

MEL & CAROL BROWN

Missionaries

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Dear Praying Friends,

There has been a lot of fishing going on in our lives since our last letter. That is "Fishing for men." (Matthew 4:19) Isn't that what missions is about?

December was a month of many open doors for me to fish for souls. I have had an invitation to minister to all the employees at a local spice distribution company on a bi-weekly basis. They invited me to speak at their Christmas banquet where all the employees gathered together. My message was on the "Unspeakable Gift". This warehouse man, Jesse, received Christ as his Saviour a few weeks before and received a nice Bible that he asked for.



Another big pond where over 2,000 people gathered for 3 days, rain or shine, is at the Christmas gift distribution which was held at the old JC Penneys store in Century Plaza. Every person received a good Gospel tract at the registration counter. There were many others like myself who went fishing out in the parking lot, witnessing one on one to those who were waiting for their families.

Talk about a large pond of souls! The ones I talked to were very receptive to the Gospel and prayed to receive Christ as their personal Saviour. Sad to say, but many more could have been reached but the labours were few. "Then saith Jesus unto his disciples, **THE HARVEST TRULY IS PLENTEOUS, BUT THE LABOURERS ARE FEW; PRAY YE THEREFORE THE LORD OF THE HARVEST, THAT HE WILL SEND FORTH LABOURS INTO HIS HARVEST.**" Matthew 9:37-38

Lastly, Carol and I were invited to Opelika, AL where Bro. Thad Endicott is the new pastor of the Heritage Baptist Church for their 1st. World Faith Promise Missions Conference. Bro. Mike Eastridge and I preached for 4 days, Feb. 17-20. The people were very receptive and God did a great work in their hearts. We praise God He continues to use us in reaching people with the Gospel and promoting World Missions. We are not retired but just re-treaded. Thank you for being a partner with us in God's harvest field.

In His service 'til He comes,



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