

OVERCOMERS PROGRAM
"GIVING FLIGHT TO THE NATIVE AMERICAN SPIRIT . . . ONE FAMILY AT A TIME"

The Gooder News



Greetings to all our brothers and sisters. We have come to the end of another session of the Overcomers and it was wonderful to witness God move through the lives of this group. The men, Anderson, Darrell, Drew, Eynn, Erwin, Christopher, & Lester, traveled different journeys to get here, but soon realized they were looking to reach the same destination and worked together towards that goal. We ask that you continue to pray they keep Christ in the forefront as they journey down this new path.

We were blessed with two wonderful Home Living Coordinator couples this session as well, Glenn & Joyce Ginder, and Val & Barb Thom-
son. We could not have accomplished what we do here without their help. Barb & Joyce pre-

pared some delicious meals and they were a great encouragement to the men.

Glenn & Val provided teaching and support and were asked to baptize 4 of the men this session. Glen baptized



Anderson a few weeks into the program and Val had the honors of the other 3 in the



Chama River during our campout. We cannot stress enough the importance of the couples to the

success of the program and we are seeking two more couples for our Fall session and we ask that you make this a prayer concern.

During the program there are times when something special takes place. We were able to take the men to see the Passion Play in Farm-



ington this session and all the men enjoyed that time. We were also given the honor to go to Albuquerque to drum and listen to Richard Twiss. These both were wonderful

times of worship and fellowship.

We were also blessed this session with a



group that came out from the Bridge to join us in a camping trip. We can't express



enough the effect this had on this group of men. The time of fellowship during the campout was a tremendous help to the men. We just want to thank all those involved.



In closing We would just like to say Thank you to all who support us, both financially and with your prayers, with the ministry that God has called us to. We cannot accomplish any of this without your help. We serve an awesome God who allows us to be a part of His plan and to witness the life changes that only His Spirit can bring forth.

God Bless

Ralph & Bonnie Yoder

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We will once again hook up the little white trailer, put on the car top carrier, pack our suitcases and travel across the States. We will begin our journey with a stop in Smithville Texas at the RVICS headquarters to share with them about the ministry here. Of course we get to visit with Glenn and Joyce again! From there we will head up to Campbellsville, KY where we will be with the BIC

Congregation on Sunday June 13. We will have the opportunity to visit with my cousins who pastor that congregation and I have not seen for many years. As we leave KY we will wend our way into PA with a short stop at Antrim BIC for some donations to put in the little white trailer. On Sunday June 20 we will be sharing with the Fairland BIC congregation and visiting with Herb & Evie Hoover. From PA we will travel into Ohio to be with the New Creation Fellowship

Congregation in Kidron on June 27th. We will head on into IN then to be with our home congregation of Nappanee BIC that evening. We will than head south to home and the Mission.

"Render service with a good attitude, as to the Lord and not to men."

Ephesians 6:7

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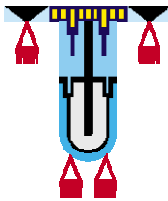
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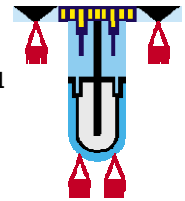
Home living Coordinators needed

We are in need of two couples to be home living coordinators for the Fall 2010 session. If you or anyone you know might be interested, please give us a call or send us an email. We will send out any information concerning the position. Thank you.



Yoder Family News

What a fantastic busy spring we have had and we now look forward to a summer filled with new experiences. As you know, we travel each summer sharing about the ministry here and the amazing things God is doing. This year will be no different other than the fact that Josh will be staying here at the Mission while we are gone.



He will be helping around the compound with the Mission Teams and various other things he will be able to do. This has been a year of positive changes and decisions for him and we are very proud of him. He continues to do well in school and attended his first Prom this spring. He will be attending SST (summer of service and training) at the YWAM (Youth with a Mission) base in Cimarron, CO for three weeks in July. Kayla has had a harder year at school making the transition to harder subject and work. She continues to do well despite her struggles and is making good decisions as she grows into a young lady whom we are proud of. She will get to have Mom and Dad all to herself as we travel this year as well as the whole backseat. Ralph has really struggled with sleep apnea for the last several months that does not allow him to really get good restful sleep. He should be getting help via a machine before we leave on our cross country journey. I continue to do what I can for the family and ministry here without any undue problems. We will have the opportunity to spend some time with the Smuckers and Yoders along the way. Ralph's parents will be traveling this summer and are able to come spend some time with us when we return. We are so thankful for the opportunity to be here sharing the lives of those in this community. We continue to see God working in so many areas, overcoming the battles all around us. Watching God change lives and families, healing, restoring and renewing is awesome in so many ways. We are so thankful for the continued faithful support of all our family and friends across the country. We could not be here allowing God to work through us without you standing with us. Ralph, Bonnie, Josh & Kayla

Check us out on facebook—Ralph-Bonnie Yoder (our family page) and become fans of the—Navajo BIC Overcomers

Prayer Requests and Praises

Praises-

Our Home Living Coordinators for this session did an amazing job teaching, cooking and caring for the men.

Several of the men were baptized this session.

All the volunteers and staff who continue to give of their time and efforts to minister to the men here.

God's continued grace, mercy and protection.

Financial avenues are opening back up for our clients.

Prayer requests-

Continued Prayer and financial support.

Protection from the enemy as our clients walk into their futures clean and sober.

Pray that we will discern which direction we need to follow in seeking financial help for the program.

Pray for Chris, Lester, Drew, Anderson, Darrell, Erwin & Eynn.

Pray for all the staff and volunteers who are working in the program, that we would have unity and strength.

For our fall session coming up.

We would like to thank all who have been sending support for the program and the Yoder's. Everything here is financed through individual donations. We give thanks to God for all who have given and we ask that you pray God will raise up more as funds are tight. We are looking for more individuals who would be willing to support the program. We are hoping to find 500 individuals who would be willing to give \$10 a month. This would be a tremendous help in furthering our mission here to help those to overcome their addictions. Many things are beginning to happen and we wish to thank all who have been supportive of the ministry here.



Overcomer Program Needs

We are so excited about all the changes that are taking place in our facility. The old stove has been removed and replaced with a counter-top and cabinets. We were also given an under the cabinet microwave that is larger than our old Microwave. We are still in need of the funds to completely renovate the kitchen and have set up a separate account for that purpose. Thank you to those who have already contributed to this fund. We also are still in need of new flooring throughout the upstairs as well as some replacement windows. We have been blessed with new blinds for the all purpose room and classroom, thanks John & Dorothy. We have received some new camping equipment which is awesome, but could use more. New furniture for the all purpose room, TV room, DMI room and classroom are also on our wish list. Thank you for all you do to help us.

