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## Our Christmas Prayer

God grant you peace at Christmas, and fill your heart with cheer. God grant you health and happiness throughout the coming year. God guide you with His wisdom, and keep you in His care. This is our special wish for you; this is our Christmas prayer.

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Dear Friends,

As we look at our lives, past, present and future, we can say with the psalmist "The Lord hath done great things for us; whereof we are glad." Psalm 126:3

During the past two years I have had several health problems but the Lord was with me and gave me peace. In July and August of this year Flo was saying that my color was not right and in August I had a regular appointment with my heart doctor and the test they were trying to make were not coming out right and seeing how yellow my skin was, he ordered me to go to the emergency room where after test they found out that I had cancer of the bile duct. They kept asking how much pain I had and were very surprised when I told them that I had no pain at all and now, four months later, I still haven't had any pain.

I had a meeting with the doctor about what to do about the cancer and he said that surgery was very dangerous and mentioned radiation and chemotherpy. After I questioned him about the chances of success, he admitted that the chances were not very good. Flo and I had both been praying about what to do and we both believed it better to just leave it in the hands of Lord.

I admit that I started thinking more on going to heaven than living out the life that God had given me but after attending the fall fellowship meeting in Columbus, Georgia, I realized how important it is to live out our life here on earth until the Lord is ready to call us home.

We do want to thank our friends, pastors, churches, missionaries and all who have been such a blessing to us over the years and ask you to continue praying for us.

We pray that all of you will have a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

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