On the Wings of Prayer

"Because thou hast been my help, therefore in the Shadow of thy wings will | rejoice:" Psalm 63:7

I invite you to go to our new website at <u>www.ibfi.us</u>. It is designed to be a helpful resource of information about the ministries associated with the Independent Baptist Fellowship International. Important information available to you there includes:

- Missionary Prayer Letters (both current and past) as well as photos, Wings of Prayer and Biographical Information
- Searchlight (current and past editions)
- Information on Upcoming Fellowship Meetings (National, State and Local) as well as photos from past meetings
- Contact Information and Links to other websites of ministries that we support such as Crown Southwest / Norris Seminary, Fort Worth School of the Bible and Lake Texoma Baptist Youth Camp and Conference Center.

I encourage you to help us keep the information current. Please put me on your mailing list and send information about upcoming meetings to me at the IBFI office or <u>jpeeples@ibfi.us</u>. We hope to expand the website in the future to be a greater service to you.

> John Peeples IBFI Mission Director

January 2011

- Melissa Houston (Mexico) has been busy with the children's Bible clubs. God has blessed with children accepting Christ. Also, several children have come to Christ during church visitation. Please pray for Melissa's safety as she continues to bring the Good News of salvation to the children of Mexico.
- Daniel and Michelle Jones (Mexico) are faithfully serving in Mexico. They request your prayers for their safety and the safety of their church members. The Lord has blessed their ministry with a Bible Institute that is training pastors and missionaries to carry out the great commission. The Lord continues to bless their churches and faithful witness to the Mexican people.
- Leslie and Alba Priday (Honduras) are preparing for many church activities. Please pray for the Vacation Bible School in January and the upcoming Ladies' Conference and Youth Camp. The Lord is blessing their faithful service.

- Ron and Kathy Valerio (Dominican Republic) are on furlough and busy traveling. They plan to return to the field in March or April 2011. Please pray with them about starting a new work in the capital city once they return to the Dominican.
- **Bill and Sharon Smith (Brazil)** had a good service at the Bible Baptist Church of Carana. The work is celebrating their10th anniversary. There was good attendance with 70 present. The Smith's started this work in 2000. Pastor Paulo is doing a good job leading the church. The Bible Baptist Church in Alvorada had a campaign to learn verses, bring visitors, and faithful attendance. The young people worked hard and some learned as many as fifty verses.
- **C. L. Jones (Mexico)** traveled to Ohio to preach a mission conference for Pastor Bill Keen. They had a good meeting. Bro. C. L. also had the opportunity to preach for Pastor Townsend and Pastor Spencer while in Ohio.
- Mission Office please let us know if you are not getting the missionaries prayer letters. Sometimes it is difficult for them to keep up with change of addresses.
- **Prayer Request** Charles Nixon had a heart attack January 11th, but is doing better . C. L. Jones will be having cataract surgery in January. For our missionaries well-being physically, emotionally, and spiritually.

Mission Store will be May 19, 2011. This is a special blessing to our missionaries. Please plan to have a part by sending mission store items and gift cards.

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-Thomas Hale