

Dear Faithful Intercessors,

September 2007

Thank you so much for praying for us this summer! We had many surprises and unexpected blessings. We covered over **6000 miles**, crisscrossing the Eastern US, including Nashville TN, New Orleans LA, Cleveland OH, Waynesville NC, Ocean City MD, Washington DC and Charlottesville VA. We taught in two Suzuki camps, ministered in three churches and two retirement communities. As a theme, we sensed the Lord releasing a fresh wind of His Spirit as we played/prayed as a family with our instruments.

Boy & Family News: We returned to KC on August 15, with **Joseph** starting kindergarten the next day. He loves his teacher (a spirit-filled lady who loves what she does)! His kindergarten class dismisses at noon. **Samuel, John and Stephen** go to a new home-school Co-op called the Daniel Academy, which is connected to IHOP. They go to school all day Monday, Tues - Thursday mornings, and do their work at home. The purpose of the school is based on Daniel 9:23. **Grandpa and Grandma Brock** are back in the saddle—Grandpa Al (81) was asked to be interim pastor at Starke UMC (FL) for the next 4 months. Like Caleb (in the Bible) they're finding that their best years are still ahead as they take new territory.

Music School: We sense this is a new season for our school (*increase and outreach*). We are adding a new teacher (4 total) and adding 3 new families. He is calling us out of our comfort zone as we are starting to play "out in the streets" Our first outreach was a recent trip to Independence, MO as we teamed up with an IHOP evangelist. We also had a special Labor Day Watch of the Lord, where we felt a fresh flow in musical intercession (by the students) for our Suzuki families and for Iraq and the middle-east. (We're sensing that it's critical to pray for Iraq at this time—to cover our troops, decisions by our President & leaders—and its impact on Israel!)

Praise report:

The Call (Nashville, TN): We felt wave after wave of His Presence flow through Titan Stadium as we entered into repentance, worship, and renewing marriage covenant with the Lord. The prophetic sound of the Lord was released.

Music Camp in New Orleans, LA: It was a smaller camp this year, as people are still recovering from Katrina. Lives were touched both musically and spiritually. Tim and Samuel taught a Harp and Bowl class. Two little girls were birthed in worshipping on their instrument—enthusiastically taking it back to their unbelieving parents & family—using their favorite song, Come By Here, Lord (Kum Ba Ya). Stephen and Joseph were especially touched and grew tremendously on their instrument.

Music Camp in Cleveland, OH: These music camps are weeklong intensives, with 4 -6 classes daily, recitals, concerts and evening activities. Hearts were open and much was deposited. One little girl with learning challenges was able to get a beautiful tone. One mom, who is married to a secular Jewish man, rekindled her desire to walk with the Lord. The Lord was drawing one particular faculty member back to Himself. A special highlight was a boat tour along Lake Erie and the main river of Cleveland. During this time we were able to play instruments—both Suzuki (as a large group) and in the Spirit (Tim & Melody).

Ocean City, MD: We had the chance to minister two times on the boardwalk with the Son Spot Ministries. As we ministered in weakness, the gospel went forward in power! When we played in the Spirit, we sensed angels being released in the area. On Tuesday, Melody was led to anoint a black sister's feet, highlighting the Spirit's desire for the *white women, in humility, to become one with their black sisters*. On Wednesday, we had more prayer cover and the difference was amazing! The people of all ages and nationalities began to join in worship with us. (Behind us were sand-sculptures of Jesus as our backdrop both times.)

Other highlights: We had the privilege of interceding with precious intercessor friend, Sandy (SMMI Ministries) who is now based in **Saudi Arabia**. We were privileged to give concerts at both my parents' and aunt's retirement communities. While playing our instruments in the French Quarter, the New Orleans camp director led a Latino family to Jesus. **In Washington DC**, after sharing a beautiful meal with our friends Tim and Melody Thomas, we joined in family (harp & bowl) prayer for our President, our leaders and for Iraq. A brother in the Lord in Nashville saw [in the Spirit] **the children of our music school** releasing sounds that would carry the very presence of God—not unlike Peter's shadow or the handkerchiefs from the hands of Paul in the book of Acts (see Acts 5:15, 19:12). Near Birmingham AB, we shared in prayer with our close friends, **Bill and Essie Edel**. Bill sensed God's presence. As the boys played over him, Jesus touched his kidneys.

Thank you again for partnering with us in prayer—We love you and bless you,
Tim, Melody, Samuel, John, Stephen & Joseph