



Dear Prayer Partner,

Happy New Year! This is the beginning of our fourth calendar year of ministry and we could not be more excited! God has been very faithful and has shown Himself through His provisions for this ministry. 2006 was the first year that we sought to generate financial support for our work, and He has faithfully provided for all of our needs. Megan and I are overwhelmed by the positive responses that we have gotten over this past year and deeply humbled by God's mighty hand of grace to our family through people just like you.

During the next month I am going to put together final giving statements for your upcoming taxes. Please check your records as I have had one mistake brought to my attention, and I do not want to prevent you from deducting all that you are due. After I send you your tax statement, I will work on an annual report for 2006 that describes the ministry and expenses associated with our work. I hope to have this completed by the end of January and made available on our web site by mid February. If for some reason you are not able to visit our web site to view the report, let me know, and I can send you a copy via e-mail or postal mail.

Speaking of our web site, we have changed the look of the web site and the newsletter header, too. Take a tour of the web site, and let me know what you think of the changes: www.thesharing.org

As a praise report, I am happy to announce that I have picked up new work this past month. In July I stopped working at the hospital because the hospital was bought-out, the management was largely changed, and in June I worked only four hours over the course of the entire month. I loved that job because it was perfect for my Multiple Sclerosis, however, I needed a job with more hours, so I went back to substitute teaching at the Armada schools. Since school started, I have been called to sub only a half dozen times, so I am not exactly cashing in on this work. Then early in December I began working at a gas station, and I seem to be getting some decent hours. Megan and I are still cleaning the apartment buildings where we live, so between that, subbing, and the gas station I am hopeful that we will not need too much of a monthly stipend from the ministry. Please pray that God would guard my health so that I might continue to work enough that we are not a burden on the ministry finances.

I pray God's blessing on you and your family as you begin fresh start in a new year. If you are looking for a spiritual new year's resolution, might I suggest reading through the Bible this year? If you read just four chapters a day you could be through it by the end of the year. If you listened to it on cassette (or CD) you could be through it in something like 72 hours! You could even listen to it on the Internet (<http://www.biblegateway.com/resources/audio/>). I've not been through it cover to cover in a couple of years, so I think that this will be the year for me to do it again. If you want to join me I would be happy for the company.

God Bless,
John

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