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Dear Friends in Christ,



## Our Christmas Prayer

God grant you peace at Christmas, and fill your heart with cheer.

God grant you health and happiness, throughout the coming year.

God guide you with His wisdom, and keep you in his care.

This is our special wish for you; this is our Christmas prayer.

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## We wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

"Rejoice in the Lord always: and again I say rejoice." (Philippians 4:4) Truly the Christian has much to rejoice about. This year I have had several health issues. Early in the year, I developed Sleep Apnea and have to sleep with a CPAP mask. In April I had a small stroke and had trouble walking for a couple of weeks but in a few weeks I was back to about 80% normal. My walking is still not back to normal but it may just be old age. I also am being treated for an irregular heartbeat. But in spite of problems, uncertainty, or health issues there is so much to rejoice in and to be thankful for.

We hear regularly from the pastors and members of the churches in Brazil and rejoice in hearing that things are going well. We would like to visit them next year but don't know if that will be possible. The works that we are involved in here are going well. I am still preaching in the nursing home and grading lessons for the Rock of Ages Prison Institute. Our class with special needs adults is doing well; two ladies in the class have been saved during the last two months and we have a man that we hope will come next Sunday. Our work with the sick and shut-ins is a blessing to us as we try to be a blessing to them.

We thank you for your prayers and financial support and we pray that the Lord will bless you during this Christmas season and throughout the coming year.

Yours in Christ, Don & Flo McMillan