



November and December

Dear Friends,

2018 has been a challenging year. It continues to be a struggle to keep my blood pressure under control. In my last letter I wrote about the surgery on my back and the removal of the cyst on my spine with the nerve imbedded in it. The removal of the cyst resulted in a bruised nerve and foot and leg weakness. Thankfully, it is improving but I am still dealing with unsteadiness on my feet. Friends and doctors continually warn me about falling. In spite of their sound advice, when putting a tool of the shelf in the garage, I fell backward and took a tremendous hit on the back of my head on the concrete floor. I had amnesia for about 20 minutes and don't remember the fall. I concluded that if you are going to experience the worst fall of your life try not to remember it! Thankfully, the hospital scan did not reveal a problem in my head. Thankfully, I am not hindered in preaching.

Since my last letter I presented Grace Giving to a Church in Michigan. I also preached two Sundays in Chesapeake, Virginia, and in Elizabeth City, North Carolina.

Please pray that 2019 will be a much better year. Ask God to give me a good schedule of conferences. I very much want to be used in challenging churches for missions and grace giving. Also pray that my strength will be recovered soon and that I will stay on my feet!!

I pray the Lord will continue to bless the Church and all its ministries and members.

Yours in Christ,

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