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Dear members in the living Body of Jesus Christ,

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May the Lord's richest blessings be with you all. I just returned from the Arctic, mission in Inuvik, North West Territories, Canada. I just want to up date you on the powerful work the Lord is doing!! It would appear that the Lord wants us to work on many different fronts in this awesome harvest field.

First we have to reach those who wander in the streets and frequent the bars, staggering along in darkness, having their minds blinded by the evil deceiver of this world, Satan. We spend hours sowing their hearts with the good news that Jesus our Lord has already purchased their salvation so that their sins will not be held against them. We do this by preaching, singing and picking those good old gospel songs. Or sometimes just holding them with arms of love until that life changing power of Jesus gives increase to His word.

We also supply a shelter called Turning Point, with fish so those who are homeless may have a nutritious meal. By the grace of God I have received a free license to use a net to catch much fish. This also enables our ministry to provide fish to the elderly who aren't able to go out and catch their own and also the battered women's shelter. It looks like Jesus still loves to provide fish for the multitudes PTL.

Satan also has a stronghold called Islam in our territory. Now we, who live in the Body of Christ, know that we do not wrestle against flesh and blood but only against principalities and powers of darkness. Always be aware of those leaders in the church who would try to get you to focus on the people of any religious group and not on the deceiving spirit behind their religious belief. These precious souls trapped in the Islamic religion have been deceived into thinking they can gain eternal happiness by doing good works and repeating the same religious prayers at least five times a day. Then at judgment day if their good deeds out weigh their bad deeds they get to go to heaven. How sad and deadly is this lie. When I first took them a load of fish they had a hard time receiving it for free, but you who are of the truth can see that the Lord is using this free gift to lay a foundation to present the free gift of eternal life purchased by Jesus Christ for all those who are called to believe it.

Then there are the sheep that the Lord has led me to like Dorothy, and Jeffery, Esther, Jessie, and Glen. We gather for bible study and singing many times till after midnight. These precious ones helped our ministry financially along with you, as the expenses are great at this time. Oh!! How I rejoice in the Lord for all those who feel led to help us gather in the harvest until His triumphant return.

Up here in the Arctic the Holy Spirit is just now beginning to reveal to the Body of Christ, that we are the true temple of the living God, not built by men's hands, but filled with His Holy Spirit so He may walk, talk, love and show the world His mercy through human flesh. For we the church are in fact the visible image of the invisible God, ransomed and purchased by the blood of Jesus Christ. Amen.

As a spiritual military man the Lord has let me leave the front lines in the north to be with you for a couple of months facing the front lines here in the United States. Standing with you, knowing this one thing for sure. That we are much more than conquerors through our General, Lord, and King, Jesus Christ.

Then about the middle of December, I'll be heading back to the Arctic, the Lord willing, to be about the Lord's business during the coldest and the darkest time of the year. This will enable me to reach some remote Eskimo villages by driving on the ice roads.

I must tell you also how I was so blessed to have my son Vaughn, and grandson, Ephraim, join me in the Lord's work for a while, before I returned. As usual they won the hearts of the people while they were there. They will be sharing later in this newsletter.

This part of the newsletter has been by my own hand. Bro. Larry Be blessed as you continue to read.

10-19-06

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ Jesus,

I pray that this letter finds you enjoying the strength and the blessings of our Lord. It has been some time since you have read some of my writings if you are not on our email list or have not visited our website. But I know that you have not forgotten us because your prayers have been with us all along. I praise the Lord for each and every one of you that have stayed to faithful to this ministry. Without you we could do nothing.

