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Grace be unto you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

I trust you had a wonderful Christmas and you are continuing to enjoy the holidays.

Our newly established Faith Based Development Initiative has entered into a more heightened phase of implementation. Through our Foundation, the National USA Foundation, Inc we have entered into our first grant agreement which is a pilot partnership project involving three academic institutions and churches in the great state of Alabama. This initial grant is over \$700,000 and the work has already begun.

During the Mid Winter Board Meeting we will hear information which will benefit our Veterans of the Armed Forces right now. We are discovering that most Veterans we serve do not have the appropriate knowledge nor the correct information therefore we encourage all of you to be present during the Wednesday morning parent body session for the Department of Veterans Affairs presentation. The information promises to be particularly helpful to all concerned about Veterans.

Additionally, we encourage you to register and attend the training session on Wednesday afternoon as we gather in class room **D** on the second floor of the World Center at 1:30 pm. We will discuss in detail the how-to's of our initial grant from concept to implementation.

Kindly register by Monday, January 14, 2013 by calling 202-842-3432 or by replying to this communiqué at jeronn russell@gmail.com.

This session will be aimed at giving all attendees the information you need to get started giving assistance to your State Convention and local churches. As always through our actions we are,

In Solidarity with the Savior

L. B. West

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Chairman, Board of Directors

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