

# 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,

It is so exciting to see revival break out one inmate at a time. James 5:16 "Confess your faults one to another, and pray one for another, that ye may be healed." The jails are full of sin sick souls crying for healing, but they don't know where to find it. Thank you for partnering with us, "Christ is the Answer."

### **Testimonies:**

*Trevino*, an inmate I worked with last year, has continued serving Christ behind bars. As he waits for his court date, that continues to be postponed, he holds Bible studies, preaches and leads singing back in his housing area. He assists other inmates in learning the 25 verses to obtain a study Bible and then signs them up for the Rock of Ages Discipleship course. He is also training other inmates to minister, and then when he is moved to another cell he starts a new group. *Ray*, an inmate that recently was saved, came seeking healing from his past. As he confessed and cried out to God he found an abundant joy and peace. I am receiving requests from other inmates wanting what *Ray* has. God is working and healing broken lives. *Pray for these and others that have come to Christ: Timothy, Kendall, Nicholas, Willie, Andrew, and Brandon.*

### **Ministry Update:**

Harris county jail has opened a "New Path" Christian pod. Many of the men I have worked with have been placed there. One of the inmates in the program has two houses he would like to use as Christian reentry housing for men getting out. *Pray for this vision to be fulfilled through the leadership of a local Baptist church. Anti-Christ spirit is being openly revealed in the jails through gangs, violence and Islam. Thank you for your prayers.*

### **In the Family Corner:**

We are saddened by the sudden death of four members of the Abbott family, missionary friends in Mexico. They were in a car wreck. Jeanette taught the children before we were married. *Pray for my brother, two sisters, and family in Kentucky. They need some physical healing and grace. Thank you for the wall of prayer you place around our family. We had a good Mother's Day; Jeanette's mom is pressing on.*

Thank you for your love and prayers.

By His Grace,

*Robert E. Bottom*

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