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To our Ropeholders,

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Field Address

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Tract distribution

Door to door witness

Evangelistic events

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Church planting

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The Good Burdens

Winter Wonderland as the expression goes or maybe let it snow x3. The next thing to Alaska here in the northern part of the U.S, a total of seventy-five inches in a span of one and half months. A great time to make some money in shoveling alone, just a lot different from what we're used to from the tropics. It's been a blessing to be back home with family although the unexpected has happened to our family, grandma Diana has passed to be with the Lord. Life lived at ninety-one is great to see and to experience a life well spent. I had the opportunity to conduct the funeral service with some of the members of my home church and Pastor. My wife is five months pregnant now, hopefully a boy this time around, it would be great to have a little preacher beside me (laughing). Being home as we continue to wait for my wife's paper works has been a challenge but yet rewarding in maintaining patience as we long to get back to the field. We realize the field is also large here and while we are here there is a lot to do.

The Great Blessings

Our home church has been such a blessing to us in providing for us one of the members for us to stay at his residence for the past three months now and we are blessed for his willingness and humility to provide for us. In doing this it actually saves us almost one thousand dollars a month for rent. During our stay we have had many opportunities to share our ministry to some local churches and even the ones who have been supporting us even though this has not intended to be a "furlough" trip so we are taking the opportunity to raise some extra support for the field. We do ask for your pardon for the ones who are at a distance from us that we cannot get to you, finances would not permit. Preaching behind the pulpit and outside the pulpit is my heartbeat, to edify and equip the saints as well as bring in the sheaves in our *soul warning* and assistance to my home Pastor in some of the satellite ministries. That is the norm for some good partnerships here with preaching on ferry boats and of course the good ole 42nd St NYC open air in the subway systems. The great thing about that is the people don't have a choice but to listen because they can't go anywhere until their stop comes up.

Field news as we away has been doing well, our small staff are continuing he work progressively and truly have been faithful, we are able to communicate from time to time and have the opportunities to discuss future planning for 2011-2012. The Lord is preparing us preparing us slowly in his time to return to Mindanao hopefully within the next couple of weeks, we do covet your prayers for us as we prepare to depart. We are excited to face new challenges ahead and that our next arrival in the states would not be until 2014 Lord willing. The greatest Book, by the way, Happy Birthday to the Monarch of Books, the greatest book on this earth, the authentic staggering book of books, the Beautiful sword of the spirit. None other than the King James Bible, how thankful I am to have the perfect words of God not just "accurate" but Infallible, Inerrant, Inspired, Immutable and final authority for life, faith and practice. Psalms 12:6,7



Praises, Prayers & Piks



how about that for work ahead



Grandma Diana



Bible study with our Home church and leading singing



Abiela's church friends@ sleepover



PRAISES TO THE LORD !

- 1 For safe travels for us in the U.S as we wait for our adjustments
- 2 Nanna Diana at 91 going home to be with the Lord
- 3 My families continued health
- 4 grandpa Spinelli still kicking at 92 years old



PRAYER:

- 1 Comfort and healing for family in light of Grandma Diana's death
- 2 For Janette's pregnancy at 6months
- 3 Paper works for my wife to arrive (Immigration)
- 4 an opportunity to depart by the end of this month

*IN THE SERVICE OF OUR GREAT GOD,
THE MADDENS*