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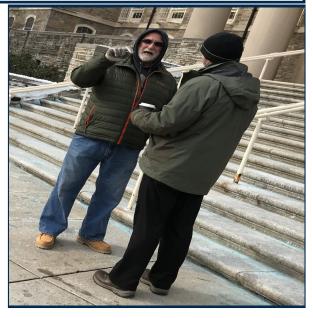
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Dear Friends,

By far the most challenging time of the year to do open air evangelism in PA is during the cold winter months. Sometimes I feel like a fool being out there in 10 degree weather. It is too cold to paint and use the sketch board so public preaching is not a viable option. Everybody else is freezing and looking to get into another building. We can only put up a banner and pass out Gospel literature to those who pass our way. In these conditions, you would think that nothing could happen. However, God is always at work. It never ceases to amaze me how even in such adverse circumstances, God will draw people to us that need to hear the Gospel. I had a great time sharing Christ with this man on one of those 10 degree days at Penn State University.





I always look forward to the coming of the warmer spring weather. One day I had a very unusual experience at Slippery Rock University. I kept attempting to paint a message to preach the Gospel but was continually interrupted by curious students wanting to know what I was doing! I never did get to paint and preach the message that day as I spent all my time talking with the students about what I was trying to paint. I believe in seizing every opportunity, so I stopped painting to share the Gospel with the students. They all listened intently and one of the students videoed the whole Gospel presentation. There was one student named Dan who stayed after everyone else left until I had answered all his questions. The time ended with Dan wanting salvation!



Above (left) is one of the many training sessions that took place in March during the Miami Outreach. We had twelve Bible college students that we were training that week in evangelism. It is wonderful to watch the students go from being somewhat nervous at first to being excited about evangelism. We conducted outdoor children's clubs each afternoon and did public meetings each night in downtown Miami. There were many great counseling sessions after the public preaching with numerous conversations lasting over one hour. Many heard the Gospel, and we trust that some will come to know Christ as Lord and Saviour. I am looking forward to being involved more in the training aspect of OAC ministry. I am continually reminded of the Apostle Paul's exhortation to Timothy, "And the things that thou has heard of me among many witnesses, the same commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others, also." (II Tim. 2:2) There is a constant need to be involved in passing on to the next generation the Gospel and the work of the Lord (I Cor. 15:58). I plan on doing training in the upcoming June training programs and with the mission groups that we will be hosting at Ocean City this summer. In closing, I would like to ask you all to pray for God's clear direction in future ministry. I have been having a great time working with Zane Dempsie for the past two years. In the near future, I believe that God wants me to direct an OAC ministry in some city. The big question is whether I should stay here and be the director for the Pittsburgh area or direct the work in one of the twenty-five cities being targeted by OAC in the USA. Please pray that God would make it clear to me this year.

Thank You Very Much !!!

Debbie and I want to express our heartfelt gratitude to you who support our ministry through prayer and finances. We could not be doing this ministry without your help. Together, we are bringing more precious souls to Christ. You are dear to us. Please contact us any time if you have questions, concerns, special needs or prayer requests.

We love and appreciate you, Ed & Debbie

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