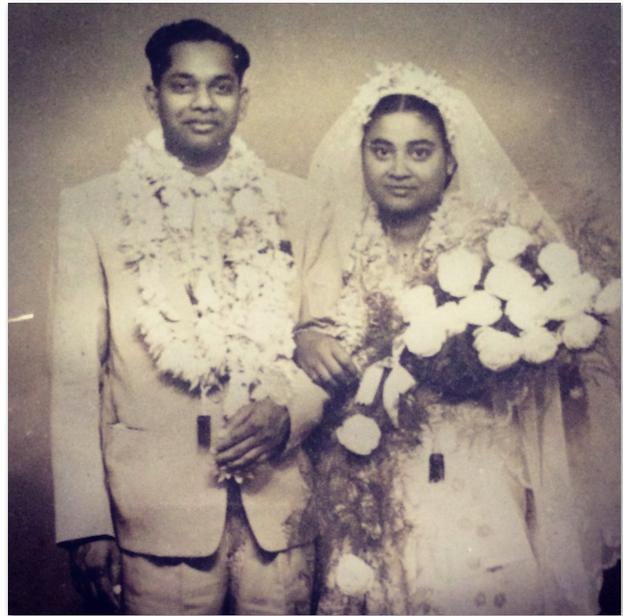


## January-February 2014

Dear Praying Friend,

Your continued commitment to the Lord's work and our ministry encourages us to be found faithful. Thank you for your remembrances of us before the Lord. The first two months of this year brought divine surprises to our human plans. God's ways are past finding out. Last year, I scheduled five missions conferences for January. I made it to three of them. God rearranged my schedule.

My previous letter mentioned that World Wide New Testament Baptist Missions' first missionary, Brother Joseph Roberts, had slipped into a coma on Christmas Eve. The family in India, counseled by their physicians, determined there was no hope. They were going to remove the life-support system. Brother Joseph Roberts' son called me and said it was his father's desire to have someone from our agency to come speak at his funeral. I made arrangements to leave immediately. (*I am thankful to the two pastors who excused me for their conferences.*) Upon my arrival, the doctors removed the life-support. To the astonishment of all, he revived, and his vital signs did not change.



Brother Joseph and Sarojini Roberts on their wedding day in 1957. She preceded her husband to Heaven.

A Hindu doctor stated he believed the God to whom we prayed was stronger than the gods of Hinduism to whom he prayed. Please pray for this doctor's salvation.

I returned to the US, and two weeks later Brother Roberts went to be with the Lord on February 12, 2014. Pray for his ministries in India. God used this man to plant over 200 churches.

The statement of the doctor is both haunting and motivating in the work of missions. Our God is more powerful. May we serve Him with all our being as we have so little time left.

Serving Him,



John O'Malley