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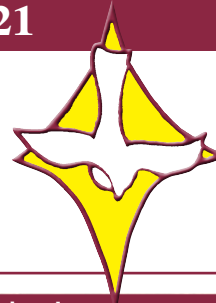
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Greetings to All of our Faithful Followers

This newsletter will no doubt be a little different than any I have written before.

First, I'll start by saying this: I believe God has given all of us gifts and they all are not the same, or life would be so boring.

Sandy, my PO-LISH angel, was given many gifts. She was a writer, which was evident by all the newsletters she wrote every month for many years until she became sick. When she had nothing else to do, she wrote 2 books about our life together and how the Galilean Home started. She was also a gifted speaker. She could speak to a group of 10 or 10,000, it did not matter the size of the group. It was easy for her, God gave her the gift of GAB.

She never met a stranger. When she met you for the first time...you thought she was a friend you knew all your life. She went all over 3rd world countries looking and finding children who needed help either physically or morally. Whatever their need was. She had NO fear

of the personal danger she put herself in. Many, many times in Haiti (9 times), Honduras, Guatemala, Nicaragua, Mexico and other countries. She said if God led her, He would also protect her. He surely did! On one of her many adventures, and that is what they were, she came back from Guatemala and Honduras with 13 children who needed help with physical problems that they could not get within their home country. If I ever tried such an endeavor I would have been arrested at the Miami airport and charged with kidnapping and would still be in prison. But not Mother Sandy. Fear was not in her vocabulary at all, I doubt if she could spell the word "fear". At one time, years ago, at the old Shriners Hospital in Lexington, KY we had every bed taken up with one of our children from Haiti, Central American and even one from Brazil.

When she passed away 14 years ago, on her death-bed she passed the baton to me. OOPS! ME! Her final words to me were "Dad, don't quit. Don't ever give up." I took that as an order and not a request. I did not have one of the qualities that God had placed on her, not one. She was the Galilean Home and I was blessed to be her husband and "Minister of transportation". We traveled for many years in our MCI coach with 40 children or more singing and witnessing in churches from Jacksonville, FL



Sutton Ray

to the Minnesota/Canada border, from Virginia Beach VA to Dallas TX. She was a singer herself and could have 40 children of all ages, male or female, from countries all over our part of the world sounding like a choir of 400! Who else could be having lunch with President and Barbara Bush in the dining hall at the White House and knock over his glass of water onto his plate and have him apologize to her. If it had been me, I would still be looking for a way to get out of prison.

Well, I did not really start off talking about Sandy as I just wanted to make a point of how unqualified I am in comparison to the quiet, meek, PO-LISH woman that God placed in my heart 45 years before she was called home. I forgot one more of her God given talents. During the four years we were in the Mennonite Church, back in the 1980's. The Mennonite Church decided they needed a mid-wife and no one in the church felt qualified or had the time to be the chosen one. The church got together and 100% voted Sandy into the position because she was the only woman who was a high school graduate. She was honored and accepted their nomination. Over a four year period she delivered 300 babies. A neighbor friend was her driver as we were Horse & Buggy Mennonites during that four year period.

I did not really start out with this newsletter to talk about Sandy. I was only going to compare how God had called her out and all she did over those wonderful years with me.

I will be 81 years old on October 2 and I miss her so much. With me, time does not heal or make her homecoming easier on me, in fact it is just the opposite. As I age and have my own physical problems, it only gets harder to be without her. No ONE could take her place as I would start comparing and no one could measure up.

I'll close and get ready to tackle another day without her. What keeps me going? I have a tremendous group of employees, some for over 30 years. A lot of married children and grand children work for the Galilean Home. I have more children and grandkids that live nearby than I can count and 8 great grandchildren. At Thanksgiving and Christmas we literally fill up our huge dining room and chapel with all ages, types, colors than one could imagine. On one of these holidays I will have to have a guest register so I can have a real count.

Please pray for the man who is approaching old age. No, not yet, just getting closer to it. We get a lot of requests lately from churches and groups if we could send someone to them to speak of the Galilean Home. Fredy from Honduras is one of my sons, arranges the speaking engagements. Fredy works in our school. He is married with two children, one is 21 and one is 12. He came to us when he was 12 years old, affected with polio. He is 44 years old now.

Come visit, we are here 24/7 or at least I am. Other than the cabin I built for Sandy and me here on the Galilean Home grounds, I am in my apartment or in my office.

