



# WINTER 2011



Hello friends,

Welcome to 2011, Leanne and I are excited to see what the Lord has for us this year. God has again proven His faithfulness to us during the past year. Our support level has fluctuated, from starting out below 60% to making it up to almost 80% and then back down again. With all of the ups and downs, He has met our needs. We have been enjoying watching our son Daniel grow and learn. He is 3½ now, and the questions he asks have been really interesting. The big thing he wants is to grow strong so he can drive. We have another 12½ years of him asking to drive before we have to say “yes.” Leanne is learning to be the stay-at-home mom of an energetic, fun, very outgoing, and at times trying, little boy, but she is doing a wonderful job. My work at BBI has continued to run the gamut, from processing donations to producing radio programs, from working on the website to working on printers; life as a missionary at BBI is never dull.



The ministry of Bible Basics continues to grow, both through our staff at the home office and our missionaries in the field. Several of our men, who work here at HQ, teach and preach in local churches. Our publication ministry continues to grow as Dr. Priddy is very close to publishing his new book. Our President, Rev. Evan Drake, recently spent a week teaching pastors in Haiti. Our ministry to Honduras is about to take a new direction as Rev. Travis Mitten and his family are headed to Siguatepeque. Travis is starting a new ministry to pastors who want more training but are unable to attend a

conventional seminary. The listenership of Radio HRGS continues to grow as the couples who serve there, the Silseths and Petersens, reach out to the community where they live and work. We have recently set a goal of having the first of two radio stations up and running in Togo, West Africa in 2014. This will be a whole new part of the world for BBI. We are partnering with the ministry of ABWE, who is already there ministering to the people directly and building and operating hospitals. There is a lot to be done and we are just getting started, but we believe the Lord wants us to stretch in this new direction. Proverbs tells us that “The mind of man plans his way, But the Lord directs his steps.” In order for the Lord to direct our steps, we must be moving otherwise He can't steer. Please pray with us that we will be sensitive to His steering as we make plans and take steps to reach Togo for Christ.

Leanne and I really appreciate all of you who have been praying for us and giving to our ministry. Just before the end of last year we lost our biggest supporter because their business slowed to the point that there just weren't any funds to give. While we have lost support in other areas as well the Lord has been good and has supplied. He used His followers to make up the difference for December and January with one-time donations. The Lord brought in increases in regular support from some others. Watching Him work is really amazing. Please pray with us that we will be able to find still more sources of support. Our support level is just shy of 58% but we are confident in God's ability to take care of us. We are doing His work. BBI is reaching the world and looking to do more. The enemy will try to stop us and discourage us whenever he can, but we have the victory through Jesus Christ.

In His service,

*Brett & Leanne*

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- I/we will pray for you and your ministry with Bible Basics International.

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