

Dear Brothers & Sister in the Lord.

Salutations in the mighty name of our Lord Christ Jesus. Since the return of Larry & Vaughn from Brazil, things have been a blur around. The combination of the great doors that were opened to spread the Gospel to the lost tribes of the Amazon and the doors that were opened to spread the Gospel in Iraq through our countries military victory over the evil forces that have kept them shut for so long, have left us with the overwhelming feeling that we are living in a very special time in the history of mankind. Even as I write this newsletter we are just days away from launching an exploratory mission to the Great Slave Lake region of the Northwest Territories of Canada. We are not sure what exactly we will find up there, we only know that the door has been opened for us to go and we are stepping through it. Through out the forty years of our ministry we have always tried to seek out those areas where the Gospel of Jesus has not yet reached. We have some indications that there may just be some areas in the Northwest Territories that fit this bill or that have only had a very small taste. Please pray for the success of this mission and that the Lord would lead us to those souls that are ready to receive Him as their Lord.

Our plan is to first explore the remote shores of the Great Slave Lake itself for small villages of natives that live. We will be doing this exploring from a 24-foot pontoon boat, which we will be living on for several weeks. There may be other areas that we may need to reach by different means, but we will only be able to get a clear view of all that needs to be done once we get up there and survey the spiritual landscape.

Dear family in Christ, there is no doubt that we are living in a special time period in history, and that there is no time to waste. Right now, doors are open that may only be open for a very short time and that may never be opened again. To paraphrase the words of our Lord Jesus, "The harvest is indeed bountiful but the laborers are so few". I believe it is time for the entire body of Christ to stop watching the game from the sidelines, step up to home plate and start swinging. What do I mean by "step up to home plate and start swinging"? Well, let me repeat what I said to a brother that came to me for counseling just the other day. He came to me depressed and discouraged. There was turmoil in his marriage and his job. He said "I just cannot seem to find peace anywhere". I said, the solution to your problem is simple. You need to find out what God's will is for your life. He hung his head and said, I do not think I have ever really known what God's will was for my life. Then I asked him, "Have you ever earnestly asked God to show you His will for your life". He was silent and the shocked expression on his face told me the truth, he had never "ERNESTLY" sought the will of God for his life. Reading his mind I continued, When you ask God to show you His will for you it cannot be, God here is plan A, B & C that I have for my life, which one is your will? You cannot ask God to show you His will, but as long as it agrees with what you want for your life.

As I sit here and type this I wonder how many of the millions of Christians in America would the previous story apply to. How many of us have "earnestly" sought God's will for our lives, even if it were radically different then what we had planned for our lives. When I say that the body of Christ should step up to home plate and start swinging, this is what I mean, earnestly seek God's will and then do it. Now, no one can tell anyone else what God's specific will is for their life, but I believe the bible is very clear about what His will for the entire body of Christ is, and that is to get the Gospel out to every corner of the earth, to "all nations, and kindreds, and people, and tongues"(Rev 7:9). I believe that if we all would earnestly seek the Lords will, it would be to be involved in getting the Gospel out to the lost people of the world in some way. It actually says that the end will not come until this task has been completed by us the body of Christ in Mat: 24:14 (*And this gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in all the world for a witness unto all nations; and then shall the end come.*) I am reminded of the story of the Karen tribe of Burma, from the book Eternity in Their Hearts. By: Don Richardson. After having received Christ as their Savior, the entire Karen tribe almost down to the last person acknowledged that it was their Devine responsibility to spread the gospel to all the other tribes in their reach, and this they did.

Dear brothers and sisters let us all be like the Karen people and be about the Lords business of getting the gospel out to the last unreached regions of the world. There is room in the harvest field for all who want to

work, whether is be physically or just supporting those who are. Let us work fervently while it is yet day for the night comes when no man can work (John: 9:4).

Here are a few prayer requests we have, as we are about to leave for the Northwest Territories of Canada.

1. Please pray for our safe journey across over 5000 miles of road as we travel to and from this area. Also pray for the safe journeys of Drew Jennings and Rocky Denard, and David and Caleb Jolly as they will be flying up to join in the mission with Larry, after Vaughn returns to the US in order to make preparation to establish the Amazon Mission Base down in the Amazon jungle.
2. Larry will be going in for some routine medical check ups and test. Please pray that all the test come out fine.
3. Vaughn and Irene's car was recently wrecked while parked on the side of the road. Even though the damage was not devastating the value of the car was less then the price of repair and so they received a small settlement. The settlement they received is not enough to purchase another vehicle and it has left Vaughn's family without a dependable means of transportation while he is away. They are praying for the Lord to provide something with seating for more then 5 people and that is also smaller and easier for Irene to drive as well as economical. Please pray that the Lord will increase the money they received in settlement for their car and that it will be enough to by the vehicle that the Lord wants them to have, and also that they will not have to go into debt, since Vaughn has given up his company in order to go into full time service for the Lord.

We love all of you and appreciate your prayers and support more then words can express. May God richly bless you.