



...a prayer letter from John and Jackie



August 25, 2010

Dear friends,
Greetings again in the name of Jesus! It is always an honor for us that you would take time to read our letter. When you also take time to pray for us, that is the supreme honor for us!

We are also extremely grateful to those who support our ministry financially. To this day, you who get our letter are the total source of our income. We remain dependent on your giving for our personal support and for the the ministry.

We are past normal retirement age. The simple fact is this: if we retired, what would we do? We would do what we are doing. We would keep praying and teaching and traveling to encourage new churches and young ministers. We will continue to serve God's harvest among the nations, as long as God gives us strength and breath.

Indonesia,
Sept 28 - Oct 21
Our next mission trip is to Indonesia. The exact location is unnamed in this letter for the Indonesian team's safety.

Indonesia is the largest Muslim country in the world. In some regions there are large and growing churches. In other regions like the one where we will be going, the authorities are very hostile toward any evangelism.

In the heart of this region are dozens of dedicated Christians from other parts of Indonesia who are giving their lives at great cost for Christ's sake.

We have known the leaders of this team since before they were married many years ago. Over the years, we have travelled to be with them repeatedly, mainly to bring prayer teams and to encourage their team. This couple has lived among these strict Muslims and raised three babies to

young adulthood, who are as dedicated to Jesus as their parents.

We will minister to their now large team and will also teach in their leadership school in another part of Indonesia, which functions to refresh weary workers, and prepare new recruits who will start their service after the school.

Our time will be filled with teaching, as well as personal encouragement and prayer with individual leaders.

These workers are heroes of the faith to us. They have left their homes on far away islands of Indonesia, entering a different culture within their country where conversion comes with great danger to all who are involved.

Please agree with us in faith for all the finances needed, and for the anointing of His Spirit in ministering to these ministers.

By God's grace, soon after returning from Indonesia, I (John) will go to Ukraine, and travel with pastor Gregory to visit our Churches of Praise in Armenia.



Part of the leadership team to whom we will bring encouragement

Thank you for being our friends and partners. We stand in faith with you for God's blood-bought blessing in every area of your life.

Keep your eyes firmly fixed on the Lord Jesus, and the love of your heavenly Father. In the world there is increasing trouble, as Jesus said there would be near the end of this age. But there also is an increasing presence of God all around the world, and a growing and thriving Church. Don't be deceived by the enemy who "prowls about like a roaring lion"! He is not the true lion. Your leader is the Lion from the Tribe of Judah!

With love,
John and Jackie

"Ask of Me, and I will make the nations Your inheritance, the very ends of the earth Your possession." Ps. 2:8

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