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Trust In the Lord Part II

My health is back to 100%. Praise the Lord! I have been back on the road since the beginning of August. I am very excited to announce that Jonesboro Baptist Church of Jonesboro, Arkansas has voted to partner with me financially. I thank God that He is making a way. I am now at 26% of my support. My September schedule is full. I am so excited to see God working on my behalf in so many ways. Please pray for wisdom as I make some decisions this month. Pray for safety as I travel to meetings. Pray for God to guide me to the right individuals and churches that will partner with me. Thank you once again to all who faithfully support me through prayers and finances. The Lord has used you all greatly.

The people in the Philippines are still on a strict lock down, but they are allowing churches to gather to worship the Lord if the regulations are met. It has been a joy to continue to listen to the services through live stream in the Philippines. As I have said before, I love hearing them sing praises to the Lord. The ministry has been very diligent in continuing daily Bible studies, children's programs, and weekly Bible reading challenges. Many of the members have been involved with these ministries. Even the children are taking part in the Bible readings. I am very thankful to be a part of the ministry even from halfway across the world. Please continue to pray for the Heavenly Bible Baptist Church and the Ocampos as they continue to trust God and minister to the Filipino people in Lipa City, Batangas during these uncertain times.

As God continues to teach me how to trust Him fully, I continue to look at Psalm 56. A few weeks ago, I was reading through Acts for the Philippine Bible reading challenge. When I came to the part about Stephen's martyrdom, Psalm 56:11 came to mind. It says, "In God have I put my trust: I will not be afraid what man can do unto me." Stephen was a true testament to this verse. He did not fear what people would do to him. After being wrongfully accused by false witnesses, he still preached to his accusers while on trial. When Stephen finishes, the Bible says in Acts 7:54, "When they heard these things, they were cut to the heart, and they gnashed on him with their teeth." It goes on to say that Stephen was full of the Holy Spirit so much so that he saw the glory of God in Heaven. His attackers grew angrier, stopped up their ears, and took him out of the city to stone him. As Stephen's persecutors began to stone him, he cried out to the Lord to not hold this act of murder against them. Stephen was so full of the Holy Spirit that He forgave the very people that were throwing stones. Persecution is becoming more and more common. We have always heard about it from missionaries in other countries, but to think it has started in America where we are supposed to have the freedom to worship is a scary thought. I pray that we use this time of uncertainty to become more in tuned with our Heavenly Father. If the time does come that we must take a stand for Christ, we can be as Stephen and not be afraid of what man can do unto us. It is true we have nothing to fear because as born-again Christians we will be with our Heavenly Father and our loved ones who have passed on before us. We can rest in this hope.

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 prayers and support!**

"Looking for that blessed hope..." Titus 2:13