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Report

Dear Brethren, I continue to thank God for your prayers and support. Your love for me and for the spread of the gospel are wonderful.

I am just finishing teaching the Sunday morning lessons on the book of John. Attendance has been fairly good, and I have gained very much from the study. I am using the Truth Commentary on John written by Daniel H. King, Sr., and I have found it very helpful. My love for God and for Jesus Christ has been deepened.

I am planning to follow this study with lessons on the book of Acts. This is probably the book I most love to teach. Pray that the study will go well, please.

My preaching is now confined to pinch-hitting when the local preachers are not available. Mzwandile Gazu, Bro. Gumede, and Joel Williams (my grandson) are the regulars. Each Sunday they go to different congregations. If I am needed, I preach in Eshowe. I have done that twice recently.

South Africa continues to be troubled by the virus, and the country's economy has suffered greatly. The official unemployment rate is now 34.9%. You can imagine the social problems that is causing.

There are now some court trials of those who are believed to be instigators of the violence a couple of months ago which took more than 350 lives and did an untold amount of damage to business places—in our province (Durban) and in Johannesburg. The trouble was evidently caused by factionalism in the ruling party. A number have been arrested and are being charged in court.

On Wednesday nights I am enjoying the WebEx lessons of Robert Buchanan of White River (a day's drive from here.) His lessons are now on the book of Revelation, which reveals God's righteous judgment on a world which rejects His love. It is quite a sobering study after the great love of God was portrayed in the book of John. I have been impressed by the picture of the great, unending war between God and Satan. And I don't want to be found on the side of Satan!

My health continues to be pretty good. Joel (my grandson) and Brittany (his lovely wife) are very kind to me, and Zipho (my foster son about the same age as Brittany—33) is always careful to see to my every need. I am greatly blessed.

Thank you again for your financial support, prayers, and letters of encouragement. You all are a great blessing to me and, I think, to the work of the Lord in South Africa.

NOTE: Joel and Brittany have helped me with my financial calculations, and as a result I have asked the Hughes Road church in Madison, Alabama, to reduce my support by \$700 per month. May God's blessing be on you all.

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College Park, Garland, Texas-----	\$ 600.00
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