Tom & Ruth Denlinger Prayer Requests - March 2019 Serving with www.lightshineministries.org for the past 24 years

Hello Everyone!

As I write this, our first two teams are working in Alaska. This is our first team (below) that will be serving at the **Alaska Dream Center** which is a ministry to people caught up in substance abuse and various addictions. I really encourage you to visit our website and read more!

In February we had our **Team Leader Training Day** and we had 14 people in attendance! LightShine is really growing and lives are being changed.

I am humbled and inspired to see so many people embracing this ministry as their own. I really need your prayer for wisdom and understanding as we grow. As a young man I was always challenged by the story of Solomon when God told him He would give him whatever he wanted as King David's successor. Take time



to read it again for yourself in 2 Chronicles 1:7-12. As a leader, I desire for God to give me the wisdom of Solomon so I can lead with God's revelation and anointing and not my own.

I am working more and more hours for LightShine and God is also giving me more speaking opportunities. On March 24, I will be speaking at **Hope Community Church** in Mount Joy, PA. Hope is one of our supporting churches and I am very excited for that opportunity. I recently spoke at a church in York and the pastor asked me to be the keynote speaker for their men's retreat this fall. I am so thankful for how God is preparing the way for us!

I am personally leading a team on May 13 that will be setting up our LightShine Base Camp with cabins tents and cook house. Most of our teams need a place to stay on their first night in Alaska. So our job will be to set up base camp for our teams that are coming throughout the summer. But **my main job is oversight for all of our leaders, casting vision for the new things God wants to do through us and delegating to those who will make it happen.**

I sent this letter out to those of you who have supported LightShine or my wife, Ruth and I in the past. **Would you please pray for us?** We know the power of **prayer** and see it as a vital part of what we do. As we get older, our senior prayer intercessors are slowly, one by one, going to be with Jesus and we need more intercessors to stand with us as leaders in LightShine. We have been married since 1985 and have been in some kind of ministry since the early 80s. Believe me when



I tell you that the enemy "ramps up" the attack as we push forward into new initiatives. Sometimes you can easily see what the enemy is doing. Other times we silently struggle in our minds and yearn for relief. We cannot emphasize enough the need for brothers and sister to simply **pray** for us. **Pray for God to give us His wisdom, revelation and favor.** Thank you so much!

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