

Prayer Dispatch #11 / Men & Women In The Word - 1st Russia, Now Zambia



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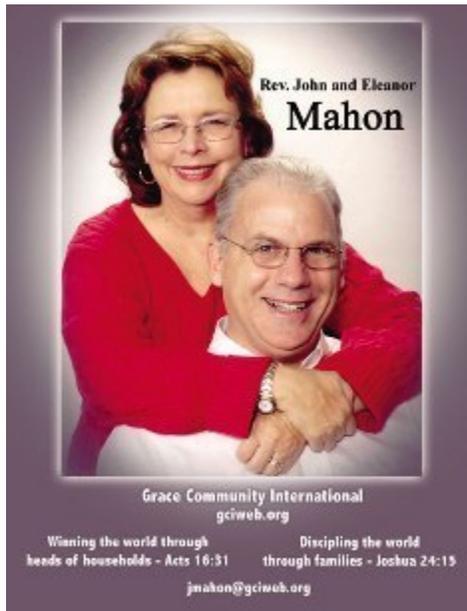
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In this Prayer Dispatch...

- I. Our ministry stands or falls on the message of the cross and the ministry of the holy, eternal, inerrant, written Word of God
- II. First Russia, Now Zambia
- III. Prayer Requests: As you pray please allow the accompanying passage from the Word of God to guide your prayers
2 Corinthians 1:11 "you also joining in helping us through your prayers, so that thanks may be given by many persons on our behalf for the favor bestowed on us through the prayers of many."
 - A. Ask God to bless as we get pastors and ministry leaders into the Word of God.
 - B. Laymen Ask God to empower the Word as laymen mature and grow
 - C. Wives of leaders Pray also for their wives as Eleanor ministers the Word
 - D. Petition the Lord to raise up new generations of husbands, wives and parents who will found their families on the Word of God
 - E. Tools - SM, Bible study, 4 Laws Pray for these tools, Scripture memory, Bible reading, Bible study and personal evangelism using the Four Spiritual Laws

- F. Ask God to bless now the preaching and teaching of His holy, eternal, inerrant, written Word
- G. Pray that God would bless the ministry materially, that we might in turn bless those to whom we minister.



Dear Prayer Warriors,

Our ministry stands or falls on the message of the cross and the ministry of the holy, eternal, inerrant, written Word of God

As you receive this dispatch we are departing to preach the gospel and teach the Word of God in Zambia. Our prayer pictures are looking back to our time in Russia. We ask that as you pray, that you call upon the Lord to bless your faith and prayers for our ministry in Zambia, just as he did your faith and prayers during our ministry in Russia. Our ministry stands or falls on the message of the cross and the ministry of the holy, eternal, inerrant, written Word of God. We rely upon your faith and your fervent and zealous prayers to empower this ministry as we labor on your behalf in Zambia.

As you review these photos please pray two prayers for each...

1. To conserve the fruit as depicted in our recent ministry in Russia.
2. To reproduce this same fruit in our coming ministry in Zambia

