



# Moore Family Update

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I wish, my brothers and sisters, that during this year you may live nearer to Christ than you have ever done before. **Depend upon it;** it is when we think much of Christ that we think little of ourselves, little of our troubles, and little of the doubts and fears that surround us. And as for some of you who are not saved, and know not the Redeemer, I would to God that this very day you would come to Christ. **Charles Haddon Spurgeon - The Prince of Preachers**

**Dovie and I will allow** the Prince of Preachers to express much better than we can our prayer for all of you in the coming year! God doesn't always make the road smooth for us or make the hard times go away; He never promises to. But He does promise to help us endure them as we turn our focus to Him and away from ourselves and our circumstances, and He helps us grow in our faith in the process.

**As we move into 2021,** we know that most of you, like us, are ready to **social distance** yourselves by **six months** from 2020. Yet, as the calendar advances, we can't help but **be thankful to God** for what we saw Him do in our lives and the lives of others in the year gone by. We are **so thankful to you** who pray for us, encourage us, and support our ministry financially! Thank you for continuing to partner with us through times that have been a little rougher than usual on all of us. **You make it all possible!**

**We've seen people profess Christ** in a jail, a homeless ministry and on the street. People seem to be a little more interested in the things of God due to COVID and the civil unrest in our country, and around the globe. God uses instability and fear to help us realize that we are not really in control over what happens to us in this life, but we can control our eternal destiny and what happens in the next life if we will but acknowledge the Lord Jesus and submit ourselves to Him!

**In addition to changed lives** through His Word, we've also seen Him rescue our co-workers in the ministry, who lost their home and all of their possessions in an early morning house fire but escaped very much alive and without personal injury. They, too, saw God working through His people who came to their aid with much love and support in numerous ways. On a more personal note, Dovie and I both contracted COVID but have totally recovered, minus a little smell and taste! Praise God!

**Please take time** to view some pics on the back of this letter which reflect a little of the ministry we had a chance to do in the last quarter of the year, and please note our prayer needs and praises to our God. **THANKS AGAIN!**



## PRAY FOR:

- \* Dovie had a pre-cancerous spot on her back removed twice. Pray that the doctors got all of it.
- \* For both of us to grow in the grace and knowledge of the Lord Jesus in the coming year.
- \* That God would save our lost family members and friends.
- \* Despite the changes and challenges, this would be our very best year in reaching people with the Gospel.

## PRAISE FOR:

- \* That God is sovereign in the affairs of men and has never experienced a "surprise" happening.
- \* That God uses difficult times to draw those who don't know Him and strengthen those who do.
- \* Our Recovery from COVID.
- \* That neither one of our mom's got COVID though they were exposed to us before we knew we had it.



Serving Him Together,

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Chip and I were in downtown Dallas sharing a riddle and the Gospel with a family by the city Christmas tree.



We went to visit Sue Goss, a recent addition to OAC who ministers in the Little Rock, Arkansas, area. Here she is teaching a kids' club in a local trailer park. The management of the park was so excited about the impact of the club that they provided her with a trailer and free utilities. She was great with the kids and they love her. She teaches the kids the Bible and then feeds them. Glad to have Sue on board with OAC.



I spoke with these two bike officers in downtown Dallas. One was an atheist and one believed in a God but not the God of the Bible. (We hear that a lot.) We had a good discussion, and I answered their objections and planted some gospel seeds for them to think about.



At a large Halloween Festival in a nearby town, Dovie was reaching people in the crowd. Here she talks to four teens. We were working with Chisholm Baptist Church.



I am using the sketchboard to explain the Gospel to three teens. The girls were raised here but said they had never heard the story of Jesus. We hear that more and more often.



Here I am talking to three brothers in their early 20s. They were all raised in church, yet they were all doubting Christianity and looking into other religions. We spoke a long time, and I gave them the Gospel and answered their questions. Pray for Samuel, Nathan and Gabriel.

