



The Gospel To The World Of Trucking

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Teaching and Equipping Truckers To Be Fishers Of Men According To Matthew 4:19 Newsletter for December 2011

Dear Friends:

We are now in our own building that is the church/office/trucker's center and is also Debbie's and my house; seen in the picture. The tan building to the left will be the Trucker's Center. To the right of the church entrance of the blue building is where Debbie and I will be living from now on. By the way, yes that is snow on the ground in early November. That time it was 5 inches and a week later we had 11 more inches. (Some has melted now.)



We praise the Lord for speaking to a man who called me and told me God had told him to help us buy a building and this church property came available at that same time—I have not asked for sure but from what I have understood it came available that same day. God's timing is always perfect. As I write this it is a waiting time as the denomination we are buying from is taking care of their end of the paper work, still they let us move in early for which we praise the Lord.

Jack called telling me he was coming through and I met him at the Pilot the night before Thanksgiving, the same day they accepted our offer on the property so I got to walk with Jack across Hwy 97 and show him the church, a distance of about a block. He then took me to K.J.'s restaurant where we had a great time of fellowship. I

love getting together with drivers and having a great time talking and listening to their stories of how they led someone to Jesus and how they share Christ with others and about their own growing in Christ. That is what I always hear from Jack.

Dan is another driver who excites me. He just called me and told me how he had shared Jesus with five people in one week, three in one day and they all wanted to get saved so he prayed with them, even in public places as they asked Jesus to be their Savior and Lord. I have had the joy of seeing Dan grow in his relationship with Jesus Christ, and I really do mean it is a joy. Knowing where he came from and discipling him through that time makes it even more exciting.

Just think, with your support you have a part in encouraging drivers like Jack and Dan as we equip them and send them back out to reach others for Jesus Christ. In behalf of these drivers, thank you for giving to the Lord.

Yours in Christ's Service,

Merwin Rhoades ~ President/Founder/Pastor



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AND A
BLESSED NEW YEAR!**

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