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Native Americans

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Dear Friends,

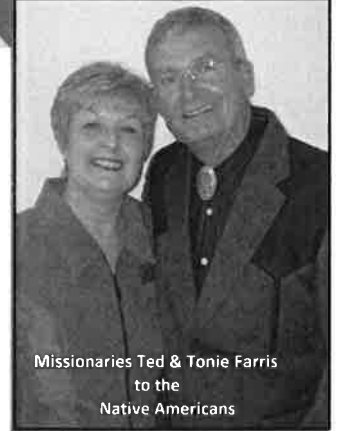
I apologize if this letter has come a little later than usual. This has been the season for a lot of sickness on the reservation and in our area. We have encouraged our people to stay home if they are getting sick. Several have been hospitalized including my wife with some flu bug she could not overcome. She is home now recuperating. The hospitals are full daily with those who have viruses and sicknesses. I understand many other states have been hit with sickness and even death.

On Sunday nights several of our Navajo men are rotating around and teaching in the Book of Deuteronomy. It is a real blessing to see our men being more involved in teaching and preaching. Each man takes about a half chapter and speaks on it. They write questions on the verses and get the congregation involved in answering questions and learning memory verses. I believe our people are being challenged to study and be prepared more on Sunday evenings. Our hearts desire is to see God raise up Navajo men to preach the Gospel. We have potentials for sure; we just pray God will build a fire under some of them.

Our Faith Bible Institute has grown to 11 students (with 5 new students). We are expecting at least 3 more new students for the Fall semester. We have been participating in the Faith Bible Institute for many years now and believe it is a real avenue of blessing to laypeople as well as those whom God chooses to go into full-time service. We are asking the Lord to give us new teachers and faithful servants for the Lord.

Continue to pray for Bro. Roy Hawthorne (Navajo Code Talker) He continues to hold his own. He asked the Lord to just let him live till the Lord returns for His people. We know that could be at any moment. Perhaps God will honor his prayer.

Gratefully Rec'd.



Missionaries Ted & Tonie Farris
to the
Native Americans

PRAY

Children's Crusade
last wk. of May

Youth Camp June

VBS July

Fall Semester FBI

Souls to be Saved

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