Smoke Signals ... From the McKinneys

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Dear Saints of God,

This is always a favorite time of the year for all of us....since we are tremendously grateful for all of God's Goodness and then in December, we are forever grateful for the birth of our Lord as the Saviour of all mankind. Salvation in the Lord Jesus Christ is like music to our soul....this is good news to share!

September was a good month, we saw our little church in Portland have a small increase in attendance, in the morning and evening services. There were professions made during soul winning and people coming to the altar to make things right with God. The Higginbotham family singers came by as they do each year and it is always a blessing to have them. They are from Ft. Towson, Oklahoma, and have worked with the Native Indians for about 30 years.

October was a busy month for us but a rewarding one! My wife and I went to Ganando Baptist Church in Ganado, Arizona to preach a missions conference for Bro. Mark Haynes. We had a wonderful time with the people there and got to see a church step up in faith and reach their missions offering for the next year. (Faith Promise) We also got to see the work of Joel haynes and the work the Lord is doing there. What a God we serve...Amen!

We then traveled to Big Spring, Tx., for the Semi-annual meeting at the Trinity Baptist Church and what a blessing!

I had to have some maintenance work on my physical body at the Choctaw Nation Hospital and also helped my Dad (87 years old) get some work done and while we were on our way back, we gave a report to the Choctaw Baptist Church in Idabel, Ok.. Also got to preach in my sending church at the Trinity Baptist Church in Grand Prairie, Tx, with Pastor Tommy Odell and the good people there!

On our way back, we preached for Bro. Raymond Hobbs and the Mountain View Baptist Church in Lukachukai. The Lord has his blessings on this group of believers!

November gives us plenty room to say "Thank You" to all of you who carry us in this ministry. You are always in our prayers too!

<u>Prayer Requests:</u> Children's ministry....Our Outreach....Someone to work with our teenagers....Funds to help build another restroom and a shower room for the mission apartment....and possible furlough for the summer of 2014.

Thanks for you help,

Larry G. McKinney

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