

Tom & Ruth Denlinger Prayer Requests - December 2022

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Merry Christmas Everyone!

This month's newsletter reveals the realities of living in Alaska year-round and the challenges that our LightShine people face there. Please take time to **pray** as you read - **asking the Lord to move powerfully in helping solve these problems and strengthen our people.**

A good friend of ours and long time LightShine worker (since 2001), **Bill Endslow**, moved to Alaska this past summer and is actively working at our base this winter. He doesn't live at the base but has his own little cabin about a mile away. Bill is working on the house at our base and giving me a "play by play" analysis of what its like to live there all winter long. We are thankful that our base is still somewhat close to the conveniences that most everyone has access to. But the weather is still unlike anything people face in the lower 48.

This past week he had to purchase two propane heaters for working at the LightShine base. I was on the phone with him while we compared prices online. He was standing in a Lowes store and we were checking if Home Depot might have a better deal. Kerosene is over \$10 a gallon there so we went with the propane model. Meanwhile, he was telling me that he has to get back before dark because they were forecasting high winds and snow. Before I went to bed, another friend from Palmer reported the power was out with 17 below and over 60 mph hour winds. Please take time to **pray** for God to protect people and move powerfully in them. That is why we do what we do. **He loves them and our loving them is what He has called us to do.** We ask for **prayer** for wisdom and provision as we continue to establish our missions base as a full time ministry.

Meanwhile, we begin planning our next season of building and bringing teams from the lower 48 to serve Bible camps, local churches and other ministries in the coming year. **Please pray for God to raise up more team leaders to take new areas of need in Alaska.**

Thank you for all your encouragement in the past and the continued financial support you send us on a monthly basis. It means so much to us because it affirms our leadership to others. Go to our website and see the work that is happening and click on our personal page to see the responsibilities that I have. Ruth and I appreciate your **prayer** and support. **Thank you so much!**

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