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# TEAM Finnell Newsletter



*The Spirit of the Lord GOD is upon me, because the LORD has anointed me to bring good news to the poor; he has sent me to bind up the*

*brokenhearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives, and the opening of the prison to those who are bound... Isaiah 61:1*

Dear friends,

Thank you for your generous giving at year-end. We're humbled and grateful to partner with you in ministry. Today, we would ask specifically for you to partner with us in prayer. The past few weeks have been some difficult ones for our former teammates in Madrid. Rose, our dear friend and mentor, passed away yesterday morning after a year-long battle with cancer. She leaves behind her husband, Dave, and her adult children, Josh, Daniel, and Raquel. Please pray for this family as they grieve her loss.

Rose and Dave lived and served in Spain for over 30 years. Many people heard and experienced Christ's love through them. Please join us in prayer for Rose's team as they offer comfort and support to many who knew and loved her. As I think of our dear friend, I'm reminded of the lyrics from the song, "Lord, make us instruments of your peace,"

*Where there is blindness, we will pray for sight  
where there is darkness, we will shine his light  
Where there is sadness, we will bear their grief  
To the millions crying for relief,  
We will be your instruments of peace.*

Pray for us. Through our work, we meet missionaries from all over the world who serve the Lord relentlessly but are weary from their labors. Pray for us to encourage the hearts of the saints. Thank you, dear friends, for your love and support. God bless you.

In Him,  
Bill and Lauren

PS- The picture above is a photo that was very special to Rose in the weeks before she died. Oh how we smile thinking of her now in her Savior's embrace!



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