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Dear Pastor Garrick,

Greetings in the love of our Savior Jesus Christ. It is a lovely crisp morning here in Indiana. I want to drop you a line simply to give you a status report of what is happening in the Refior family.

The business that I spoke of briefly on a prior occasion, Corban, Inc., has been growing at an amazing rate. So much so that it became necessary to move into a larger office area. Because I am one of the two principals in the business as well as its general counsel, it is necessary for me to be located with the business so that I am available to participate in the day-to-day decisions and management of the corporation. Accordingly, my office has moved. My new address is Route 8, Box 481-C, Warsaw, Indiana 46580. Our new home address is 804 Tennis, Winona Lake, Indiana 46590.

We have discovered why Pam was having so much pain. She has pleurisy. The Lord is helping her greatly in that. She does get tired awfully quickly.

We are seeing very wonderful spiritual growth in Nikki and Laura. Warsaw Christian School has been such a tremendous tool used by the Lord to assist Laura in her walk with the Lord. Again, we thank Tabernacle Church, and the specific donor for the gift of this year's tuition for Laura at Warsaw Christian School. I believe that eternal consequences will be the fruit of that investment. Thanks.

We are seeing wonderful developments in the Olympian program which Pam and I head up at Pleasant View Community Church here in Warsaw. Recently we had an evangelistic outreach and two boys, a 5th grader and a 6th grader, indicated a profession of receiving Christ as Savior at the meeting. Furthermore, more than 40 young people indicated that they had prayed to the Lord with a greater and deeper commitment to serve Him and grow in Christ. The one 6th grade boy has already followed with a public

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confession of Christ and I truly believe that he stepped into the kingdom and is on the road of growth in Christ. A number of parents have come to us and reported that their children told them that they prayed to rededicate their lives and that they really wanted to grow in Christ. We are just plain excited about what God is doing with the young people at church.

There are a number of businessmen that the Lord has allowed me to be sharing Christ with. We are seeing the Lord move in wonderful ways in that sector as well.

Lord willing, in a week or ten days, we will be able to move into the house in Winona Lake. We moved out of the rental house on October 15. The Lord provided a furnished trailer for us to rent during this interim. It will be nice, however, to rediscover our furnishing and belongings when all the boxes are unpled and we are able to actually live in the house there in Winona Lake. It will be a very comfortable place, and we thank the Lord for it.

Plans are continuing to progress for the Unlimited Potential, Inc. trip and ministry in Japan next fall. As things become even more concrete, I will pass on that information to you. If you have any suggestions or counsel concerning an outreach of that kind into a foreign country, I would humbly request that you pass that on to us. As a part of the trip, we are planning to stop in a couple of other countries on the way home to lay the groundwork for involvement in other countries as well. We are hoping to work in coordination with the Evangelical Alliance Mission in Japan. I will look forward to hearing back from them.

How are things developing across the Bay? Any further decisions on planting a new church over there? How is your health? And Helena's? Are there any specific items for which we can pray?

When Lyle and Jane Trenchard were here, we told them that we would plan to travel to Virginia to visit the week of June 4, 1983. I hope that you and Helena will be in town at that time and that the Lord allows such a trip.

We are praying for you every day so the more we hear by way of prayer requests the more intelligently we can pray. We love you folks. Thanks for your continued concern.

Sincerely in Christ,



Paul D. Refior

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