



SILOAM MISSIONARY HOMES

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"providing temporary missionary housing, permanently"

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THE EXCITEMENT is building! "I can't believe it!" Joyce screamed as she ran from one end of the duplex to the other.

The walls are up and we can now see where the kitchen sink and window will be. All of the months of cutting trees and clearing the area fade from our minds as we see the duplex going up.

The Lord has truly blessed this ministry! We needed a place to house workers coming from Michigan, and the Lord lead us to Terry Creech and Steve Austin with Glory Land Bible Camp (which is right behind our trailer). They are letting us use their facilities at no charge for our workers. Praise the Lord!

I Corinthians 15:57: "But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ."

The tubs were put in today, and the roof trusses delivered! Thank you for all your prayers and support. Please continue to pray for us!

We are beginning to take applications for missionary families who will need housing after May 1, 1994. If you know of a missionary family coming home on furlough, or that will be traveling through North Carolina, please have them write to us for an application so we can reserve a place for them. We provide housing for the cost of utilities, plus a small maintenance fee.

SILOAM MISSIONARY HOMES BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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PRAY FOR YOUR MISSIONARIES!

Eph. 6:18

"Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit (on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests) and watching there unto with all perseverance (with this in mind, be alert) and supplications for all saints (always keep on praying for all the Saints)."

While studying my devotions in Ephesians, this verse really stuck out to me to pray for one another. We do not realize sometimes the trials and difficulties our brothers and sisters may be facing. So, when the Holy Spirit brings them to mind, pray for them. Your missionaries may be homesick, or feeling lonely today. Maybe they are discouraged, facing a trial. Pray for them!

Please make a list, and pray daily for the Saints as God has commanded us to do. Pray that God will encourage, strengthen, and uplift them. Pray that God would give them an extra special blessing today. You, too, will be blessed!

by Larry George

ON THE ROAD....

Since October 25th, we have driven approximately 7,000 miles.

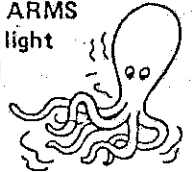
In November, we were at Hines Chapel in McLeansville, N.C., and had the opportunity to participate in their missions conference. What a blessing! How we praise the Lord for their vision for missions.

In November, we also visited our friends at Apples Chapel in Gibsonville, N.C. Thanks for a great meal and for greeting us with open arms.

In December we visited our home church, Factoryville Bible Church, Athens, Mi. We had a great time of fellowship, and planned their trip to N.C. We also got to visit Vicksburg Bible Church and update them on things at SMH. We enjoyed seeing everyone again!

On January 16th, we will be presenting SMH at Westside Chapel in Greensboro, N.C.

Many ARMS
make light
work!



WORK DAYS

JAN 10-22: House framing and roofing. A group is here from Michigan for these two weeks to help.

We will be working on the duplex every Saturday, weather permitting, until it is completed. If you would like to come out and help, we would appreciate it! Just give us a call, and we will let you know the details.



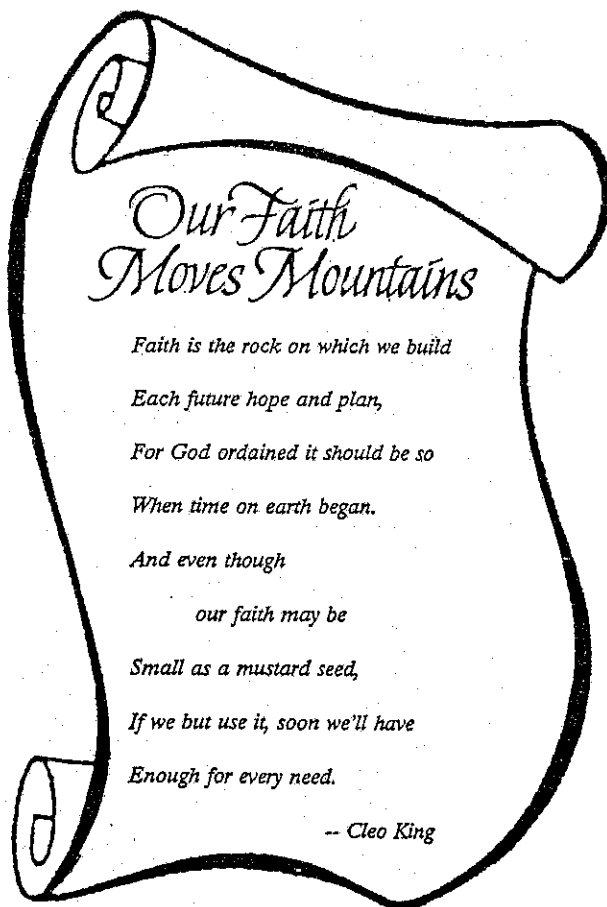
TAKE TIME OUT OF YOUR
BUSY SCHEDULE AND HELP

Matt 6:33 "But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and His righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you."

