

Lanyon Family Homeland 2008

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Dear Friends and Family,
Greetings to you from the CT Lanyon Family!

This election year found us busy and adapting to new times for home, family church and nation. We are sadly seeing freedoms leave our beloved land. But as I preached on last Sunday in our monthly nursing home service, Luke 1: 45 nkjv "Blessed is she who believed, for **there will be a fulfillment of those things which were told her from the Lord.**"

Over 70 times the English word for fulfillment appears in the KJV New

Testament emphasizing one clear truth in these troubling times: *What God promised HE WILL FULFILL!* Living in America is still a blessing and we must take full advantage of every hour to seek Him (Isa 55:6 Seek ye the LORD while he may be found, call ye upon him while he is near:) and trust (Isa 55:6 Seek ye the LORD while he may be found, call ye upon him while he is near...)His sovereign control while we exercise "godliness" (1 Tim 4.7-8) After seeing the results of our election, I realized it is high time to spread the gospel so I have printed 4 tracts, 2 are close reprints and 2 are new now in print. See them at www.aprayernotebook.net/tracts I pray that many will read them and find Him as personal savior.

As I write, my dear friend Br. Bernie Meisler, is seeing his last days as cancer of the Lung ravages his 90 year old body. We have rejoiced to see the simple faith of this old man with a new heart as of 2003. He is a true convert of the Lord and has repented of many things in the 5 years of his Hebrew Christian life. He loves to attend church services, fellowship with many there, and much of the Lanyon family has revolved around the sacrifice of bringing him faithfully to church for every service. Please pray for his family and see his page at www.aprayernotebook.net/bernie.

There is more to tell about this year than a brief page front and back can contain. If you would like some further details, I will try to add some greater details linked on our family page: www.aprayernotebook.net/ctlanyons Here are some *Newspaper Styled Headlines*, followed by some personal comments from each of our family members.

Interesting Subjects filling in this year:

Completed a New Basement Bathroom/ Shower That Glorifies Our Chemical Room for Business
Visited Grandma on August OHIO Trip, Attended a Revival at Mary Davis' Mansfield Church,
Former TBC Family, the Bill Motes', Take Us to Visit a Pittsburgh Science Center with 'Hands-on' Fun-filled Exhibits. September Annual Lanyon Visit to the "Big-E" Eastern States Exhibition with Home Schoolers. David and Joseph Both Help with Church Projects on and Around Our Building and Even Other Churches We're Helping. Joseph Gives Many Bikes Away at Church and Other Family Friends. Joseph Lists 26 Bikes on Craig's List and Sells 7 in One Month. Lanyons Purchase at the Big E Christian Ties and DVD's for Ministry. (See the I Am Tie on Dad in Our Picture) Pat Sets up a Computer Lab at Westside Nursing Home for Residents to Better Occupy Their Time There. David and Dad Learn Together the Workings of Operating Systems. David Encourages Missionaries and Church Friends with Handheld Computers and Phones as They Visit. Dad Purchases a Projector to Provide for

Westside Nursing Home Ministry

David...

Graduates. David sings well a special in church service,
Befriends in church who might be lonely,
Uses knowledge of hand-held devices to encourage others,
Helps Pastor Harper in many ways.
Skilled sitter for Harper's on youth activities.

Joseph's...

Mechanical Bike-builder talents reveal a giver's heart!
Mows lawn and rakes leaves as a real home-keeper.
Rewards and Gifts of Tools given him by TBC family,
Dad helps him list over 25 bikes on Craig's list and build winter-shelter for Bikes.
Helper to Mr. David Peck in wake of Henry, our neighbor's February death (we were finally able to hear him admit childhood faith in our Savior Jesus).
Both sons enjoy Week at Wilds Christian Camp.

Chris...

Cleans for elderly church woman to encourage her.
Faithfully does book-keeping, home schooling for boys.
Still loves to use her grain mill to bake breads.
And still makes greeting cards to handout at wherever we visit nursing homes.

Pat's...

Study in the "Chronological Bible"
Printing of 1,000 tracts each of 4 tracts. See www.aprayernotebook.net/tracts
He teaches a monthly and weekly Bible studies at nursing homes.
Ministry to Bernie, now age 90!
Visited another TBC member aged 95, and encouraged her to stay faithful until God Calls her home.
Business: Wisdom of diversity a blessing in downturns!
Help from God-sent employees: one an older Christian retiree and a humble searching mom.