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Dear Friends,

Since my last letter, my wife and I have traveled from the east coast to the west coast.

I preached a mission's conference in the small village of Fleishchmanns, NY. Hiram Davis is the pastor of Cornerstone Baptist Church. In the last few years and under his leadership, the church membership and their faith promise has grown significantly.

In August, I preached a special appreciation service for Pastor Russell Tyree at the Valley Baptist Temple, Auburn, WA. Pastor Tyree started the church and has pastored it over 40 years. The church designated him as "Pastor Emeritus" and honored him and his wife. Pastor Tyree has been long time friends of independent Baptists, and I consider him to be one of the outspoken statesmen God has gifted for local church causes.

After leaving Washington, my wife and I traveled to California to be with Pastor Willie Del and his great church family. I preached at his Faith Promise Conference. At the end of the conference Pastor Del informed me that the church's faith promise commitment took a significant step forward. I'm always pleased to hear of the good results that the Lord provides when His plan is followed.

As usual, we participated in the Global Independent Baptist Mission's deputation school the last week of August. It is always a blessing to meet new missionary candidates and help prepare them for the next step of their journey for the Lord.

In September, Judy and my daughter in law, Kathy Lewis, were invited to speak at a ladies conference in Marietta, OH. There were about 200 women from OH, VA, and PA present for the conference. Since the two women were speaking, my son and I both spoke on Sunday. It was a great time for us to get together, and I think the church enjoyed the Lewis team for those few days.

In between my meetings, we continue to help Solon Road Baptist Church in Waxahachie, TX. Our plate is full, but we are enjoying God's blessing on all fronts. We are thankful for your prayers and your faithfulness to the Lord in helping us.

With all best wishes,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Robert Lewis". The signature is fluid and cursive.

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