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Greetings in the name of Jesus,

As we wind down 2009 we reflect on the blessings that God has provided for Racing with Jesus Ministries. We have come through another racing season where we experienced tremendous blessings from those we serve and those who support us. Words seem inadequate to express our appreciation for all of you who have faithfully continued to support us. Thank you for your dedication and commitment to partner with us in spreading the Good News of the Gospel.

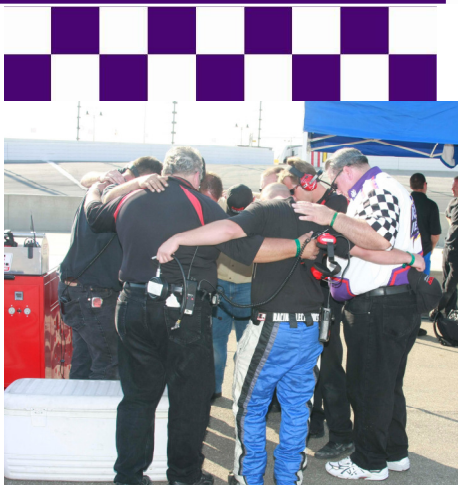
We have seen our support base increase with the addition of churches, companies and individuals. When we stepped out in faith in June, knowing that God wanted us to trust Him, we could not have expected such an outpouring of blessings. God has shown us that He is worthy of our trust and faith. If you are not sure what the future holds for you, know that God is the one to put your trust and faith in.

As I look back on the season just passed I am amazed at the places we have been. One late season trip demonstrated how the reach of this ministry continues to grow. The schedule called for us to be in Dover, DE on Friday and Martinsville, VA on Saturday and Sunday. Along the way we were able to stay with friends of this ministry and didn't need to make any hotel reservations. We stayed at the Wrights' house in DE on Thursday night, the Fosters' in VA on Friday, actually Saturday morning, and A.C. Wilson made arrangements for us to stay in a house in Martinsville on Saturday night. We were provided for in every place we went. God is good.

We are reminded of God's provision and are thankful for those He put in our path;

- for Kip Childress, Chad Little and Richard Buck for all that they do for the ministry and to NASCAR for supporting us and allowing us to serve them.
- for those who read our Bible teachings and let us know that they apply the lessons.
- for the drivers, officials, team members that support us and thank us for praying with them and appreciate us being there.
- for those who support our efforts. They pray for us and encourage us to continue on serving in Jesus' name.

How has God provided for your needs? I am reminded of the familiar words of Psalm 23 (NLT);





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The LORD is my shepherd;
I have all that I need.
He lets me rest in green meadows;
he leads me beside peaceful streams.
He renews my strength.
He guides me along right paths,
bringing honor to his name.
Even when I walk
through the darkest valley,
I will not be afraid,
for you are close beside me.
Your rod and your staff
protect and comfort me.
You prepare a feast for me
in the presence of my enemies.
You honor me by anointing my head with oil.
My cup overflows with blessings.
Surely your goodness and unfailing love will pursue me
all the days of my life,
and I will live in the house of the LORD
forever.

We want to encourage you to continue to let the Lord supply all you need. In these difficult times we are tempted to keep everything we are given just in case tomorrow brings unforeseen challenges. God reminds us to put our trust and faith in him and He will provide what we need. We honor God when we acknowledge His all sufficient grace. We encourage others when, in spite of the circumstances, we remain faithful to God.

Our cup overflows with blessings beyond what we could have thought possible. Let God guide and direct your path. Put your trust and faith in him. Commit to follow His way.

Thank you for your continued support, both in prayer and financially. It is your willingness to give that makes this all possible. Remember we are always available to pray with you and to help you through the challenges life brings our way. If you would like us to come and speak to your church or group about how God is using us, please let us know and we will make plans to be there. Have a blessed Christmas season.

Thank You and God Bless,
Rev. Don Rivers
Racing with Jesus Ministries