



## Daniel & Priscilla Webster: Serving the Lord in Ghana

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**“...together with all those who in every place call upon the name of our Lord Jesus Christ..” 1Cor 1:2**

Too often Christians are looking for those distinctions which separate them from others who know and Love the Lord Jesus Christ. In the name of defending the truth we become sectarian, and thus the body of Christ splits into factions. We accept this as the norm, but we ought to learn from Paul's letter to the Corinthians, that Christ is not divided, and our efforts should be focused not on things that divide believers, but on those things which unite us in Christ. Showing unity rather than division will empower our gospel message, which draws people from every tribe, tongue and nation into one body.

**Dear friends in Christ:** Greetings to you once again from Ghana!

### **Teen Class:**

Each Sunday morning between 20 or 25 teens gather in our teen class to hear the word of God being taught. In the past I have taught them through each chapter of John's gospel, and more recently through each chapter in the book of Acts. We used a video version of Acts to help them visualize the events and people found in this book. I gave them an exam on Acts a couple of weeks ago, and they all did extremely well on their tests, for which we are most thankful. My wife and I will host them for a dinner tomorrow, to express our love and appreciation of their keen interests in learning God's word. Last Sunday I began a study of 1Corinthians with them, which will likely take us through 2Corinthians also for the remainder of 2016. We are seeing some encouraging marks of growth among those who know the Lord, but please pray for the teens who are not yet saved.

### **Men's Leadership Study:**

I began a bi-weekly study with the men of the assembly on the subject of leadership. I had been burdened for sometime to teach the men about leadership, and call them to their responsibilities as men in the assembly. We have had two lessons thus far on the qualifications of leadership. The first lesson was titled, "What is Leadership", and in the second lesson we discussed the subject of "Integrity", using the story of Job as a basis for our discussion time. I am presenting them with a short lesson, followed by discussion questions to stimulate our understanding, and help us grow in our commitment to godly leadership at home, and in the church. The men have been participating with interest, for which I am grateful. I am especially pleased to see several of our younger men in attendance, as I see some of them with great potential for spiritual leadership in the assembly in the years to come.

### **Bright Lights Girls Study:**

While Ashley Steinbron was with us back in March, she began a study program for teen girls called "Bright Lights". We attracted several teen girls to the meetings, and some of them have continued to come along to the Sunday night studies, as well as now coming to other church meetings on Sunday, Wednesday, and Friday. My wife completed the Bright Lights program, and so I stepped in to continue meeting with them, along with teen boys for a teaching time from the bible course, "What the Bible Teaches". We taught them about what it means to be 'born again', and how this new birth should be manifested in our lives by spiritual fruit. We also took time to discuss the subject of trying to fit in with friends and be cool, which is such a strong influence upon this age group. We hope to continue our Sunday night studies with these young people, since they seem keen to come and participate.

### **Radio Program:**

Our weekly broadcast on the radio is currently airing lessons through Mark's gospel. We do receive some feedback from appreciative listeners who have been blessed by this teaching. Though it is difficult to gage the impact of this gospel ministry, we are trusting the Lord to use it for the salvation, and spiritual enrichment of many souls. We appreciate your continued prayers for this outreach to thousands here in Kumasi and the surrounding areas.

### **Personal:**

This month we will be busy with funeral preparations for my wife's father who passed away this past month. My wife is also recovering from a minor surgery she had this past week. We will celebrate our third anniversary in a couple of days. I am most grateful to the Lord for providing me such a great partner in the Lord's work, and a faithful helpmeet. The Lord has abundantly blessed, and supplied us, for which we praise and thank Him.

**In Christ,**

*Daniel & Priscilla Webster*

***"But I have all, and abound: I am full..." Phil 4:18a***

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