First Russia, Now Zambia



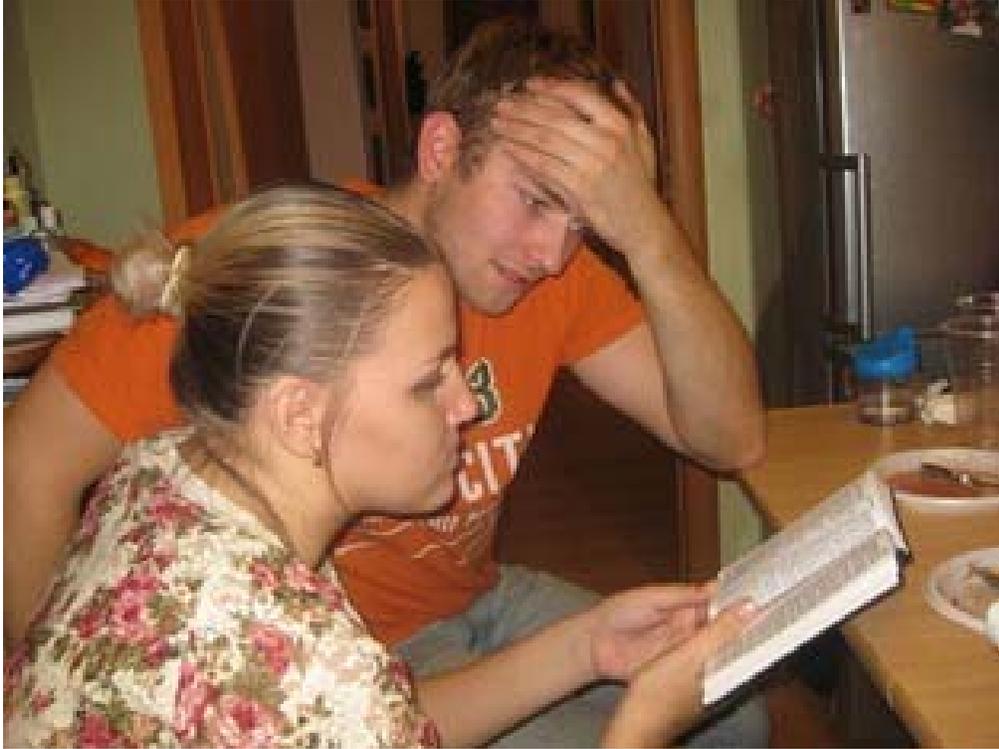
Pastors: Ask God to bless as we get pastors and ministry leaders into the Word of God.



Leaders: Ask God to empower the Word as laymen mature and grow



3 a & b Wives of leaders Pray also for their wives as Eleanor ministers the Word





4 a,b,c Couples Petition the Lord to raise up new generations of husbands, wives and parents who will found their families on the Word of God



Tools - SM, Bible study, 4 Laws Pray for these tools, Scripture memory, Bible reading, Bible study and personal evangelism using the Four Spiritual Laws



Supplies Praise God for the provision of God's Word of pastors and ministry leaders. We are bringing 12 boxes of Bibles and Bible study aids. This includes 64 leather study Bibles for Pastors. For most it will be their first leather study Bible and for many it will exceed their monthly salary.



Bless now Your holy, eternal, inerrant, written Word

I close this e-mail as always with a deep and abiding thankfulness for your sacrificial and effectual prayers which empower and drive this ministry ever forward in the cause of Christ.

By His mercy,
II Corinthians 4:1
Rev. John S. Mahon
Grace Community Int. -

As I finish this great dispatch this great hymn is playing in the background. Many have come to Christ while this hymn is being sung. Join with me in praying that many will come to Christ in Zambia during our time there...

(Psalms 104:33-34 "I will sing to the LORD as long as I live; I will sing praise to my God while I have my being. Let my meditation be pleasing to Him; As for me, I shall be glad in the LORD.")

Link to music/tune for this hymn:

<http://nethymnal.org/html/s/o/softlyat.htm>

Softly And Tenderly

Softly and tenderly Jesus is calling
Calling for you and for me
Patiently Jesus is waiting and watching
Watching for you and for me

*Why should we tarry when Jesus is pleading
Pleading for you and for me
Why should we linger and heed not His mercies
Mercies for you and for me
Oh for the wonderful love He has promised
Promised for you and for me
Though we have sinned
He has mercy and pardon
Pardon for you and for me*

*Come home come home
Ye who are weary come home
Earnestly tenderly Jesus is calling
Calling O sinner come home*

(William Thompson Born: November 7, 1847, East Liverpool, Ohio; Died: September 20, 1909, New York, New York. Both a lyricist and composer, he ensured he would always remember words or melodies that came to him at odd times: "No matter where I am, at home or hotel, at the store or traveling, if an idea or theme comes to me that I deem worthy of a song, I jot it down in verse. In this way I never lose it." When the world-renowned lay preacher, Dwight Lyman Moody, lay on his death bed in his Northfield, Massachusetts, home, Will Thompson made a special visit to inquire as to his condition. The attending physician refused to admit him to the sickroom, and Moody heard them talking just outside the bedroom door. Recognizing Thompson's voice, he called for him to come to his bedside. Taking the Ohio poet-composer by the hand, the dying evangelist said, "Will, I would rather have written "Softly and Tenderly Jesus is Calling" than anything I have been able to do in my whole life.")