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“Pure and undefiled religion before God and the Father is this: to visit orphans and widows in their trouble, and to keep oneself unspotted from the world.” - James 1:27

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Dear Friends and Family,

I took Joshua out for a hot chocolate at our favorite cafe near the mall. As he finished his drink, I told him that we are going to go on a treasure hunt. We invited the Holy Spirit to highlight someone to us to give an encouraging word. Joshua wasn't too sure about this. He gets a bit a shy talking to new people. After we prayed a short prayer, I asked what is the first color that comes to your mind. He said, "yellow". I asked what is the first kind word that comes to your heart. He said, "awesome". I told him we are looking for someone wearing yellow that Jesus wants to tell them they are awesome. Off we went on our treasure hunt.

It wasn't long before we met Zera a bus driver wearing yellow. I told her that it was her lucky day. My son and I were asking Jesus to highlight someone he wanted to encourage and he highlighted her. She was pretty closed off and skeptical as I spoke. So I asked Joshua to share what Jesus wanted to say to her. He bolstered up his confidence and said, Jesus says you are awesome. All her walls fell down. She was so ministered to by those simple words from an 11 year old. She told Joshua how much he had made her day and I was able to share that Jesus found her so precious that He gave His life for her so that she could have eternal life. We said a short prayer over her as customers came to load on to the bus.

As we walked away, I asked Joshua his thoughts. He said, I didn't know that sharing Jesus' love with a stranger could be so simple. I told him that often we make ministering too complicated, but it as simple as opening your heart to love the person next to you.

Thank you for praying for Hannah while she was away on her mission trip to El Salvador. She had an incredible time. The team evangelized on the streets, ministered in churches and in an orphanage. Hannah was asked to co-lead the trip since she had been to El Salvador last year. Many were saved and healed during their time there. One notable healing was a man that had no muscle in the bottom portion of his leg. He was healed as the muscle grew back in front of them and he was able to walk again.

Hannah's favorite part is always working with the children. She spent most of her time sharing with them and teaching them to prophesy and encourage the church. The adults were touched by the words that the children and youth shared. There was even a 4 year old boy that had been too shy to speak that was able to give a powerful word from the front.

Thank you for your continued prayer and support. God is so good.

In Christ,

Steve & Glenda, Hannah, Jonathan, Zachary and Joshua