It is time to do a little catching up, so let's get going. As most of you know, my family and I spent almost 9 months in the Amazon this last time. The work there was intense as we ministered the Gospel to the lost and struggling Brazilian and Native peoples of the Amazon. There is no way short of a book that I would be able to relate to you all that went on during this time. Suffice it to say, that we worked tirelessly in our effort to free prisoners from Satan's grasp, and Satan worked tirelessly to stop us with unceasing attacks of every imaginable kind. I can truly say that without your constant prayer I fear that one of us may not have returned from this battle. I

speak of myself when I say this, because there were several occasions that if it were not for the protecting hand of God upon me I would not have survived. But through it all I felt your prayers and the strengthening hand of our Lord with me. Many hearts were touched. Many seeds were sown. The sick were treated. The down hearted were encouraged. The hungry were fed. And most important of all; the Gospel was preached to the lost. I say as surely as I live that I could have done none of it without your prayers and financial support. I say just as surely; your reward is great beyond measure. Amen and Amen!

I want to remind you that even though I am here in the US, there are still warriors at the mission base continuing the work there. Brothers Asatdo, Yamka, their wives and kids, are still at the mission base, continuing to care for and minister to those that come there. I have taught them all that I know and the Lord has taught them a lot more than that. They are strong, but they need your prayers and support just as much Irene and I did. Please do not forget them!! I keep in contact with them often as we now have a telephone at the Mission Base. And even though they are still standing strong for Christ, Satan is still continually attacking them. I am so proud of them!! Remember to keep them always in your prayers.

Irene, the kids and I returned to the US toward the end of July to be here for my nieces wedding. We were here but a short time before my son Ephraim and I left for the Arctic on August 17 to help Dad establish a new mission in the town of Inuvik, on the shore of the Arctic Ocean. It had been over a year since I had last seen my father and it was good to once again join forces with him. The bible says that one can put a thousand to flight and two, ten thousand. This is certainly true when my father and I are ministering together. It was also refreshing to be able to minister with native people in the English language. During the time I was there I saw true hunger for the things of the Lord. There are many souls there waiting to be freed from the clutches of Satan and I know that Dad's ministry up there will reap a bountiful harvest. The Lord opened many doors during our time up there and I was overjoyed to see the ministry get off to such a great start.

Well, it is my desire to write more (and you know I can!), but as I am sharing this letter with both Mom and Dad, I will have to bring my writings to a close for now. But before I close, there is one bit of business I need to tend to. I maintain an email address list that allows me to keep in contact with you on a more regular basis. This list has dwindled down considerably in the last two years and I would like to update it with your new email address. If you have been or would like to be on our email mailing list, please send me an email at: vaughn@goffministries.org. I promise that I will only send you email and prayer requests that are pertinent to this ministry and I will never send you a forward of any kind. I pray that the blessings of our Lord will be with you all, in Jesus precious name.

On the front lines for Jesus, Vaughn, Irene, Esther, Ephraim, & Benjamin

Dear Fellow Laborers In Christ's Harvest Field,

10-19-06

I know you have all been blessed to read Larry and Vaughn's letters, and I have been blessed to have them all home again. We have already gone on a couple of ministry trips and are now setting up more home and church meetings. If you would like Larry and Vaughn to come and share please contact us at the telephone numbers below.

As Vaughn has already said, we couldn't carry on this ministry without your help. Thank you for being so faithful! God has been so good to us as He has met every need, but I must share with you that Satan has attacked our finances and it seems at times we won't be able to carry on, but our Lord Jesus has never let us down and He never will! We would be grateful though if you would pray for the finances of Goff Ministries. Some of our supporters have had attacks on their finances also, and we are praying for their financial recovery as well. We all must keep our trust in our Lord Jesus Christ, He never fails! Thank you each one for standing with us financially or prayerfully and may the Lord pour out His richest blessings upon you all. God bless you, we love you.

Just a little update on Esther, at Texas Tech. She is doing great. We are very proud of her testimony and strong witness for Christ on campus and her high grades. She has touched many lives for Jesus and she and Vaughn have started a weekly Bible study at their house for college students. Pray for them. She sends her love to you all and thanks you for your prayers and support also.

Well, I will close my letter too, saying again, we love you all, God bless you much! Betty

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