

Dear Friend of Abiding Above,

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Thank you for praying and giving!

Fourteen men traveled to the Orlando, FL area to distribute more than 47,500 gospel tracts (paper missionaries)!



We know we look like a motley crew, but we arose at 6:30AM and did not get to bed until 10:30PM at the earliest. Here is part of our team at the airport where we distributed thousands of tracts. To God be the glory great things He continues to do.

In his hometown of Nazareth, Jesus was speaking, and the Bible says in Luke 4:28-30 - "And all the people in the synagogue were filled with rage as they heard these things; and they got up and drove Him out of the city, and led Him to the brow of the hill on which their city had been built, in order to throw Him down the cliff. But passing through their midst, He went His way."

My friend, just like Jesus, we must turn and do the duty that lies nearest as we simply, "... go His way."

People often ask, "Do you meet resistance?" Sometimes we do, but surprisingly, we find people are worried about our nation and the world. Even though many are still without Christ, deep down, they know that something is not right in this present world. We have the answer! The good news of Jesus Christ! He died for us and as us!

Here I am at the back of one of the vans, loading up more gospel bullets to send out to those who are lost in a world that is controlled by Satan.

The Bible says this about our greatest enemy, Satan!

1 John 3:8 – "The Son of God appeared for this purpose, to destroy the works of the devil."

1 Peter 5:8 – "Be of sober spirit, be on the alert. Your adversary, the devil, prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour."

Thank you, my friend, for praying and helping us get the good news out to those who are perishing, and all the while being a part of God's team in "... destroying the works of the devil."

Here is only one picture which represents many individuals who simply read the gospel tract that has been handed to them. This happens everywhere we go! Thank you for praying and helping!

Please be praying for our upcoming Saint Patrick's Day evangelistic event. Again, thousands of tracts will go directly into the hands of men, women, boys, and girls as they are walking from their cars to the parade in downtown Memphis, TN! Thank you! Thank you! Thank you!

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