



NMI Prayer Mobilization Line December 15, 2009

“Think of it—the Lord has healed me! I will sing his praises with instruments everyday of my life in the Temple of the Lord.” Isaiah 38:20 (PWSB)

PRAISES:

Silvernail Praises

Geneva Silvernail serves in Papua New Guinea at the Melanesia Nazarene Bible College and is one of the missionaries in the December Prayer Focus. She shares the following praise reports:

- Praise the Lord that everything is set for a new school term to begin in January and that enrollment has increased at the Bible College.
- Praise the Lord that funds for scholarships have been received for 18 pastors and faculty to continue their education. In addition, 17 faculty and support persons are working on master's degrees.
- Praise the Lord that Thomas and Doreen are safe although their clans remain at war and three family members have been killed. Thomas and Doreen have worked at the Bible College for 16 years.
- Praise the Lord for the three missionaries who serve on the Bible College campus.

Andres Almeida

Thank you for praying for Andres Almeida recently as he struggled with pneumonia. He has completely recovered and is back in school. The family gives thanks to God for His intervention and the intercession of His people. Andres is the son of Fernando and Liliana Almeida, missionaries serving in Argentina.

Daviana Alejandra Acosta

Praise the Lord for the birth of Daviana Alejandra Acosta on December 3. Pray for this newborn child. She is the daughter of Jose David and Luzmari Acosta, missionaries serving in Peru.

PRAY FOR:

GLOBAL MINISTRY REQUESTS

Cyclone Mick

Pray for the people of the South Pacific islands of Fiji as Cyclone Mick passes through this week. The storm caused flooding, power outages, and the death of at least two people on the most populated island of Viti Levu, thousands have been left homeless. The storm, as of this writing, is headed towards Tonga. Pray for those whose lives are affected by Cyclone Mick.

December Missionary Prayer Focus

The following requests have been received from missionaries who are part of the December prayer focus. Please pray for:

Geneva Silvernail, serving in Papua New Guinea:

- Pray that the Lord will provide all that is needed for building projects on the Bible College campus in Papua New Guinea.
- Pray that funds will be available for student scholarships.
- Pray that the students will do well in English-based programs.
- Pray for the pastor who had to drop out of school due to expenses, that he will have the opportunity to study again.

- Pray for Thomas and Doreen – a married couple who have been on the Bible College staff - and their children, that they will find a safe place to pastor.
- Pray that the missionaries serving at the Bible College will continue to work well as a team and provide the leadership needed.

Please pray for the ministry and safety of the general superintendents traveling this month:

Dr. Jerry Porter
 Dr. Jesse Middendorf
 Dr. J.K. Warrick
 Dr. Eugenio Duarte
 Dr. David Graves
 Dr. Stan Toler

HEALTH-RELATED REQUESTS

Pat Stotler

Pray for Pat Stotler who is hospitalized with an irregular heartbeat and chest pressure. Doctors are running tests to determine the cause and a course of treatment. Please keep Pat, and her husband, Dale, in your prayers. They are retired missionaries who served in South Africa and Lesotho.

CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR:

GLOBAL MINISTRY REQUESTS

December Missionary Prayer Focus

The following requests have been received from missionaries who are part of the December Prayer Focus. Thank you for praying for:

Lawrence and Sharon Swenson, serving in Brazil:

- Pray for the Swensons' upcoming trip to Peru.
- Pray for Lawrence and Sharon's spiritual and physical health.
- Pray that God provides for all their financial needs.
- Pray for the churches in Brazil, that they will become more involved in missions.
- Pray for the Swensons' trip to the U.S.A. in August 2010, that they will have quality time with family and have opportunity to share in local churches about their ministry in Brazil.

HEALTH-RELATED REQUESTS

Angelito Agbuya

Please pray for Angelito Agbuya who has been diagnosed with colon cancer and will undergo surgery soon. Angelito is the superintendent of the Metro Luzon District and pastor of the Angeles City First Church of the Nazarene in the Philippines.

BEREAVEMENT

Family of Josefa Maldonado

Josefa Maldonado passed away on December 9 after an illness. Please pray for the family during this time. She was the mother of Margarita Pesado, missionary serving in Global Nazarene Publications.

Thanks for praying!