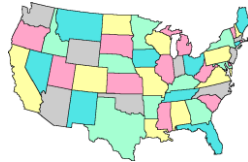




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"For we are labourers together with God" (I Cor. 3:9)

Whither We Goest, Thou Goest: By Your Prayers And Financial Support

Greetings. We hope all had a safe and happy 4th. We have decided to write about some of the things that have happened to us this past month.

Have you heard: When it rains, it pours? The day we had to take the motorhome to Freightliner to get some maintenance done, we got up at 5:20 am and left the campground at 7:00 hoping to be first in line. On the way we noticed a car flashing its lights at us so when we could, we pulled over. The driver informed us we had thrown a rock from the tires and it had hit his windshield so he called 911 to get a policeman there. We asked him to show us where it had hit and after searching, we found that it was only a scratch hardly visible. We had to wait over an hour for the police to come and when he did finally come, he informed the man that we were not responsible for a rock hitting his windshield. We were finally on our way to Freightliner but when we got there we found another motorhome had gotten there in front of us so we had a long wait. Finally around 3:15 they were finished with us and we headed back to the campground. When we got back to our space, we wanted to park where we would be more level but when I pulled the motorhome in, the gravel and ground was so soft that we almost sunk up to the axles on one side. After I got parked in our previous space, the steps were tore up from hitting the ground while sunk up, so now I have to fix those. It turned out that we paid Freightliner almost \$800 and they did not do the job right, but that is another story. Can you count on anyone anymore?

It keeps on pouring: Not only are we on Beer Belly Lane, but on Friday nights there is a live band near the campground that makes "noise" until 2:00 am. We have been spared one Friday night and that was because of rain – thankful for the pouring rain. We think we may start praying for it to rain every Friday night. We are looking into finding a more suitable campground in the near future, but so far we have had no success.

We have been door knocking in towns without the church. Several are near the Sesser congregation so we are putting their information in our packets. To date: we have passed out **501** packets and signed up **3** for the Bible correspondence course. We visited with a very small congregation (counting us there were 8 souls there) and offered our help. They are the only congregation in a town of 6,800. We have heard about so many congregations closing their doors in this area. We drove to a town about thirty miles from Sesser to find another small congregation but when we found the building, it was all grown up with a for sale sign out front. It is so sad! We learned later they had been closed down for several years. We plan to work in a town of 5,500 that has no church in the late summer or fall if possible. There is so much that needs to be done here. I have also been corresponding with the church in AZ getting things in order for the gospel meeting there.

We greatly appreciate all of you who support us financially and for those of you who pray for us. As we often say we know we could not be doing what we are without you, and even though it is a small thing we do, with your help at least we are trying to do something to reach the lost.

Oh, by the way, we have been getting a lot of rain here, i.e., the real stuff.

In His Service,
Perry & Sandy