

"When you go on the internet, please pray for the Hoffman Family - your missionaries to Cyberspace."



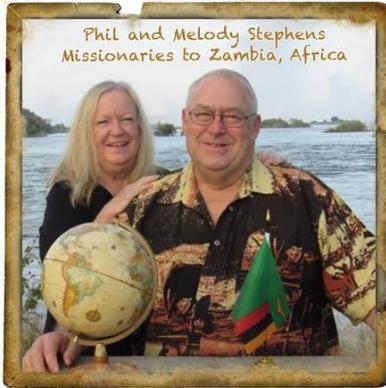
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Greetings in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ!

The Latest News:

- Due to the size of the Newsletter we will be cutting back on the size and increasing the frequency. Our intention is to try and send out a single page newsletter either monthly or bi-monthly going forward. The content will be much less detailed. Full details are available on our website and/or our ministry Facebook page.
- Maureen and I were invited to First Baptist Church of Flat. First Baptist Church of Flat is one of our supporting churches. We put a website up for them at fbcflat.com. Pastor Floyd Brown and I sat down and I gave them a tutorial on how to work in WordPress. We also discussed what they wanted to accomplish and I installed a Calendar, and a Bible Reading program that included Spurgeon's Morning and Evening devotions. I was given the opportunity to present the ministry and preach the Sunday morning message.

Church Website Ministry:



- Back at the East Texas Baptist Camp Meeting in July, Maureen and I had the pleasure of meeting the Stephens Family Missionaries to Zambia. Phil Stephens and I had a discussion, and he indicated that he would like help in getting a website set up. The “Stephens Family Missionaries to Zambia” Website is a work in progress due to the distance, and busyness of Phil in the ministry. We discussed a domain name, and Phil decided on stephenstozambia.com. Phil provided his latest newsletter and then some information on what he would like to accomplish.



Bible Correspondence Courses: Thank you to JL & Florence Smith, Katherine Feguer, Lydia Henrici and Lorraine Meier for their help this quarter.

- **2nd Quarter Stats:** 3rd Quarter Stats: We mailed out 503 lessons to 64 active students (16 are incarcerated) and 27 certificates were issued. Students were from Canada and the USA.

Here are some comments we received from people that are taking the correspondence courses:

- A prisoner in SC said "I have learned that I need to be more in tune with the leading of the Spirit. I need to grow in my relationship with Him."
- A student from Brooklyn NY said that he has learned that not only not to sin against God but also against other people and to repent in both cases in case it happens. He also learned that God loves His children so He is willing to discipline and chasten them to be and stay on the right path.
- A student in VA writes that the most important things he learned from this lesson is "That the main problem for Christians is 'self' and we must remove self and allow Christ to live in us. We cannot live a life that is pleasing to God apart from Jesus Christ."
- A student from NC writes that the most important thing that he learned in this lesson is that "We reap what we sow and God

Chastens those that are His. When we sin we are to confess those sins so that we will maintain constant fellowship with Him and not being reproach upon the Lord's name."

Tract Ministry: We have "given out" over 97,000 Bible Tracts online.

Social Networking Outreach: I get new requests on my evangelistic Facebook account regularly. I now have 2544 "friends" in my evangelistic Facebook account.

Support: We are currently at 70% of support for our ministry expenses.

Prayer Needs:

- Bob is going in for testing on Friday (11/09) for his Peripheral Neuropathy. He has a followup appointment on the prostate on 11/14. Please keep that in prayer, as the PSA numbers have been high.
- Maureen has been having pain in knees and hips. Her back is still doing well since surgery.
- We are still praying for reliable transportation.
- *Would you consider praying for us when special needs arise? If so, please subscribe to our prayer warrior's mailing list. : <http://eepurl.com/SYbl9>.*

Specific Financial Needs:

- Both our home A/C units are at end of life. Our main home A/C unit/furnace is starting to leak carbon monoxide. It is not currently unsafe, but the levels are elevated. We currently need an additional \$3000 to replace the main unit.
- The second unit will cost \$6800 to replace. It is leaking Freon. They will quit making freon in 2020 (although it is already getting expensive).

- We have received donations for special project to send Bible lessons to Nigeria to get them into a public school. We are still \$350 short on that project.

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