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Dear Prayer Partners,

***“Come and see the works of God ... O bless our God, ye people,
and make the voice of his praise to be heard:” Psalm 66:5a,8***

God is truly faithful to His Word! We KNOW that He hears and answers prayer! Before we begin our trip next week, we wanted to share some of what God has done in answering prayer for many of you who have kept us before His Throne of Grace!

New Car (to us)

In our previous prayer letter, you may remember that we mentioned the upcoming trip we are planning to take to the East in order to try to raise more support. We asked prayer at that time for some specific needs regarding this trip. One of those concerned our vehicle that had over 200,000 miles. We simply asked that you pray that the Lord would keep it running or provide us with a different car.

One evening one of our prayer supporters called to say he and his wife had read our prayer letter and were concerned about our car. They said they believed the Lord wanted them to help us in this need. As it turned out, since they dealt with used cars in their business, they swapped our car for a different car of the same make and model with only 68,000 miles on it, beautiful condition, and also put 4 new tires on it as well!

We are so grateful and humbled to see how God has worked! Truly, this is a fantastic example of the plan God has for His people to “come along side” and help one another, using the resources God has provided, when God speaks about a need! How we praise Him for speaking to His servants and then for the sweet spirit of these dear people to respond to His leading! Our prayer is that God will richly bless this dear couple for their sacrificial giving!

New E-mail

Please be aware that we are currently changing our email carriers. We have used Juno for many years, and due to recent computer problems, we have once again lost Sue's e-mail addresses. (Sue's computer died, and we lost everything on the hard drive.) Therefore, please make a note: Sue's new e-mail address is: rrpianist@gmail.com and Mike's new e-mail address is: rimrockparson@gmail.com. Mike still receives Juno e-mails, but since Sue's email address book was lost, she needs you to e-mail her so that she will get your address.

Needless to say, this past month has been a month of challenges and blessings! God has allowed us to replace Sue's computer, but the challenges are overwhelming in getting programs and files to work! We would ask you, our faithful prayer warriors, to pray that God would continue to enable us to understand the technology we need to use as we seek to do His work!

New Ministry Opportunities

The next couple of months will necessitate a change, somewhat in our ministry. As we travel many miles, minister in many different churches, missionary conferences, and present the burdens on our hearts for the overwhelming needs here in the West for church planters and helpers, please pray that God will use this trip for HIS GLORY!

We are also praying and hoping that the Lord will enable us to meet with a couple of people who might be able to help us with some of the computer challenges we have been facing.

Along these lines, Sue has been putting some of her piano arrangements into computer files to eventually make them available to others who might want to use them. It is truly a challenge to learn new programs, but the Lord has clearly opened up the opportunity. She is praying the Lord will allow her to get assistance from others during this trip so that she will be able to continue this work.

New Prayer Requests

- ✳ Pray for the people in the work in Rimrock, that they will remain faithful.
- ✳ Pray for safety, physical strength and good health during our travels. We will be leaving Rimrock on Wednesday, May 11 and plan to return by July 16. We are so thankful that the Lord has allowed us to fill almost every Sunday and Wednesday with speaking engagements. We will have two missionary conferences, one piano seminar, as well as deputation meetings and reporting to supporting churches. Your prayers during these two months are very important to us, and we thank you for your faithfulness!
- ✳ Pray that God will continue to meet the needs of our church and us as we take this trip.

We thank each of you who partner with us through your prayers and support as we continue to serve the Lord here in the Mountain West.

In His service,

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“Now he that planteth and he that watereth are one: and every man shall receive his own reward according to his own labor. For we are laborers together with God...” I Corinthians 3:8,9