

"So, being affectionately desirous of you, we were willing to share with you not only the gospel of God but also our own selves, because you had become very dear to us."

These are the words of the apostle Paul concerning one of the early churches, but they could very well be the words of Jeff and Connie as we consider the people and places God sends us to. This past month has found us in some new places making new friends, but it has also found us in some places that seem to get sweeter and more special each time we come. Not because the places have an effect, but the people have become part of us. To witness growth in certain special seeds is often overwhelming!! I wish we could include every testimony of every blooming seed! We do, however, want to share this one! Christina and her precious family have been a part of us for over four years, and will always be "our joy and crown of rejoicing"! .....

I'll never forget the first time I would meet Ms. Connie. Her words and prayer have stuck with me over the years! I had only been at The Lighthouse a short time the night that she prayed over me and my pregnant belly. Not only did she pray for me, but she also declared that my daughter would never know the life that I was leaving behind. Today her prophesy is still true...my daughter knows my love for the Lord and praises the Lord with her momma at the altar. This weekend while Ms. Connie was here, my daughter, Vivian turned four and just like Ms. Connie said, Vivian doesn't know her momma



any different. And as a God wink, I am blessed every year when they return for a visit to see us. "Momma J", you planted a valuable seed in my heart, and I am forever grateful for your obedience to step off of that platform and come to my chair that night over four years ago. My family loves you guys!

~Christina Voss Payne-Assistant Director of the Lighthouse Recovery Center for Women~



























As we close, this month we want to ask as we always do for you to pray for us as we travel and minister. Pray specifically for protection as we drive many miles, pray for provision as inflation continues to rise just as fast as the need to minister does and most importantly for the anointing of God that is able to destroy every yoke of bondage!! We are grateful for you!!

We remain In His Grip, Jeff & Connie Johnson



## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

June 5, 2022	Fountain of Life Ministries - Conway, SC (AM)
June 5, 2022	Reconciliation Ministry/Columbia Teen Challenge - Columbia, SC (PM)
June 6, 2022	Jacksonville Adult & Teen Challenge – Jacksonville, FL
June 7 & 8, 2022	Orlando Adult & Teen Challenge - Sanford, FL
June 9, 2022	Ryan's Hope - Lakeland, FL
June 10, 2022	Tallahassee Adult & Teen Challenge - Tallahassee, FL
June 11, 2022	Pensacola Adult & Teen Challenge - Pensacola, FL
June 16, 2022	East Texas Men's Adult & Teen Challenge - Deport, TX
June 22-23, 2022	New Mexico Adult & Teen Challenge - Tijeras, NM







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