be born-

again, but go to new-evangelical churches of various stripes. They have a hunger though. They have never before been exposed to expository—thus saith the Lord—whole counsel of God teaching/preaching. They have thrown over their corrupt modern Bible translations for the KJV. They did this on their own

after studying Inspiration and Preservation and showing them the corruptions in the modern versions. We are currently studying Romans, as I want to confirm they understand the Gospel, wherein is revealed the righteousness of God. With that the Lord has brought up a much needed 'rabbit trail' of personal and church separation opposed to worldliness and inter-faith/ecumenical compromise. Pray for these men—Darrel, Jon, Paul, and Mark.

I have been doing some work in a local homeless-tent-encampment speaking about the Lord, helping, bringing in hot coffee (especially now it

is winter). The confusion, hopelessness, and desolation in these homeless encampments is horrendous. You may see a bit of this from the two pictures I have included; these pictures were taken after a winter



wind storm. It is cold, miserable, and many of the tents were destroyed by the wind. There are both men and women here, as well as youths as young as 18. There are addicts here, married couples, and people that have full time jobs who cannot find a place to live due to the housing shortage. Too many just want to be left alone. Nevertheless, I am beginning to see a couple openings with men. Please pray for wisdom from above for us, and that the Word of God has free course. Whether living in a tent or a mansion men love darkness rather than light—BUT GOD—and the light of His Glorious Gospel can change hearts and lives.

On a personal note; Sandy and I were so thankful to spend a week with family, and our home church over the holidays. We have four grand children now, for which we thank the Lord. The picture included here is of Sandy, three of the four little darlings, and me.

Thank you to each of you for another year of prayer partnership and financial partnership.

Thank you all for the additional monies that have been sent throughout the year, and especially in the last month. Thank you for all the cards, notes, letters, and gifts. Thank you for persevering in prayer with us for this work of God, that God alone would be glorified, for lost souls saved, saved souls discipled, and a New Testament Baptist assembly of saints established. The love, grace, and peace of God be with you all as you watch, work, and wait.



Your servants in Christ Jesus,

Love from,

Paul and Sandy Burbidge

P.S. <u>Thank you</u> Carson, Brandt, and Jack from Emmaus, PA for the wonderful card. We enjoy it each day as it is pinned up on our refrigerator.

