

ROCK OF AGES MINISTRIES

"For we preach not ourselves, but Christ Jesus the Lord." II Corinthians 4:5

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Dear Pastors, Friends and Family,

1 Corinthians 4:2 "Moreover it is required in stewards, that a man be found faithful." Thank you for your faithful support and prayers for these past twenty years.

Testimonies:

Aaron, an 18 year old inmate, was seeking God, but had little Bible knowledge of Christ. His life had been filled with violence, abandonment, and abuse. As I ministered the Word to him, he came to Christ and found healing and hope. *Dennis*, an 80 year old murderer that I have worked with for about two years, is now holding Sunday services in his pod, with 15-20 men in attendance. He is enrolled in the Rock of Ages Discipleship Institute.

It is so much fun to see faithful inmate believers being used to bring others to Christ.

William helped *Jahon*, and he got saved.

Franklin helped *Zarian*, and he got saved

Micah helped *Dexter*, and he got saved. As *Micah* left the Chapel, he was crying tears of joy for seeing a soul saved. He stated later "this is addicting." Glory! *Pray for more faithful men!*

Ministry update:

Harris County Jail has a new director of chaplaincy. We have yet to see what changes are coming. Panic buttons have been installed in all the chapels in case of riots. Jail and prison ministry is not boring; "insane" but never boring. *Pray for favor for the furtherance of the Gospel, and protection.*

In the family corner:

Floods, ice, and flu! By the grace of God we are coming on through. We are all healthy; Jeanette almost lost her sanctification the other day when big sheets of paint popped off her old car and landed in the yard. It looked like it had been snowing. God provided a low mileage 2006 Honda to replace it and all is well.

Hannah and Beth are both with child. Hannah is due in August and Beth in May. Our prayers go out to Uncle Pete and family in the death of Aunt Jo. She is Jeanette's father's only sister. *Pray that our family will be faithful to Christ and his calling.*

By His Grace,

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