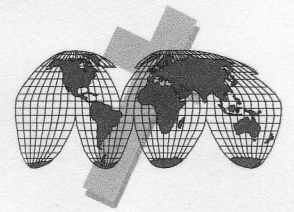


Thank you for Sharing



December 2011

Dear Friends of ROGMA,

PRAYER ANSWERED



For several years the ROGMA staff, board and friends have been praying for a couple to work with the Vanden Akkers and eventually to replace them. GOD ANSWERED OUR PRAYERS. The Vanden Akkers had an unplanned meeting with an executive of another mission. When he heard of our need he immediately recommended someone. Now fast forward - After a meeting with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Miller, the Board unanimously extended an invitation to the Millers who determined the Lord's leading in this and accepted the invitation to become ROGMA'S Executive Vice President. Paul is already learning the routines in the office and Deanna has spent several days with Marilyn learning what is involved in that part of the ministry. Mr. Miller first heard about ROGMA fifteen years ago when I spent a Sunday in his home church. Little did they know then that God would someday lead them to be part of ROGMA'S staff. Ever since that day they have been praying for ROGMA. We thank God for answering our prayers and welcome the Millers into the ROGMA ministry.

Mr. Miller will welcome the opportunity to present the ROGMA ministry in your Church, Sunday School class or Civic Organization. Just drop a note to Mr. Paul Miller, ROGMA INTERNATIONAL, PO Box 2008, Easley SC 29642. Phone (864) 855-2887.

December - Everywhere one turns one hears Christmas music so familiar to our ears. Once again we celebrate the birth of our Savior, Jesus Christ. For those who do not know Him personally it is just another holiday but for those of us who do know Him it is a Holy Day in which we remember that He came to save us. This is the central mission of ROGMA "Sharing the Word with the World." As you celebrate the birth of our Savior, do not forget to pray for ROGMA.



One of our graders sent in an item that touched my heart.

An inmate student is taking the new course on the Ten Commandments by Dr. John Barnett. At the end of some exams we include a "Decision Time." After signing the invitation he wrote the following:

"Dear fellow Christians,

So far I have truly enjoyed these studies. However, this particular study has painfully hit home in my heart, in my gut. After reading it I felt like dung!!! The truth will set us free if we take it to heart. I only have a few weeks left until the completion of my sentence. This study has shown me that there is much, much work yet to be done in my heart and mind. This study really hurt me, peeled back... I have a lot to pray about. Thank you, Signed: William

With last letter of 2011, all of us on the ROGMA staff want to wish you a Blessed Christmas and a very Happy New Year. May our Lord give you some wonderful days as you celebrate the season with your family and friends.

Serving the Lord and you,

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