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Your Call

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"Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit...." (Ephesians 6:18)

Dear friends,

It's just after 9:00 AM and the friendly noises of hammers, saws and workers chatting permeate the presence of Lifehouse Drop-in Center. Praise God, what an excellent and upbeat spirit by our Lifehouse team.

But to accomplish all that our Sovereign Lord has ordained, we need more prayer warriors; servants who are willing to commit themselves to prayer for at least an hour a week (Warriors on the Walls). Why?

One doesn't need to be an Einstein to figure that out. Let me illustrate what we're up against.

1. Late last year, the Buchens encountered several severe demonic attacks. On one of the following Sundays, while the family was at church, a 5-gallon container of water was knocked off their kitchen counter to the floor, causing severe flooding.
2. In Jan., before I moved from YWAM to LDC, I also encountered the wiles of a water demon. (On a Sat., while all of YWAM were on a beach outing, I purchased two 5-gal. containers of water.) Leaving one of them on a chair in the kitchen, I went out for about three hours of Internet. Upon returning, the kitchen container was sitting on the floor, 2/3 empty, in a pool of water. For any skeptics, yes, the doors were locked.
3. After moving here on Jan. 30, we have had to use six different water dispensers. Each one has sprung a leak, covering our kitchen floor with water. Yesterday, we had the company's technician fix it on site...if this one doesn't also spring a leak, I'll be surprised. We're in the middle of summer and our two-six daily workers need lots of water.

And I'm not mentioning how deep the corruption ran regarding the purchase of the property. Some very hard work by our former corporate secretary resulted in solid legal ownership by Lifehouse. **"Thanks be unto God who gives us the victory through Christ Jesus."** (1 Cor. 15:57)

Thanks also to those who have given in finances. We now have money for the generator, the roofing and the bunk-beds. I also got a deal on a '96 Toyota Hi-Ace. As the Lord leads, we can use financial help in many avenues, including a monthly salary for six workers which will total about \$1,000/mo.

Praises:

1. For Alemar, one of our workers, who last week, gave his heart to Christ.
2. For excellent work being done on our Drop-in Center.

Prayers:

1. Lydia's April 13 court case had to be postponed until August. The judge didn't show so Renea will have to leave on May 3 without Lydia. Pray for the Lord's encouragement upon the Buchens.
2. For the Lord to provide wisdom in preparing the LDC for His selected kids and in giving us the proper programs in handling them.
3. For the Lord's provision of more prayer warriors and finances for Lifehouse Village and Lifehouse Drop-in Center.
4. For His blood-bought protection of our Lifehouse team from the wiles of the evil one.
5. For completion of necessary Lifehouse programs by specific times

In Christ,

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