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THANKSGIVING PRAYER: *THE LAW OF PLENTY*

Yes, My child, it matters not how little you have of the treasures of the world, for if you are blessed with the bounty of My grace, you shall be always a giver. There is no want for him who is My follower. There is no lack for him who has found that he can buy wine and milk without money and without price. (Isa 55:1) He has found the law of plenty who has found Me as his source. He shall find abundance crowding his pathway as the blossoms of wild flowers crowd a hillside in springtime.

No good thing will I withhold from him who walks uprightly. (Psa. 84:11) I will give to him good measure, heaped up, shaken together, and running over. I will make him a fruitful branch and a tree whose branches hang over the wall. His abundance cannot be contained. He is not only full, but filling others. In drought he shall be fed, and in famine he shall not be hungry. He shall walk in dry places and be refreshed, yes, in stony places and be sustained.

I will love the man who seeks Me, and I will be to him a never-ending stream of abundance and he shall never say to another, "Give", but to many shall he say, "Receive". Psa 78:15



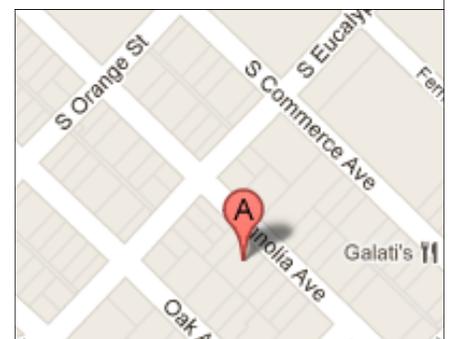
Dear Partners,

We are here at Grace Place with our first long term resident. As we look around us our hearts are filled with gratitude. Near our fence the cassia trees are in full bloom with mountains of bright yellow flowers that grace our table as well. Our garden is in full swing and our young lady is an enthusiastic worker in the garden. This morning we prayed for God to show us the worms eating our tomato plants, and when she went out to the garden, she found a family of worms under a leaf.

God is sending us volunteers to meet our needs and keep our costs down. What an answer to prayer!! Along with Kim Tish, our part-time housemother, Karen Ernst has joined us as our gardening supervisor and couponing specialist! Karen not only is a savvy shopper but she is also quite a cook. She will be teaching both of these topics to the ladies. Maria Hubbell will be joining us as an all around helper and Charlotte Heston will be helping with transporting to events. Alberta Sims from SIM, will be teaching a bible study every week. I will have a few ladies who will share the nightly duties with Kim and myself. Boon Fincher will be staying overnight occasionally. All of these ladies have been through our program at least once, some three times just to learn more. Some are taking the courses just to be able to volunteer.

We hope that you will take time to join us on Sunday, November 13, for our Grace Place Open House. John, Eileen, and some of our volunteers will be there to greet you.

Grace Place Open House



November 13, 2011
After Church
9:30 am to 4:00 pm
543 Magnolia Ave
Sebring FL 338780



Dear John & Eileen,

I am serving a Natural Life Sentence without parole for the death of my cell-mate in 1996, and now am facing yet another murder charge dealing with the same issue and facing a possible death penalty. Since my first incarceration at the age of 15 things have been drastically going downhill. Twenty plus years of my life has been lost in the system and Satan has controlled it every step of the way. For 20+ years, I have tried relentlessly to live right and do what God wanted me to do, but I have failed. My own family have cut me off and I am constantly struggling each day. June 12, I call myself baptized, only to have fallen into the pit of disgust again in July where I got caught with a weapon and sent to confinement. July 18th, I ended up killing my cell-mate. Even still to this day I do not know or understand why I did it. Now I sit on Q-wing at FSP waiting to go to court where it won't look good for me. Now I sit here lost, trying to figure it all out questioning God as to why, but receiving no reply. I don't have much time left on this earth because once I get the death penalty, they are pretty quick with the executions. I want the peace and assurance that Jesus has really forgiven me. I want to go to my grave knowing I will see some family in heaven. Clint, FL Clint has completed lesson one and needs our prayers so that he will understand more about repentance. John is writing to Clint.



Greetings in the blessed name of Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ!

Many thanks!

Received my gift today (Graduation Bible)

To God be the glory!

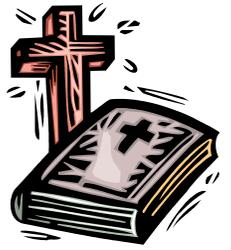
YOU HAVE MADE ME THE ENVY OF THE DORM.

A few of the ladies ask for your address. I pray they will find Jesus through your love.

Thank you so-so much for your time-energy. I will forever be grateful. I know if I don't ever see you here, I will see you in heaven, whichever comes first-with much anticipation.

Dalia H. from Raleigh, NC

Bibles keep coming in! Limited to 20 bibles a week by Thomas Nelson, our contact is purchasing them and they arrive every week. It is a beautiful sight. Over and over again, inmates reference their study bible and the joy they have in being able to attain one. The Word is quick and powerful and really the only thing that they can really possess in the prisons. We sometime get emails from former students. This week, a graduate emailed and asked for his wife to get a study. He is out and they want to study together. What a blessing. Amen.



Probation and Parole We enjoy a good relationship with the Office of Probation and Parole. The female officers are extremely cooperative and have gone out of their way to assist us. We also have clients in our classes referred to us by Probation and Parole. They have come to rely on our services and hopefully we can continue to work together. It is facilitated by the use of the web for our communication and reports.

Fruits of our Labor Our three vegetable beds are teeming with green. Lots and lots of tomatoes, carrots, squash, onions, cukes, kale, spinach. It requires a lot of daily tender care and has already set a lot of fruit. Our back fence is lined with blackberry and blueberry bushes growing rapidly. The fruit trees are adapting well to transplanting and spouting a lot of new growth. We will have to remove some tree limbs to provide more sunlight but already we are enjoying some of the squash and the young tender kale is delicious.



New Volunteers

New office volunteers include:

Tom and Carol Engeman who are doing our new students on Wednesday. Tom and Carol helped us with Grace Place last year and joined our regular office staff last month. Welcome!

Karen Ernst came to us from Tanglewood Community Church. Karen has volunteered at Grace Place and will be there on Thursdays. Her husband is helping with making stakes for the garden. Welcome!

Maria Hubbell has been with Little Lambs since 2004. She has served at the courthouse for several years and is recently retired and wants to serve the Lord more. Welcome!

SCHEDULE NOVEMBER 2011

Mondays.....Overcomers in Christ Recovery with John @Little Lambs Inc. 7:30-9:00 pm

Tuesdays.....Overcomers in Christ Recovery with John @ Avon Park Prison

Tuesdays.....Biblical Marriage Family & Parenting Class @ Avon Park Prison

Wednesdays....Biblical Marriage Family & Parenting Class Anger Management Class 7-9 pm @ First Presbyterian Church Sebring FL

3rd Thursday..Sexual Integrity for Men @ Little Lambs Inc. 6:30-8 pm

Nov. 4.....Church of God- Placid Temple with Eileen 51 Lake June Rd. 7:00 pm