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Dear Friends,

Good morning! I was so excited this morning and wanted to talk to you. I do pray this letter will encourage and bless you. We serve a great and wonderful Lord. He is always here, waiting to help us. I know there are times in my own life that I allow circumstances to dictate my life. The busy schedules, running here and there, sick family members, financial difficulties - big things now, so trivial to eternity. The Lord tells us over and over to let Him carry the load. But I know none of you are *hard heads* like me. Sometimes I have to be reminded to leave it in the Lord's hands. After all, I do belong to Him.

This reminds me of the time when I was just a small boy. I would help my dad push wheel barrels of dirt to different areas of the yard. He would constantly remind me not to put more than I could push and balance. Wouldn't you know when he was out of sight, I would load the wheel barrel too full and it would dump! (It would have taken half the time and effort had I just listened.) Then he would come around the corner and offer his help. Sometimes he would just shake his head and say, "you'll just have to learn". Maybe today you are experiencing a similar circumstance. Maybe the world seems too big, the problems too overwhelming. Be of good cheer. The Bible says in Mat 11:28-30. "*Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.*" I know I have to practice what I preach. So pray for me and I'll keep praying for you. I do pray today will be a real blessing for you. God loves you and so do I.

I want to briefly update you on what is going on around here. The big news in our family is that our daughter, Abbey, is getting married Oct 13th. We are busy getting things ready for that. She is marrying Mike Rich, a great guy who loves the Lord. For all you folks in Irons. Mi., he is the big guy I brought with me last winter. I thought he wanted to go snowmobiling. I didn't realize he just wanted to see Abbey ☺

We mentioned in our last newsletter that we are building the Isley house that will be used to house missionary young adults. This home will be used to house MK's until such a time that we can build the Hope Family Center. The excitement continues to build as we see the completion on the horizon.

Yesterday the electric company came and installed the underground. All the drywall, mudding and sprayed ceilings are completed. The heating and air was finished on Monday. So now the main focus will be the interior, landscaping and the septic. We currently have about \$7,000 dollars remaining in the building fund and need an additional \$6,000 to \$7,000 to finish. This letter is not to ask for money, but to ask you

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"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." Heb. 6:10

to pray for the quick completion, laborers and furnishings for this project. We are continuing to move forward with great anticipation to the completion of this home. Plans will be to have the house parents moved in by mid September and after they complete their training be able to start housing MK's the first of January. We have had several inquires from MK's, so pray the Lord will bring the kids here that He would choose.

In closing I would like to encourage you to put us before the Throne. Pray that we will be sensitive to do what the Lord wants. Thank you for your prayers, letters of encouragement and your sacrificial giving. May God continue to bless you as we serve our Lord together, with gladness in our hearts, and leaning on Him. He is the great *Jehovah - Jireh*, our God Jehovah **will** provide Gen. 22:14.

Because of Christ,

Larry George
Director