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Dear supporting churches and friends,

Time for another update. Time sure flies by. 1 Corinthians 3:11 says; For other foundation can no man lay than that is laid, which is Jesus Christ. There have been foundations laid that we stand back and look at, study over and analyze, and then finally say that's perfect. A short time later something moves or shifts and we realize that we missed the mark. Sure am glad we serve the one who is rock solid, unchanging, and unswayable, and needs no help from us. I realize as time continues to march on that my wisdom seems to fall short, and sometimes it shows by the decisions I make. We are learning to give into the Holy Spirits guidance in all things.

Do want to thank those who contributed to the equipment move from New Bern NC. to Bradenton, Fl. Total miles were just over 3000 miles. Fuel cost was just over \$1500 dollars. That is just about what came in, in funds.

This was way short of what was needed. We arrived back in Bradenton with the equipment and have it set up and running. Getting back to decisions that I make, I had to make one in this whole process. That decision was to take money we didn't have, or had not set aside for this and make this equipment useable before we head back out on the road. This has caused us a huge financial strain. We have been staying just ahead of this for about 3 years. Incoming support has been late from some and love gifts for the most part just barely cover our expenses. We have only added one church on for support in the last 6 months. We have had a couple that have told us that they want to take us on for support, but we haven't seen them yet. So here is where we are. We are in Bradenton, Fl. The truck and trailer are parked, which means no other income "love gifts from churches we are working at". Something has got to change for us. Next decision, we need to head back out on deputation. We right now, have no display, we have no useable presentation and not one meeting on the books. We are asking that you pray with us and for us in the coming days and months. Don't know how to go from here or where to go from here. I have to admit there are times that I would like to go back to what was a normal life for us. Being around our kids and seeing our grand kids grow up. Decisions I have made in my life, there are decisions made, some good some bad. One of the biggest decisions made in my life, was after seeing myself sitting in the harvest field of Matthew 9:37-38. They were sent in to the field to work, not sit. Decisions made, rock solid foundation tells me this was one of the best decision of my life.

In His Service to be a Help,  
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