Smoke Signals... From the McKinneys

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Dear Praying Friends,

March is almost here, and we are in a different kind of mission for now. The Tacoma Indian Baptist Church was started in 1988, and it is now having some issues. My wife and I are back in Tacoma to almost restart the work. We had our first Wednesday night service on February 14, and there were only three in attendance. My wife looked at me and said, "We have our work cut out for us!" On the following Sunday, February 18, we had 22 people in church, and a 20 year old young lady named Freda received Jesus Christ as her Savior! Praise the Lord! We also had two visitors from the Muckleshoot Shaker Church. Pray for their salvation too. It's a start to a re-start!

We still had another month of Furlough to go, but God had a different plan for us. We incurred another kind of problem during this time, and it was concerning our vehicle. Our truck has 388,000+ miles, the cam is going out, and the catalytic converter needs replacement. The repairs would cost too much, so we decided to buy a used Camry instead. We are praying and asking the Lord for help with the cost of the car, which is \$8,500. If you can help, please send your offering as Vehicle Fund to the IBFI Mission Office. (If you want to send a new car to the Mission Office, we will gladly go to pick it up. LOL!)

Pray for the Tacoma Indian Baptist Church. We will be looking for a new Pastor after we get it built back up. Pray for our outreach in the Tacoma area. Pray for our Sunday School classes to gain importance again.

We love and appreciate you all!

Yours for Christ's sake.

Bro. Larry McKinney