

“...STREAMS  
IN THE  
DESERT.”  
ISA. 35:6B



## THE HAYNES FAMILY

### MISSIONARIES TO THE NAVAJO NATION

Dear Pastor and Church,

September - October 2010

**“PASTOR MARK, PRAY FOR MY GRANDMOTHER”**



Kelaiah is one of our van kids. She comes on the route that covers the nearby community of Kinlichee. She was one of several of our van ministry kids that had something they wanted Pastor to pray with them about. Little did we know that her grandmother had already passed on. The van driver told me about it after returning from running the route. **I went to see Kelaiah and her dad, Ryan. There were a large number of people gathered in the house and they represented a cross section of different belief systems. In Navajo tradition, it is a taboo to speak of death, but the taboo is lifted when a relative passes away. I was able to give the plan of salvation to about 20 people in the room that day.** Please pray that there will be fruit from this presentation.

**THE WORK GOES ON WHEN THE MISSIONARY IS GONE**

We were gone for two weeks in both September and October. The Lord was so good in that the work continued on without a hitch while we were gone. **There were people saved and visitors while we were gone. Two of our young men, Ryan and Jonathan, preached twice while we were gone. Bro. Hollifield also preached and did a great job.** Praise the Lord for faithful men!!

**NAZLINI CHURCH SITE**



**We are continuing to work on getting an abandoned church site in the community of Nazlini, about 25 miles from Ganado. A building is there that was never occupied. The group that has the rights to it is willing to sell the building to us for \$30,000. Our son, Joel, is planning on starting a work in this community. Please pray for us that we can get all the Federal land site issues taken care of so that we can purchase the building without any legal problems.** The site has been surveyed and we are now proceeding with the necessary clearances required by the Tribe and the BIA. **If you would like to have a part financially in helping us purchase the building or pay for the surveys and clearances, please get in touch with me.** The opportunity is great!!

**MISSIONS CONFERENCE AND BAPTISMS**

**We saw four people saved on our first Sunday back in October and baptized three the next week! Our Missions Conference was fantastic and the folks committed to give over \$27,000 to missions for the next year. Bro. Will Carter, a Northern Cheyenne and a dear friend, preached tremendous messages!** Bro. Will is a great missionary who is worthy of your support! He is starting a work among his own people on the Rez in Montana. Our Navajo church proudly supports Bro. Will and 17 other missionaries! God blesses churches that support missions!



**GOODBYE DR. HOWARD SEARS – A LIFE WELL LIVED**



**It was my privilege to grow up at Grace Baptist Church in Middletown, Ohio, under the ministry of Dr. Howard Sears. At age 95, Bro. Sears went home to be with the Lord and his sweet wife, Ethel, on October 29<sup>th</sup>. I was called to preach under his ministry. I am not much, but what I am can be traced back to Dr. Sears. He was a Man of God and my pastor growing up. Thank you, Preacher. See you soon.**

**Mark and Tricia Haynes and Family**

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