I work the night shift as I am the only man here during the night. We do have two workers who work the midnight shift and they are more comfortable knowing I am awake if any problems should arise. I love being in my office at night, my job is paying all the bills. Been doing it for the past 52 years, since we started.

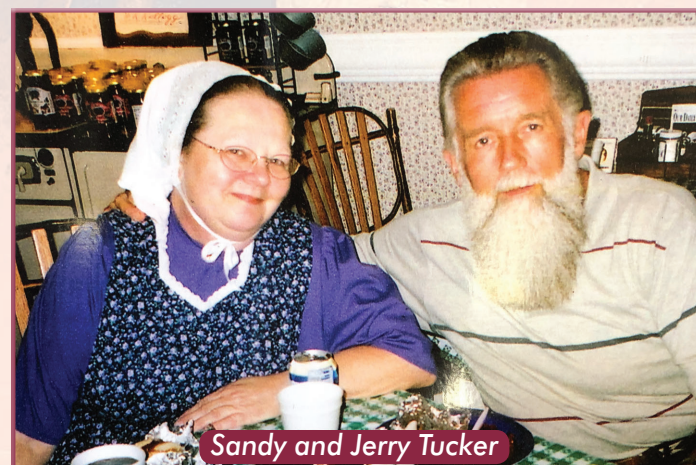
My 8th great granddaughter was born to my granddaughter, Sandi on September 3. Sandi is one of Jeremy's twin daughters. We adopted Jeremy 52 years ago and he claims to be the first and the worst.

Count your many blessing. Name them one by one and it will surprise you what the Lord has done.

Life is so good, God is good!

What else do we need?

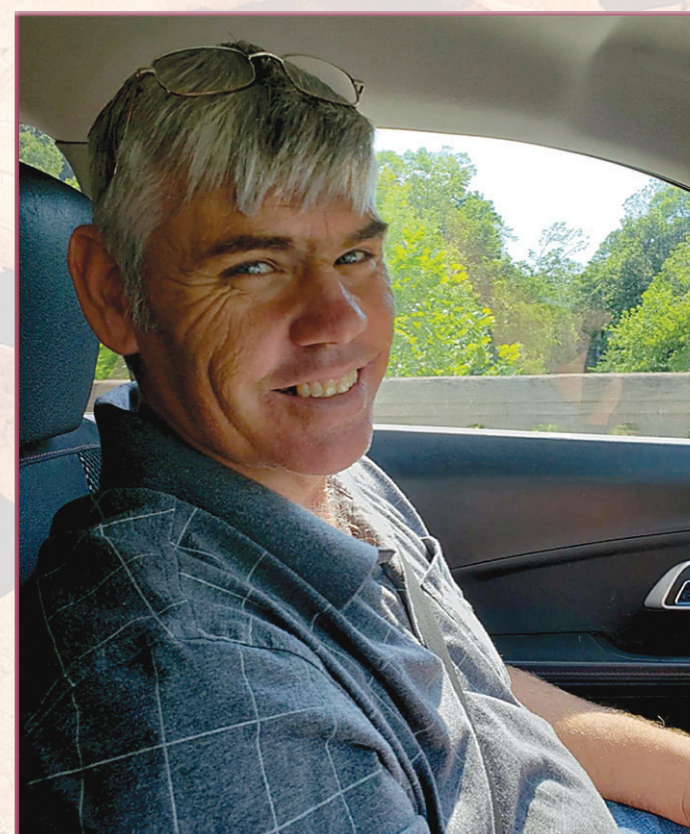
—Papa' Oso (Daddy Bear in Spanish)



Sandy and Jerry Tucker

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Jeremy Tucker

GET INVOLVED

Our volunteer program is a good way to dive in and be the hands and feet of Jesus in our ministry. Ladies 18 & older, if you feel you have the love and patience along with a good amount of flexibility to care for our family, we encourage you to apply. Volunteers are very important part of what we do. You get to care for our severely handicapped residents in the Blessing House, and other members of our family, as well as caring for our babies at the Angel House. We also need teacher's aides for our academy, so there are plenty of areas in which to serve. We provide housing and basic needs, but do require at least a three-month commitment.

Please prayerfully consider this and give our Volunteer Coordinator, **Dawn Shultz**, a call at **606.706.9457** or email her at dshultz@galileanhome.org for more info.



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