

SILOAM MISSIONARY HOMES, INC.

FOR GOD IS NOT UNRIGHTEOUS TO FORGET YOUR WORK AND LABOR OF LOVE WHICH YE HAVE SHOWN TOWARD HIS NAME
IN THAT YE HAVE MINISTERED TO THE SAINTS, AND DO MINISTER. HEBREWS 6:10

Dear Friends:

Greetings in the name of the Lord. I can't believe everything that has happened since I last wrote, so let me give you a quick run-down.

We heard about a place in St. Petersburg, Fl. that is like what we have in mind for missionary homes. We called them and Mr. Lilly, their administrator invited us to visit, which we did. We were at D & D Missionary Homes on April 15-17. They were so helpful and encouraged us. Their staff was willing to even help us get started with the ministry here. We left refreshed and encouraged to have been able to share in the burden that is a reality in Florida.

April 16, 1992
Siloam Missionary Homes is now a registered non-profit corporation! Praise the Lord!

April 25, 1992
We had a luncheon with area mission boards who represent over 4,000 missionaries and explained our plans. What a time of fellowship, not to mention the food!

May 1, 1992
We had our first missionary guests, Mr. & Mrs. Royal Taylor, missionaries to Brazil.

What a blessing to discuss our plans with them. They confirmed in my heart the giant need for providing a place of resting for our friends who are serving the Lord.

May 2, 1992
We have been in contact with a local printer who is working on our first pamphlet that will explain the ministry to interested individuals. It will be so helpful to have something to leave with people we have contacted or to send through the mail.

*** WHAT'S IN THE NAME? ***

"SILOAM" - To be sent...
When we were trying to decide what to call the mission, we debated over several names. As I sat with an attorney filling out our incorporation papers, he said, "What is the name of your ministry?" I gave him various ideas, and then said, "I don't know."

On the way to church one Sunday evening, I prayed, "Please, Lord, I need a name for the ministry and I have to meet with the attorney tomorrow. Show me something in the sermon tonight that will give me an answer." That night, Pastor Jackson spoke of the Pool of Siloam. Thank you, Lord, for answered prayer!

ATTEMPT FOR GREAT
THINGS FOR GOD,
EXPECT FROM GOD.
-----William Carey

What an exciting month as we have had many wonderful responses to our first letter.

FROM THE MAILBAG.....

"We now know about how the Lord is leading and will be praying with you as this project develops and keep our people informed."

-Macon Hare, Chairman New Tribes Mission, Florida

"I am sure the Lord will bless you and it will mean a lot to missionaries to have a home to come to when on furlough."

-Ruth Johns, Topeka, Indiana

"The D & D Missionary Homes village in St. Petersburg, Fl. has provided housing for several of our missionaries and I am glad to know that a similar village is being planned for this area."

-Larry Fehl, Director, Society for International Ministries

"Wow! We received your letter and think what you're doing is great! I totally agree that housing for furlough is hard to come by and is sure needed."

-Steve & Lynn Mishler, Wycliffe Missionaries

"I wanted to send a note to say Thank You for this new project you are planning. My husband felt this same need, but I guess age and his early homegoing caused for never doing what he thought a need for our missionary friends. Praise the Lord you are getting it underway."

-Mrs. Ruth Stanton, Athens, Mi.

Many folks have been asking, "How will this ministry operate? We have a board of Directors plus an advisory board made up of businessmen, pastors, missionaries, and laymen. The organization operates by faith - being completely dependent upon God to supply every need. It is not underwritten by any mission agency or denomination (as we are interdenominational). Siloam Missionary Homes assists churches and mission agencies by providing housing for missionaries.

We are presently looking at purchasing 9.6 acres with a duplex for \$122,000. Joyce and I are continuing to work our jobs to maintain our own expenses, but are trusting the Lord will provide for the purchase of the property. Our home is presently for sale, and we will use what is made from the sale to put towards the down payment of

this property. We will live in half of the duplex until the property is paid for. Then we hope to build another duplex, as the need for housing is so great.

No money received will be used for salaries, but for housing and upkeep. Even with the property in our possession, there are repairs that will need to be made in order for the duplex to be ready for our first missionaries.

We trust and pray that as individuals seek the Lord's guidance, that they will see the need before us and will be willing to help.

We appreciate so much your prayers, letters of encouragement, and those who have sacrificed financially to help make this ministry a reality.

Together in serving HIM,



Larry George
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