



The Jerry Jackson Family
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Dear Praying Friends,

It is always good to keep in mind that, while we labour for the Lord Jesus with all our hearts, the outcome is always in the Lord's hands. As Paul stated, "I have planted, Apollos watered; but God gave the increase (1 Corinthians 3:6)."

James is doing well with his new job, picking up the skills necessary and getting along with his coworkers. The Lord has given James a few opportunities to be a witness for the Lord Jesus, and we are praying that his life and testimony will be used to bring some of his coworkers to a saving knowledge of Christ.

We have seen some visitors in our services during the month of March. These folks have come to us through personal contact, as well as through John & Romans placed in their mailbox. They seem to genuinely enjoy the services, and claim salvation, but they are in need of Biblical grounding. Please pray for wisdom as we preach and teach the Word of God. We desire the growth and maturity of these folks as we challenge them with what God states in His Word.

I have had the opportunity to meet with a lost man who was (is) contemplating suicide. He reached out to us through a flyer that was left on his vehicle. We have had several discussions together, focussing on his eternal soul. He is beginning to understand his need to enjoy a right relationship with God, and we are praying for his salvation.

We have often mentioned the need for me to receive my Permanent Resident card. Without this card, I am unable to leave Canada and return. Finally, after more than a year of waiting, calling, emailing, and praying, I received my PR card in the mail. This is a relief to me and our whole family. Thank you for praying with us about this need. Please join us in thanking God for another answer to prayer.

Things are changing in Canada. What was once a nation based on Judaeo-Christian values has turned against any order God has placed in His creation (in the individual, in the home, in the church, and in the government). We know that we are living in the last days, but it is eye-opening to see things falling into place for the coming of Antichrist and Tribulation. This realization challenges us to work while it is day. Please pray for open doors to reach as many people with the Gospel as we can and wisdom to disciple those reached for Christ. There is much work left to do for the Lord!

Finally, please pray for labourers. We need more labourers in the ministry here, so that we can accomplish more for the Lord. We need more labourers in other churches across Canada. I received another call last week from a church without a pastor, seeking our help. We cannot be everywhere at once, but we do what we can to encourage God's people. It would be better for these churches to have a pastor of their own to lead them on a consistent basis. I believe God is still calling men into His work, but some are not surrendered to the call or the direction of that call. ***What would God have you to do?***

Humbly His.

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