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Dear Faithful Friends,

It is exciting to be back in the States! We are thankful for your faithful prayers and His wonderful blessings.

We praise the Lord that **we have a commitment** from our home church for the funds needed for NBBC in Tapi, Kabankalan. As Hudson Taylor once said, "God's work, done God's way never lacks God's supply." Pastor Willy and his new bride are very excited to see God blessing them in such a way. I believe they are going to be used greatly by the Lord.

While we are here, all the churches in the Philippines continue to go forward. With the end of another school year in the Philippines, New Beginnings Baptist Church will be **commissioning another church planting family to go start NBBC Tacloban City, Leyte**. This island was devastated by Typhoon Yolanda in 2013 with over a thousand people losing their lives and several thousand losing everything they owned. This island is recovering physically and economically but our missionaries want to help them recover spiritually. Please join us in prayer for this new church planting project. **We need \$3000** to cover their travel expenses, shipping their things and renting a house to get them started. If 30 churches could contribute an extra \$100 this need could be met quickly.

With the ministries seemingly well established and functioning on their own, we will now be **expanding our ministry outside the Philippines**. We will continue working in the Philippines but we will also be enhancing our partnership with our Filipino missionaries in the training of workers and starting of churches in neighboring countries.

Through NBBC Bacolod we have partnered with several Filipino missionaries in starting the foundational churches throughout Asia. We are now going to take those efforts to the next level by working through these missionaries, in training their national converts and partnering with them to start native churches among their people. As of now we are studying our opportunities and praying about a trip to the Asian countries of Burma, Laos, Cambodia, Vietnam and Thailand in the near future to discuss these opportunities further.

Please join us in prayer as we pursue this chapter of our lives and ministry. If you would like to have us come share this new exciting ministry with your church please give us a call at 8036036088 or email me at the above address and we will work out a schedule as soon as we can.

God bless you all for your faithfulness to Him and our family,

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