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# WHAT'S HAPPENING NOW!

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### PROPOSED CABIN



## From Jim

Dear Partners,

I hope this finds everyone encouraged, strengthened, and confident as they walk forward each day in the path of our Lord Jesus Christ. I look forward to sharing these updates with you and hope you enjoy them too. I would like to request your help with two critical areas over the coming months. We are desperately low on the remaining copies of the Amazing Grace book. We use these in all ministry areas to share the gospel message. We are also hoping to have sufficient funds to build one of the cabins at left in May. If we can complete just one, we will have a model to use for future support, a standard for the training program, and a pattern for other home replacement projects. I trust that God will burden the hearts of those who are capable of meeting both these needs. We thank you for your continued interest, support and prayers as we follow God: *going where He sends us, doing what He tells us.*

In His Service,

*Jim*

## Cheyenne River Sioux Indian Reservation

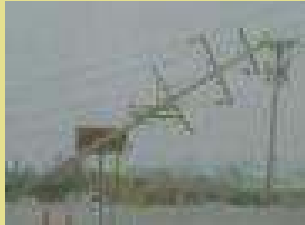
**CURRENT:** Since our last letter, there has been significant damage on the reservation due to Winter storms. Over 3,000 electric poles were knocked down and the water system was not working. A community with very little, now has less. They are receiving help but it could be a month before all electric is back on, and their water system could have permanent damage. Please continue to pray for them. Temperatures and wind chills there are bad enough when the electric and water works!

**PROJECTED: Help!** We are still seeking a trucking company to transport coats and blankets to Eagle Butte. If we had affordable transport, we could send a regular shipment to them.

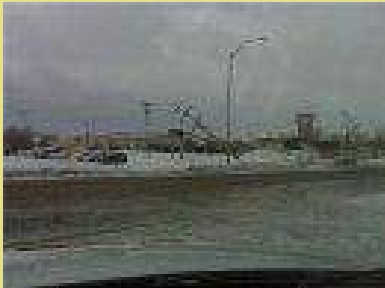
**Mission Trip:** May 16 – 25, 2010 (see below & website for brochure).

**NEEDS:** We need your help with the following:

- \$6200 towards construction materials;
- \$1200 towards travel expenses to go and do the work;
- Coats, blankets, warm clothing;
- \$300 for bibles, \$200 for The Conquering Indian book (**THIS NEED MET**).



**Reservation  
Ice Storm**



**Over 3,000 electric poles down**



**No electric knocked out water system**



**Blizzard conditions**



**Whiteout**

## St. Louis/Colombia, South America Outreach

**CURRENT:** Colombia: the pastors and churches continue to reach out to the families who received food donations at Christmas.

Amigos en Cristo: The Wed evening bible studies have split into two groups in two different communities and is growing. One person prayed to receive Christ and many questions are being answered. Weekly services continue at the church on Sunday. The harvest is plentiful.

Oasis Food Pantry and Thrift Store: Another building is in drywall stage and another is almost ready for paint. The changes and improvements give the site a completely different look. With the economy as it is, the pantry is now serving over 500 families each month.

**PROJECTED:** Work at Oasis will continue to help restore buildings. In partnership with the Amigos en Cristo, we want to partner with the pastor of the 25 member church in Colombia to provide Christian literature, resources, and encouragement as they reach out to their community. We also plan to continue sharing God's message of salvation here in the Hispanic community to help others develop a personal relationship with Jesus Christ. In doing so, we hope to develop other bible studies/house churches and true Christian community with those God brings into our path.

**NEEDS:** We need your **help** with the following:

- **A good used computer for one of our Amigos group leaders.**
- **English to Spanish translators for articles.**
- On-going financial donations to provide food to the poor in Girardot, Columbia.

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## Guatemala Outreach - with our partner Plant Today

Plant Today takes the lead in this outreach in San Pedro Las Huertas. Work continues with six local churches to help the community with their physical and spiritual needs and reach the poorest sections of town.

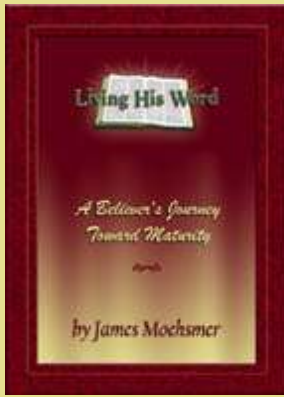
**CURRENT:** Through the church, support is being provided to five families. We are also helping the church acquire needed items. Outreaches continue in the poorest sections of town as a group church effort.

**PROJECTED:** More In Touch Messengers will be distributed. Once properties are acquired, we will help construct a building to house a water purification system and also to construct a Community Center.

**Mission trip** Apr 24 – May 2, 2010. Check out the website for details.

**NEEDS:** We need your help with the following:

- Support for the Pastor and his family - \$225 per month
- San Pedro Church: Sound system upgrade and instruments - \$800.
- More plastic tables/chairs for Children's Ministry area - \$200.



