

<h1>December 2009</h1>						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		<p>1-5 Thanks for your faithful prayers through these days of sickness. We've been sick since the day after Thanksgiving. It's now Saturday December 5th – and we are both feeling much better. Praise Jehovah Rapha – God who heals! <i>Hugh & Becky</i> And Mary said: My soul glorifies the Lord and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior (Luke 1:46,47)</p>				
<p>6 God knows our needs. Pray that we trust Him to meet them. <i>for he has been mindful of the humble state of his servant. (1:48a)</i></p>	<p>7 Pray that God will provide the partners we need for the remaining 38% of our financial need. <i>From now on all generations will call me blessed, (1:48b)</i></p>	<p>8 Today we send out our newsletter. Pray that people read and respond. <i>for the Mighty One has done great things for me (1:49a)</i></p>	<p>9 Driving to Illinois. Pray for travel mercies and safe arrival. <i>holy is his name. (1:49b)</i></p>	<p>10-12 This weekend we get to spend some time with Hugh's family. His brother Jeremiah graduates from College and receives his Commission with the US Army. Pray for good fellowship and precious time with family. <i>His mercy extends to those who fear him, from generation to generation. (1:50)</i></p>		
<p>13-15 For a few days we'll be visiting with partners from Edgemont Bible Church in Fairview Heights, IL. <i>He has performed mighty deeds with his arm; he has scattered those who are proud in their inmost thoughts. (1:51)</i></p>			<p>16 Driving south to Tulsa, OK then on to AR. <i>He has brought down rulers from their thrones (1:52a)</i></p>	<p>17 Visiting partners in NE Arkansas <i>but has lifted up the humble. (1:52b)</i></p>	<p>18 Driving back to Dallas <i>He has filled the hungry with good things but has sent the rich away empty. (1:53)</i></p>	<p>19 Pray that God gives fresh ideas for relating to all our partners in ministry. <i>He has helped his servant Israel, (1:54a)</i></p>
<p>20 Pray that we see God's blessings and praise Him for them. <i>remembering to be merciful to Abraham and his descendants forever, even as he said to our fathers. (1:54b)</i></p>	<p>21 Pray for good health in this winter season. <i>Praise be to the Lord, the God of Israel, because he has come and has redeemed his people. (1:68)</i></p>	<p>22 Pray for Hugh to understand his new role as Assistant to the Linguistics Coordinator. <i>to rescue us from the hand of our enemies, and to enable us to serve him without fear (1:74)</i></p>	<p>23 Pray that we have freedom to worship. <i>to serve him...in holiness and righteousness before him all our days. (1:75)</i></p>	<p>24 – 26 Merry Christmas! Praise God with us for this time of celebration as we share with family and friends. We'll spend this Christmas with Becky's parents in the Dallas area. <i>Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to men on whom his favor rests. (Luke 2:14)</i></p>		
<p>27 Praise God with us for the very gift of salvation. <i>For my eyes have seen your salvation (2:30)</i></p>	<p>28 Pray for God to reveal himself to us anew. <i>which you have prepared in the sight of all people (2:31)</i></p>	<p>29 Pray for the 300 languages in the Americas who still have no Scripture in their heart language. <i>a light for revelation to the Gentiles (2:32a)</i></p>	<p>30 Pray for the many Old Testament translations teams at work. <i>and for glory to your people Israel.(2:32)</i></p>	<p>31 New Year's Eve At the start of this new calendar year, pray that we have a renewed vision and vitality in ministry. Pray that we see whom the Lord places before us so that we might share about our mighty savior. <i>...[the prophetess, Anna] gave thanks to God and spoke about the child to all who were looking forward to the redemption of Jerusalem.(2:38)</i></p>		