

Happy New Year to all of you special friends of Touch the World Ministries. It has been truly amazing to see all that God has accomplished through your efforts, contributions, and prayers for the ministry over the past year.

In 1998 when God started Touch the World Ministries, one of my strong convictions was, if God has led me to begin this work, He will supply the resources to do so. I knew of some ministries that would spend 50% of their airtime begging for money; spend 70% of their donations promoting their ministry in order to get more money. Somehow, that always bothered me and turned me off. Consequently, I was determined not to fall into that category. For the most part, over the years, we have seldom ever asked for money. Occasionally, we have made known a specific and /or urgent need and those needs have always been met.

That being said I must share with you a current pressing need for you to pray about and contribute to if God leads you to do so.

Over three years ago we began praying for God to give us the resources to build a Christian School in Nidadavole, India. God gave us the funding for everything needed except the building. We had secured teachers, books, desks, food, etc. We continued praying for the building. The cost of the building is approximately \$165,000. This is such a wonderful opportunity. 2,000 children will be getting an education and learning the ways of Christ. Approximately six months ago God impressed upon my heart that He was going to provide for this building to be built. I began praying a daily prayer of thanksgiving to Him instead of asking for it. Just recently we received a challenge grant from a generous donor that for every dollar raised it would be matched up to \$82,500.00. Praise the Lord! I am now thanking Him for the additional \$82,500.00 because I am trusting our Lord to meet this need through His people. I'm asking you to pray and see if He is leading you to be part of this wonderful project.

Of course, I would be glad to share further details, prints, and other info with you or your group.

God bless you for your faithfulness over the years.

Until He comes or calls me home, Pastor Homer

"Therefore pray the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest." Matthew 9:38