

Prayer Letter

October November December

Dear Faithful Supporters, Praying Partners,

Greetings, I hope this finds all well with you and your church and family. So many have been sick with the flu and colds my family and I are in that category. It started with our daughter Sarah she is better however, I am not. I have been battle this cold (chest and sinus congestion) for about six weeks. I thought I was getting better then I took a relapse two weeks ago. Pray for us!

In other news, the Lord blessed with five souls coming to Christ the Month of Oct. at my prison. Then while in Troy, NC (Southern Correctional) Eighteen Precious Souls came to know Him as there Savior. What a Blessing!

November, was when the Brown family was hit with sickness, and it has been a very trying time both physical, and financially. I have lost two hundred and fifty dollars a month in support. It was due to "uncontrollable circumstances" as one Pastor put it. However, the Lord has helped in getting seventy - five dollars of this in new support back. Please help us pray for more monthly support. That He would lead us to churches and individuals that would be willing to support this work on a monthly basis. It may be as one of our supporting churches put it they were going to increase our support come first of the year. Maybe your church would be willing! In all of this battle, the Lord blessed with six precious souls saved at my prison. God is Good "All the Time." My wife also traveled to a Women's prison in Lexington, NC. My wife had been praying about acting out a woman of the Bible. So she acted out the life of Sarah, she dressed up in a costume, what a Blessing it was to the Lady's at this women's prison. This way the woman's could see that Sarah was a real person. Maybe you would want her to come for one of your Ladies meetings if so please contacts her.

December, another year at my prison. I have been at my prison now two years. It is hard to imagine, my how time quickly goes by. For the incarcerated, this is good! I have been praying for and encouraging several inmates at my prison to get their G.E.D. . . . The other day over twenty received their G.E.D... It was after the ceremony that I met some of the parents that came to see their son's graduation. What I am about to share with you was truly a blessing. One of the inmates introduced me to his Mom & Dad. Then this is what the Mother said to me. "Chaplain Brown, I want you to know that the best thing that ever happens to my son was the day he gave his life to Jesus." Glory! I am sure that this mother would want to thank each Church and Individuals who have made this possible so that I could introduce her son to "Jesus".

How do my family and I Thank each and everyone for the generosity shown to us this year. For your kindness and your concern in making sure that, my family needs were met so that I could be at this prison-introducing mother's sons to the Son of God.

I want to thank each Church that responded to the Prayer Request for Octane. What a joy it was to see some of God's people respond in helping purchase books and helping on our daughter's bill. Please join us in prayer for my upcoming trip for the Rock of Ages Leadership Conference Jan 12- 16 /04 .I will travel to GA.

Then in July 18- July 23, 2004 my family and I will be traveling to Greater Portland Baptist Church, Portland Oregon for the Rock of Ages Prison Ministry National Conference. Please help us pray that the Lord would help us decide in how to travel to Oregon. Thanks for Praying!

In His Service,

Lonnie Brown

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