



The Jones Family

Prayer Letter

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And let the peace of God rule in your hearts, to the which also ye are called in one body;
and be ye thankful. *Colossians 3:15*

It's August and it's hot here in SW Florida but the Lord is providing opportunities here to spread His Word. In the month of July I was able to preach and teach in the main chapel and see many hearts turned toward the Lord. I do not have a room large enough for all my Bible Institute students so we have to send the lessons back into the housing units. The Lord is blessing the lessons here. Currently I have 69 students at DeSoto Correctional Inst.

In the Charlotte County jail, I have 104 inmates enrolled. I am thankful that the jail chaplain is willing to take the lessons in and send me the completed lessons back for grading. They do not allow the lessons to be mailed or allow me to enter.

The correspondence Bible studies I mail to the Upper Midwest States is where most of my work is. I have 1,033 active students and I mailed 550 lessons this month and received back 455 for grading. I had six (6) students accept the Lord while completing their lessons!! In the month of July I received a total of 837 lessons from the classroom, the County jail and the six States up North. I sent 858 lessons back to the students. I print all the lessons from my printer and I printed 10,729 copies this month, I enrolled 22 new students and sent or passed out 20 Bibles. Thank you for your prayers and support to keep the work of Lord proving this ministry to those that are locked up.

In the month of July I had some medical issues, I have a large kidney stone in my right kidney. It's been there for several years and I see the urologist once a month. I am on a medication that should dissolve it but that is causing some issues with my RA. I am trusting the Lord and I have good medical folks here in my area.

Thank you for your faithful support and prayers. I get many notes, emails and texts from my church family and faithful supporters. It will be worth it all, when we see Jesus!!

(I copied a note I received from a lady housed in the County jail on the back, she writes "please send more lessons!!!")

Please keep us in your prayers.

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*Thank you for all you
do for us. Thank you for
the blessings you provide!!
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2 Corinthians 4:5

For we preach not ourselves, but Christ Jesus the Lord; and ourselves your servants for Jesus' sake.