

# THE BLESSING BULLETIN

April 13, 2023

## ENCOURAGEMENT

I had wonderful visits in Newport News, VA, and Huntington, WV. Thank you so much for your warm welcome! Your love and desire to care well for others encouraged my heart in ways that I can't begin to express in words.

God provided a scholarship for life coaching courses. I know that I will learn some valuable skills to add to my tool box. Praise the Lord with me for this opportunity!!

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## NEW MINISTRY PARTNERS

I would like to welcome those who have just recently joined my team. I have also been blessed to see an increase from some of my "veteran" team members. Thank you so much! Could I have you do me a favor? If you gave a larger gift last month, could you let me know if it was a one-time gift or an increase in your monthly donation? This helps me know exactly how much is pledged of the needed funds. THANKS SO VERY MUCH!!

## DISAPPEARING TEXT MESSAGES

On March 29<sup>th</sup>, I received a few text messages that I was planning on responding to the next day. Unfortunately, when I turned on my phone, most of the text messages were gone. I have replaced my aging phone. However, there were a few messages from someone that I haven't met. If you sent me a message and you didn't receive a response, I apologize. Though my phone is new, my number remains the same. Once again, I am sorry for any inconvenience. I look forward to hearing from you!

## UNEXPECTED NEWS

I contacted a Christian real estate agent in the Fort Walton Beach area. I mentioned that I wasn't sure that I would be able to get a loan due to my lack of credit history in the US. She encouraged me to fill out an application anyway. I was surprised that I was pre-approved for a loan. The amount is not enough for the size of home that I will need for the Blessing. However, this does open the door to the possibility of buying versus renting. There are pros and cons to both. I would appreciate your prayers. I want God's choice not mine for the Blessing.

## OVERLOAD

Do you ever feel overwhelmed by all the information you need to process? I must admit that I have over the past few weeks. There is so much research and paperwork. As someone who prefers people to paper, I am feeling drained. I would appreciate your prayers for balance, good health, and good sleep. Thank you!