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Dear faithful friends and supporters,

SUMMER SALVATIONS!

God has blessed us with a fruitful summer! In our previous letter, I mentioned that Julie was able to lead a young lady to the Lord at Vacation Bible School. A couple of weeks later, I had the privilege to preach at a youth camp and then a family camp. At youth camp, there were 6 young people saved and 3 surrender to full-time ministry – praise the Lord! In July, we went on a mission trip with a team from our church to visit church planters Jake and Hali Woodfin and their family. God enabled us to distribute almost 10,000 doorhangers to promote the upcoming two year anniversary of Branches Baptist Church. We also served for their volunteer appreciate dinner. On that Sunday, a man who Pastor Woodfin has been sharing the gospel with for a year was finally, gloriously saved – praise the Lord!

MISSIONARY MARRIAGE CONFERENCE:

We just finished hosting our first ever "Married4Life" Conference for our missionaries. God blessed us with a sweet time of enrichment for missionaries and their marriages. We also had a pastor and his wife who joined us for the event. God used Pastor Wolfenbarger in a great way to challenge and encourage each one of us. Please pray for God's servants to have marriages that endure the storms and tempations that come!

UPCOMING APPOINTMENTS: We are looking forward to being at the Mission Conference at Heritage Baptist Church, Topeka, Kansas. The church was just recently organized after many years of faithful labor and prayer. Please pray for God's people to be challenged for missions and for more laborers to be sent into the harvest! A couple weeks later, I have the privilege to preach at the World Baptist Fellowship Bible Conference. Please pray for a great meeting!

ADDITIONAL PRAYER REQUESTS:

- Please pray for the salvation of our neighbors, Scott, and Julie's friend, Ashley.
- Please pray for our missionaries in Maui as they recover from the devastation there. God has blessed with abundant provision from God's people.
- Please pray for our travels. The vehicle we travel in has over 217,000 miles on it. Please pray for wisdom and provision as we seek to replace that vehicle soon.
- Please pray for Mallory as she returned home for just a few weeks and made a quick turn around to begin her senior year at WCBC as a dorm supervisor.
- Please pray for Kyler, Emily, and Eden as they continue full-time deputation.

We could not do what we do without your faithful prayers and financial support. Thank you so much for your generosity. We pray God continues to bless you in abundant ways!

Serving the Lord together,

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