## MERRY CHRISTMAS of DECEMBER-2018- (Luke 2)

Dearest Ones that mean so very much to us!

"So teach us to number our days, That we may gain a heart of wisdom!" Psalms 90:12 Loving greetings to each of you today! The ending of another year and very soon a new one shall begin! Hard to believe that 2018 is almost just a memory!... Where have the days, weeks and months gone to? I was always told that when time went by quickly, it was a sign of old age but my young children and grandchildren seem to say the same thing:) I pray that things done in Jesus Name will count for Eternity! Many are hearing the Gospel of Good News for the first time across the world today! Our Mission Ethnos 360, tho the name has changed, continues to hold forth the truth of God's Word and Jesus Christ, needing to be preached and taught to every kindred, tribe and nation! Paul and I are so grateful for the job He put us into these past 23 years... that of reaching the lost men that are behind bars, those dressed in orange, having made bad choices in their lives brought them here to the Douglas Prisons where we can share God's Love with them and show them real love as we are amongst them each Sunday! Being older they consider us as not only their spiritual leaders but as Mom and Dad as well. We count it a real privilege to be able to love the unlovely and lead them to Christ! We shall continue on with this ministry until God sees fit to take us out of it and so we ask your prayers for health and strength and

2018 has been another busy year for us as retirees! I guess that's because we don't believe that retirement is scriptural! So that's how it is with us Dye's:) Paul took a trip to Bolivia in January. we visited our Son Luke in WI. in cold April, and in October we visited family in Michigan. We haven't made any hospital visits this year, except to hear that my knee is doing good. Paul decided against shoulder surgery and its a good thing because he and our Son Larry have been busy at work putting on a new roof on our house that was damaged by hail not long ago. They are a good team indeed, Paul and our Son... and the roof shall soon be finished. Paul gives testimony that it never could have been accomplished without Larry! Praise God for kids who continue to bless us! Our other kids have offered, but they don't live next door and this type roof cant have lots working on it so we are just grateful the job is coming to an end! God gave safety and we praise Him for that!

We celebrated birthdays of each member of the family most every month and all of us have grown one year older! Now this month we shall celebrate the birthday of our Lord and Savior! Our Daughter came down from Tucson and helped me and my other daughter Kim decorate our home for Christmas and also for our Ladies Tea. The theme of my table was HAPPY BIRTHDAY JESUS! Jesus Christ, the only Begotten Son of God, Who was born so long ago when Mary gave birth to Him, while living in a stable, because there was no room for them in the local inns. May each of us find room for Him in our lives this busy Season of the Year... Remembering....that Jesus...is indeed the Reason for the Season! Paul & Pat

