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May 2010 Report from Missionary Evangelist Robert Lewis 602 Manco Road Lewisville, TX 75028 Mobile (401) 286-2400

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Dear <Greeting>,

As you probably know by now GIBMissions has moved to an office suite in Lewisville, TX, just a few blocks from Liberty Baptist Church. It is quite adequate and has been supplied by the generous offerings of the pastors who attended the GIBF meeting in Tulsa last September. A more detailed report with pictures will appear in the next issue of the *Baptist Times*.

In March, my wife and I flew to New England to help with ministry responsibilities at Blackstone Valley Baptist Church in Cumberland, Rhode Island. Our son, Randy, had surgery on his knee. He was in the hospital for several days. I preached for him on two consecutive Sundays. He is doing well now, but may require more surgery before the problem is completely resolved. While we were there, I was invited to preach at the Knotty Oak Baptist Church in Coventry, Rhode Island, and Calvary Baptist Church in Newport, Rhode Island. It was good to visit old friends and encourage them and their church families.

In April, my wife and I participated in two additional missions conferences. The first one was hosted by Cornerstone Baptist Church, Indianapolis, Indiana. Don Mitchell is the pastor who started this great church and has been there for thirty-one years. Needless to say, the church was well prepared for the conference. At the end of the week, when the Faith Promise Cards were tallied, there was a significant increase over the previous year's missions offering. The total was a little over \$163,000. Pastor Mitchell was rejoicing in that the total not only made up for some lost income, but surpassed the goal of any previous year. The next



conference was hosted by the Keystone Baptist Church in Wisconsin Dells, Wisconsin. Pastor David Moore has been in the church for only five months. It is a healthy church, but had not been introduced to Faith Promise Missions. At the end of the week, the church committed \$5,500 to the missionary program by faith. Pastor Moore and his church family did a wonderful job of hosting the meeting and the missionaries. Joel Reasoner and his wife Michelle, missionaries to Russia, were there. Joel preached and showed a presentation of the need for the gospel in Russia. Paul and Sara Leclercq, missionaries to Guam, and his family were also there. Brother Le-Clercq showed a presentation and preached as well.

We are very grateful for your continued prayers and support. We will be traveling again to New England in August and to the west coast in October. If you would like to have us come for a meeting, please contact us.

Best Wishes Always!

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