

May 8, 2010

Dear praying friends at Faith Baptist Church,

Greetings on this beautiful spring morning from East Tennessee! Without a doubt, you saw the devastation of flooding that spread through Memphis and Nashville. So many people were touched by the storm as it raced toward us here. However, the LORD did protect us an all of the young men at the Ranch. We got some heavy rains, but no building damage.

Since our last writing, one of our young men who has been with us for over a year, and was seriously doubting his salvation, responded in a chapel service at school and went forward and trusted Christ as his personal Saviour. Years ago, I heard a preacher say, "If they don't know for sure they are saved, then you can't know if they are saved." He went on to say, "The best verses for assurance of salvation are salvation verses."

We are always thankful for young men getting saved and getting the assurance of their salvation. Pray for our young men because there are so many temptations and "pulls" in their lives as they race toward adulthood. We are so grateful for your prayers and stand with us. God IS so good to us. Thank you for your faithful support!

Because of Calvary,
 James Scott
 Director of Ranch
 Galatians 2:20

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Dear praying friends at Faith Baptist Church,

Since you have heard from us last the Haven has celebrated its 13th anniversary, on April 17th. What an exciting weekend! We had over 30 of our girl's family members present. It's always a joy to see our young ladies and their families reunited. It's a wonderful time for them to see what God is doing in their lives. Since our anniversary I have had several phone calls from parents telling me of the tremendous change they have seen in their daughter's life. As staff at the Haven we all want to say, "To God be the Glory!"

I want to share a blessing that God has recently sent to the Haven, her name is Grace. Grace came to the Haven on April 19th. For the last three years, Grace has lived here in the United States, but was born and raised in Liberia. The entire staff is excited at the opportunity to see what God will do in Grace's life and the burden she may have one day for our country. All of that to say that the Shenandoah Haven could have a small part, but not only the Haven, all of you who pray and give on a consistent basis. Thank you again, so much.

Give Him the Glory,
 Matt Franklin
 Director of Haven
 Ecclesiastes 3:11a

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Shenandoah Haven Academy for Young Ladies  Shenandoah Ranch Academy for Young Men
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