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BRETHREN, PRAYFOR US

Dear PRAYING Churches, Friends & Family,

What a wonderful God we serve!!! We finished the year with some good and bad times, but through it all God was and is still on the throne! Rick finished 2013 with two stints in the hospital. Both times right before CHRISTmas. He then started his New Year the same way with another short stay in the hospital on the 4th & 5th of January. During those times he had four urinary tract infections and a bout with the flu! We are praying and ask you to pray with us that Rick will be finished with the hospital stays and the UTI's will be cleared up for good! "Brethren, pray for us." I Thessalonians 5:25

That was the bad! Now for the good! Our church van is still picking up several children on base and usually two Airmen from the dormitories. Both Molly and Ontario are fairly new to the base. Molly is from South Carolina and Ontario is from Mississippi. This is the in-road that we have been praying for so that we can get into the dormitories!

NOVEMBER 2013 HAPPENINGS

November was a very eventful month for the Mahaney's and for the ServiceMen's Center. Our son Jordan graduated from Firefighter school at Goodfellow AFB in San Angelo, TX. He is now a reservist at Barksdale AFB here in Bossier City, LA.

Our Thanksgiving Dinner for the Single Airmen went well. We had about eleven people show up to eat. Molly and Ontario were part of the group and then we had a Master Sargent named Benny and his family come as well. Jordan cooked two Cajun fried turkeys that were very delicious and did not last long. We ended the day with games and fellowship!

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JESUS IS THE REASON

Jesus is the Reason for the Season(s)! On the first Saturday in December we invited the troops over to help with the ServiceMen's Center decorations for the CHRISTmas season. Molly, Ontario and Benny's family came over to help Jordan and Suzi. They were finished in no time and the center looked great. AMEN!!!

The Ladies Bible Study that Suzi is teaching has grown in number. They are currently doing a study called "The Power of a Praying Woman". Rick's Men's Bible Study just finished a study of the book of Philippians and is now studying the book of Colossians.

GIVING GOD THE GLORY!!!

In December Rick was approached by a writer

for the Shreveport Times to do a story about the ServiceMen's Center and the affects Rick's injuries had on conducting the ministry and on Rick and Suzi's lives. The article comes out within the next couple of weeks. This was a wonderful opportunity for them to give God all the Glory and to get the word out about the ServiceMen's Center! Rick was able to tell their goals for the ministry. To **REACH** the military with the Gospel, to TEACH them through personal discipleship, and to SEND them with the Gospel message wherever they might be sent in the world.



• For the many Ministry Opportunities we are entrusted with.

PRAYER REQUESTS

- That more churches would pick us up for financial support.
- That we would be aware of and act upon the doors God opens,
- Our son-in-law Brandon is on a one year remote tour in S. Korea.
- Rick's continued recovery.
- Our Troops in harms' way everyday in Afghanistan, Iraq and other places around the world.
- There are still two POW's/MIA's from this war on terrorism. One in Iraq and one in Afghanistan.
 Pray for their soon return homel

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