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October 2017 Prayer Requests



Do not withhold your mercy from me, O Lord May your love and truth protect me. Psalm 40:11

Greetings!

While reflecting on the craziness going on across the world and close to home, the Lord has impressed me to pray Psalm 40:11. Let me invite you to pray it with me.

If ever the world needed... Reach Out needed... I needed... God to release His mercy, it is now. If ever the younger generation needed the protection of His love and truth, it is now. We have found ourselves praying often and intensely these days, and we thank you for praying with us and for us.

Prayers Answered

Randy Riggins--New International President: Though we have not made an official announcement yet, I am letting you know about Randy joining us so you can thank God with us. On September 13, Randy and I met with the Elders at his church, and we all agreed that

Randy will join Reach Out's ministry in partnership with his church. A win-win!

Caroline Long--New Executive Assistant: After only two weeks, Caroline's vibrant presence makes Reach Out better. She came to Reach Out via her grandfather, Albert Long, who mentored me as a new believer at Davidson College. Since then he has remained my friend. He mentioned Caroline moving to Atlanta. Voila... praise the Lord!

Africa Ministry Past: Hopefully your read our monthly Ministry Update on Africa. Those reports only scratched the surface. Today I found out that 50 of our Coastal Kenya Eagle Leaders met last week, and as they prayed a revival erupted! God continues to pour out His mercy in Africa!

Prayers Offered

<u>Africa Ministry Present:</u> This month our Africa team will lead JFYM training in eight countries. Will you pray for *our leaders like Obadiah, Christopher, Mark, Joseph and Enock* as they lead the training?

<u>Charles Juma, ROYS' Africa Leader:</u> On and off for months Charles has struggled with his blood pressure. It reached crisis level this last week. His BP has come down, but is still not regulated. Will you pray with us for *total healing for Charles?*

<u>Kim Bearden in Nepal:</u> Kim has invested in 5 key leaders in Nepal, guiding these influential leaders to become Intentional Disciple-Makers. And this month he will conduct an in-depth camp with teenagers training them to become Disciples and Disciple-Makers. After he comes home in November, he will return to Nepal in January for two years to create a sustainable, country-wide youth ministry. Will you pray for *Kim's ministry in Nepal?*

<u>Jeff Gray and Todd Slocum:</u> These special men work with me to develop Reach Out's "digital platform". When completed we can take our training around the globe. Will you pray for *Jeff (technical) and Todd (video) and for break throughs with our potential donor?*

New IT Company: We have decided to make the switch to a new IT company that will improve our technical capacity. Will you pray for a smooth transition with the new IT company?

With us, will you pray with thanks for the prayers already answered, and with intensity about the ones still to answer, that God will continue to pour out His mercy on Reach Out?

Jesus is Lord,

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