Living His Word



Amazing Grace



Book of Indian testimonies.



Reservation: downed power lines.

## Spiritual Growth

**CURRENT:** Our website has a variety of resources for believers of all levels including the book **Amazing Grace**; the book **Living His Word, A Believer's Journey Toward Maturity**; a **Leadership Series**; and over 150 **Spiritual Growth** articles. We offer these free, to be printed, e-mailed, and used in whatever way necessary to share God's Word with others. We can't stop when someone receives salvation. God tells us to make disciples (Matt 28:19).

We are translating the Amazing Grace book into Spanish to distribute and have placed several articles in Spanish on the website.

**PROJECTED:** We will continue to add articles to the articles index. We will also place more articles in Spanish on the site once translated.

**NEEDS:** We need your **help** with the following:

- **Desperately low stock level.** Anything will help toward acquiring more. Amazing Grace Books - \$1500 (to support US ministry to Indian reservation, homeless shelters, women's shelters and food pantries).

**Thoughts to grow on:** "... Let all who live in the land tremble, for the day of the LORD is coming. It is close at hand — a day of darkness and gloom, a day of clouds and blackness. Like dawn spreading across the mountains a large and mighty army comes, ... Before them fire devours, behind them a flame blazes. Before them the land is like the garden of Eden, behind them, a desert waste — nothing escapes them" Joel 2:1-3. Satan's army of pro-abortionists, atheists, same sex marriage advocates and other morals deteriorating groups, marches strongly on. The Christian army wanders in confusion, bickering with each other, comparing programs, churches and deeds. Its time to wake up! "Even now, declares the Lord, return to me with all your heart, with fasting and weeping and mourning. Rend your heart and not your garments. Return to the Lord your God, for He is gracious and compassionate, slow to anger and abounding in love, ..." Joel 2:12-13. Now is the time to look to God and stop the spreading army of darkness. (Paraphrased insights shared by James Robison, Life Outreach International).

## Indian Reservation (continued)

**Mission Trip:** Available resources and volunteers will determine what and how much we are able to accomplish, however, here is the plan:

**We are praying that God will call laborers to help with the work, that He will call supporters to donate, and that He will call prayer warriors to pray.**

**Construction Training** - hands-on during construction and repairs.

### Community Outreach

- Distribute food, clothing, blankets, and toys to needy families.
- Distribute Holy Bibles and the books "The Conquering Indian," "Native Book of Hope," "Amazing Grace," and the "Path to Peace" literature to tribal members.
- Huge prayer need: that God would lead us to those individuals, in each community visited, who would be interested in starting a bible study.

### Community Service

- Build one 12' x 24' cabin.
- make other home repairs based on resources, volunteers and time.



**Reservation: waiting on gas for those who have containers. No electric, no pumps**



**Oasis building being restored.**



**Another Oasis building ready for siding.**

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## Ways You Can Help

Not everyone is called to go on a mission trip, BUT everyone IS called to help reach the lost. There are many ways you can do that. One is to provide help for those who are called to go but do not have the funds. Another is to provide for construction materials that will be needed for the work to be done on our trips, or to provide food and clothing. You can also help us spread the word about what we are involved in so others may join us. For those who are able to provide financial donations, please remember that everything helps, from small amount to large amounts. No gift is too small for God to use. Please consider the needs listed here and visit our website for more details: [LivingHisWordMinistries.org](http://LivingHisWordMinistries.org) and click on the icons of interest under "Ministry Outreaches."

## Prayer Requests

The success of our work for God is directly connected to the amount of prayer and prayer support it receives. God provides many opportunities for us in the world to serve and help where needed. God did not make us all the same, nor did He place the same desires and burdens on everyone's heart. Our prayer is that through our ministry, there will be some effort, some opportunity, or some need that specifically touches your heart. When it does, God has burdened your heart to get involved. Your help then enables us to be the hands and feet to carry out that work. Please continue to pray for all the outreaches and efforts as we move forward to complete God's work. Thank you for praying for Living His Word Ministries.

## Ministry Thought

What did we do with what God gave us (Matt 25:14-30)? What did He have in mind as He ordained all of our days before one of them came to be (Ps 139:16)? What purpose did He want us to carry out as He established the exact times and places we were to live (Acts 17:26)? As individuals, what kind of work did God prepare in advance for us to do (Eph 2:10)? How does all of that fit US, when He commands us to go and make disciples of all nations (Matt 28:19-20)? What will WE do for the kingdom of God?

## Volunteer Opportunities

**Project:** Mission Trip to Cheyenne River Indian Reservation, Eagle Butte, SD.

**Project:** Oasis Food Pantry needs help with multiple projects.

**Project:** English to Spanish translators for articles.

**Project:** Mission Trip to San Pedro Las Huertas, Guatemala (see website).

**Prayer Support:** for all ministry areas.

**Financial Support:** for all ministry needs.

## Thank You For Whatever You Can Do

**On behalf of those in need, we THANK YOU !**

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