



SCOTT & MARILEE *Norman* SERVANTS HELPING IN THE MINISTRY



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"The name of the Lord is a strong tower; the righteous runneth into it, and is safe." - Proverbs 18:10

I am so thankful that I have the privilege of running into the tower that has the name of the Lord on it. It is a strong tower; it is an indestructible tower; it is a well defended tower; it is large enough to house everyone that runs into it; and it is a refuge from all the gloom and doom that is hurled at us each day. We are being negatively impacted by the news media; we are being attacked by federal, state, and local authorities; we are seeing our freedoms dashed against the rocks of socialism; and we are being maligned for the stands we take against the world, the flesh, and the devil. What will we do? I will tell you what we will do. We will run to the tower; we will put our trust in God; and we will indeed be safe. Our God will deliver us from all of this. He will deliver us daily, and He will deliver us ultimately. I urge you to trust in the name of the Lord; I plead with you to call upon the name of the Lord; I admonish you to let the name of the Lord be your strong tower and your ultimate defense during these dark days of COVID. Safety is of the Lord (Proverbs 21:31), and I ask you to join me as we run to the tower God has prepared for us. "Blessed be the name, blessed be the name, blessed be the name of the Lord!!"



October was a good month. We continued to help Fellowship Baptist Church, and will be there for them until such time God sends them a pastor. About half our month was spent traveling to different meetings and church services. If we were not in meetings, we were at Fellowship Baptist Church. Pray for me that I will be the help and encouragement needed, and that I will be a blessing to them as I help them in their search for a pastor.

During the week of October 10, I had the privilege of teaching Sunday school at Lebanon Baptist Temple which kicked off their annual camp meeting. That night I presented our missionary work and preached at Liberty Baptist Church in Moraine, Ohio. We thank Pastor Tom Gresham for allowing us to be a

part of his services during this camp meeting week. The rest of the week was filled with powerful preaching and much needed fellowship. We take this time to thank Richard Drummond and Lebanon Baptist Temple for making it a great and fabulous camp meeting. We appreciate so much the lodging, the meals, and the good old-fashioned singing and preaching!

We had the privilege of attending Faith Baptist Church on Sunday morning, October 17. Faith used this Sunday to honor all of us preachers who helped them while they were without a pastor. It was a time of testimony to the greatness of God, and it was a blessed time of fellowship with my brothers who all helped while the church searched for a pastor. What a blessing this service was, and what a joy to be with their new pastor, Jeremy Jones. We enjoyed a great meal and a wonderful afternoon service of reflecting on the goodness of God to this church.

From October 30, to November 2, we were blessed to be in Indianapolis, IN at Glory Baptist Church. This was their first mission's conference, and I had the privilege of preaching the opening message as well as presenting our work. On Sunday, we watched three men be baptized and were encouraged by the work that is being done in this newly planted church in the inner city. It was a great mission's conference. The key note speaker was John Wilkerson, who preached very timely messages. A hearty thanks goes to Pastor Aaron Campbell and wife Melissa (pictured) and his people for their kindness, generosity, and hospitality during this mission's conference.

During the month of October, we were encouraged by the good news that Eastside Baptist Church in Greenwood, SC took us on for support. God knows our needs, and we thank Pastor Donald Ramsey and the folks at Eastside for their sacrifice of love. I want to report that we have raised 72% of our support. Pray that this will increase.

Continue to pray for us as we labor in deputation and as we strive to help Fellowship Baptist Church. God bless each one of you in the days ahead. Pray that God would give us wisdom as we close out this year.

Sincerely In Christ,
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