What a blessed promise from the Lord Jesus. If we seek the things of God first, all of our earthly needs will be met.

Truely we have seen this promise fulfilled at SMH as we walk out on the property and see the first duplex nearly completed. We can clearly see how faithful God is when we put Him first - six months ago the first duplex was only a blueprint, but by God's marvelous grace, it is now a reality.

-- by Todd Martin



WHAT JESUS MEANS TO ME

Chris Hancock is a man who truly loves the Lord. He and his wife, Janice, have been such an encouragement to Joyce and I from the beginning of this ministry. Chris is on the board of directors of Siloam Missionary Homes.

Three years ago, Chris felt God's call to share Christ through the ministry of music. He attended Stamp Backs School of Music under the tutelage of Brock Speer. One year ago, Chris entered a Gospel music contest at Carolina Gospel Music Festival in Charlotte, N.C., where he won first place in the solo division. He received a recording contract with Mark V recording studio in Greenville, S.C.

Chris has performed with some of Southern Gospel's best artists, such as The Cathedrals, Bishops, Perfect Heart, the Welborns, Karen Peck & The New River, and more.

Because of Chris' desire to be used of the Lord and his interest in missions, he has made a special offer to Siloam Missionary Homes with his latest cassette tape "What Jesus Means To Me." For a limited time, we would like to send you one of these tapes free of charge, when you make a special one time donation of \$25.00 or more to SMH.

This tape has been such a blessing and encouragement to us, and we would like to share it with you. Please make sure to request the tape when you send your \$25.00 donation. Thanks!



Dear Coffee Club Members,

I hope you all had a great Christmas and a Happy New Year! We certainly did. We had a wonderful visit with Larry's family in Michigan, and even had a "white Christmas!" We spent New Year's Eve with some of our friends that I grew up with in Brazil. We always have fun when we get together. We sang, tried to solve the world's problems (have you notice a difference yet?), and ate a lot.

As Larry said, we are so excited about what is going on at the property these days. Pastor Williamson, Pastor Johnson, Bruce Loker, and Phyllis Burke are here this week. They came from Michigan to help with the construction. It is amazing to see what they have done each day, and the progress that is being made. How we praise the Lord for their willingness to take time to come and give of themselves. Phyllis is keeping busy with planning and preparing the meals for all of them. We have been enjoying eating supper and fellowshiping with them each evening (we are really getting spoiled!). My parents have been helping every day, too.

Rachel and Abbey are getting ready to take semester exams over the next few days. That's always fun! Rachel had her 16th birthday on December 29th, and was able to get her driver's license last week. It will help us a lot to be able to let her do some of the "running" for us. (Not too much, though. Mom & Dad aren't quite ready to let her have the car too often yet!)

I just wanted to share my verse for this year with you. It is found in Isaiah 26:3-4. "Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on Thee, because he trusteth in Thee. Trust in the Lord forever, for in the Lord Jehovah is everlasting strength." It is my desire this year to learn to trust God more, and in return He promises to give peace and strength. What a blessed promise!

Thank you all again, so much, for your very important part in keeping this ministry going! By now, you should have received our 1993 financial report. From that, you can see the abundant provision the Lord has bestowed on Siloam. We are so thankful!

Your "Coffeemate,"

Joey

I would like to make a one time donation, which is enclosed.

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I have enclosed a special one time donation of \$25.00 and would like to receive the tape "What Jesus Means to Me."

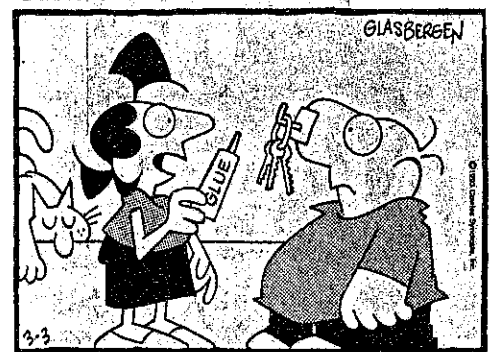
I would like to help provide temporary housing for missionaries by joining the Coffee Club. Each month I will help support SMH with a pledge of:

- \$15.00 \$50.00
- \$25.00 \$ other

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

THE BETTER HALF



"Okay now...no more whining about lost keys!"