

Dear Friend,

Unlike your usual missionary letter, this letter is coming from a supporter of your missionary. Like you, we at OC's headquarters (U.S. Mobilization Center) are part of your missionary's support team. And like you, we do what we can to keep your missionary effectively serving in the country to which God has called them. Part of that service includes the processing of their monthly letters. Doing this saves our missionaries hours of labor each month, freeing them to carry out effective ministry on the field. In addition, it saves each missionary printing and postage expenses.

Over the past several months we have been transitioning to new database software. This "software storm" has heavily impacted our finance and communications departments. For prayer letters it means ensuring that the 40,000 letters we send out monthly go to the right people with the right addresses. We have tested the system, and this month we are going "live" with a single common letter—this prayer letter. We would request that you continue to pray for your missionary, for their physical and spiritual health, for open doors for the gospel, and for clear direction from the Lord. Please also pray for us at the U.S. Mobilization Center, where we perform supporting tasks like prayer letters, member care, finance, training, recruiting, and much more. Like you, we are the ones behind the scenes, and we are glad to serve the Kingdom work in this way.



*Greg Gripenrog
OC President*

We are also here to serve you. If you have a minute to give us some feedback, we would be very grateful. You may go online to <http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/giveusfeedback> and do a short survey electronically. If you prefer, you can fill out the survey following this letter and return it to us in the prepaid envelope. We want to hear your heart. Thank you for listening to ours.

Yours for the Kingdom,



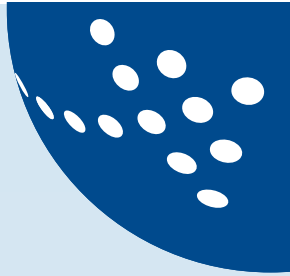
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P.S. If the name at the top of this letter is not your missionary, please indicate that here and return this page to us, or call OC at (719) 592-9292.

Please answer all 12 questions. Thank you.

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1. How did you learn about missions?
 - Through my local church
 - From a family member
 - From a friend
 - Through the Internet/advertisements/publications
 - Missions has been part of my upbringing
 2. The following best describes my relationship to OC (check all that apply):
 - I receive letters and stay informed
 - I pray
 - I give financially
 - I am engaged with OC in other ways

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3. The following best describes my relationship to my OC missionary (check all that apply):
- I am a relative
 - I am a friend
 - I am an acquaintance
 - My church supports this missionary
 - Other: _____
4. I have known this missionary:
- For less than a year
 - 1-3 years
 - 3-5 years
 - Over 5 years
5. I have been receiving prayer letters from an OC missionary for:
- Less than a year
 - 1-3 years
 - 3-5 years
 - 5-10 years
 - Over 10 years
6. I hear from my missionary:
- Monthly
 - Every other month
 - Quarterly (4 times a year)
 - Less than 4 times a year
7. The following best describes my situation. When my missionary prayer letter comes:
- I usually read it
 - I sometimes read it
 - It reminds me of my missionary even if I don't read it
 - Other _____
8. I read the president's letter on the back of my missionary's letter:
- Always
 - When I have time
 - Rarely
 - Never
9. My missionary writes:
- Often enough
 - Not often enough
 - More often than necessary
10. Which of the following electronic media do you use? (check all that apply)
- Email
 - Internet
 - Skype
 - Facebook
 - Twitter
 - Other social network tools
 - I don't communicate via electronic media
11. Please check the appropriate choice. I am:
- Over 65 years old
 - 51-65 years old
 - 35-50 years old
 - 20-34 years old
 - Under 20 years old
12. Check the appropriate choice. I am:
- Female
 - Male
- Thank you for taking the time to share your responses with us. As we learn from this information, we plan to conduct another, more detailed survey. Would you be willing to participate in a future survey?
- Yes, send the future survey to

(E-mail address)
 - or to the following address

(Name)

(Street)

(City/State/Zip)
 - No, thanks.