

A message from our founders

We trust this letter finds you well and experiencing God's presence in both a powerful and personal way. This is our "Winter 2010 Newsletter" and you are receiving it because we want you to continue to be a part of what our Lord is doing here at Hope of Glory Ministries. We are a community outreach ministry devoted to sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ!



Clark & Lisa Stallings
Founders, Hope of Glory

What an amazing year of opportunity we had in 2009! Due to the economic struggles felt by so many families, we were blessed to serve more people in need during the year than ever before. In our Resource Center alone we served 3,230 families which represents 10,557 people. This is a 170% increase compared to 2008. Our Lord gave us the privilege of praying with so many people and ministering to their physical, emotional, and spiritual needs. We call this ministering to the whole person, which includes the body, soul, and spirit. This is the heartbeat of our mission! Through our Matthew 25 project, we distributed over 288,000 pounds of food, drinks, hygiene items, etc. to more than 45 partnering help agencies, at no cost to them. This helps them in their food pantries and outreaches as they assist people with life's basic necessities. It is conservatively estimated that these products served over 19,000 families in our area. Our Hispanic/Latino outreach reached new heights this year as we served over 1,600 families representing more than 5,000 people in 2009 compared to 189 families and over 600 people in 2008. There continues to be a huge need for basic services among our Hispanic/Latino neighbors. Our Lord's leading us into this new outreach has been confirmed time and time again. In 2009, we also added Hopkins Park to our Community Transformation outreach. We continue to serve the Moyewood and Kearney Park communities as well. We praise God for His enabling power and provision as we reach out to our community with the life changing message of Jesus Christ!

You have probably heard by now that our ministry is selling The Rock's inventory and assets to The Light Christian Bookstore effective 2/1/10. This brings this season to a close after more than 8 years of serving our community by sharing the gospel through Christian resources. We strongly felt the leading of the Lord in this as we have sought Him for His plan. We have learned so much from this journey and felt it was our time to pass the torch to The Light as they combine our two stores into one. We want to thank all of our loyal customers, and our past and current employees for their hard work and dedication. Please pray for all involved during this time of transition.

We can not thank you enough for your partnership! You are helping us to feed the hungry, clothe the needy, and share the Good News of Jesus Christ! You donate clothes, food, household items, and finances; as well as pray for us and give of your time through volunteering. You enable us to fulfill our mission of giving away the living hope that we have in a Risen Christ and the tangible help of distributing life's basic necessities to those in need. Would you prayerfully consider how you could help us today? No gift is too small.

Love in Christ,
Clark & Lisa Stallings

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 Yes! I want to financially support Hope of Glory Ministries!
Mail to P.O. Box 2038, Greenville, NC 27836-0038
Donations can also be made online at <http://www.hope-of-glory.org>.

- I would like to make a one-time donation of \$ _____
 - I would like to sponsor a family this month (\$30/family)
 - I would like to donate toward Habitat for Humanity project \$ _____
 - I would like to make a monthly/quarterly* (circle one) donation of \$ _____
- *If you would like to be set up on automatic bank draft, contact Kelly at 252-321-6857. Monthly donations will be deducted on the 1st day of each month. Quarterly donations will be deducted on Jan. 1, April 1, July 1, and Oct. 1.

Check attached (make payable to Hope of Glory)

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To find out how you and/or your church can get involved, contact us at 252.321.6857 or email us at prayer@hope-of-glory.org.

Hope of Glory Ministries

2009 Ministry Celebrations

Resource Center served 3,230 families representing 10,557 people. 34 new believers & 52 lives rededicated! PTL!

Matthew 25 Project served an estimated 19,752 families representing over 59,000 people and distributed over 288,000 lbs. of food, drinks, and hygiene products at no charge to 45+ area help agencies! PTL!

Community Transformation held 6 outreach events last year in Moyewood, Kearney Park and Hopkins Park representing an estimated 499 families & 1,500 people. 42 responses to Salvation/Rededication message! PTL!

Women's Community Bible Study meets every Wed. from 12-1 pm @ Southern Bank (Charles Blvd) to study God's Word, as well as an evening Bible study on Wed. evenings at Hope of Glory, 7-8:30pm. Great reports of women hungering for more of Jesus. PTL!
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Our Mission

We are a Christ-centered community outreach ministry committed to sharing the gospel of Jesus Christ through evangelism, discipleship and the distribution of food, clothes, hygiene products and household items to those in need throughout Pitt County.

Hello Friends,

We trust this note finds you well and experiencing God's great love for you. We are writing to you with a special announcement that The Rock Christian Bookstore will be purchased by The Light Christian Bookstore in Greenville effective February 1, 2010. The new combination of our two stores will be at their location of 2803-E South Evans Street. We have been in discussions with them since January of 2009 and prayerfully sought the Lord for His direction and wisdom. We have a real witness that the "two stores are to become one." We believe that there is the potential for the combination of the two stores to thrive, where independent of each other we have been surviving. Ultimately, our desire is to better serve the Body of Christ in our community with the best in Christian resources and gifts.

We are excited for the owners of The Light, John Stuckey and Kim Reynolds, who will be leading the store into this new season. We believe our combined customers will be receiving the best of both worlds under one roof of 6,000 square feet of retail space. You will benefit from a larger selection of inventory of Bibles, books, music, gifts, home school curriculum, and much more at The Light Christian Bookstore. We greatly appreciate your loyal support over the last eight years and would encourage your patronage of The Light. John and Kim are committed to helping Hope of Glory Ministries and our local outreaches by hosting food and coat drives as well as helping with other needs as they may arise. Thank you again and we look forward to seeing you at The Light!

Love in Christ,

Clark & Lisa Stallings
Ephesians 2:10

Habitat for Humanity

The Clark's new home in Winterville was dedicated on December 19th, 2009. This was a two year journey for the Clark family from the time of the application to them actually moving in. We were blessed to be in this partnership between Select Bank & Trust,

Grace Church, and The Habitat Resale Store. We want to thank everyone involved that helped make the Clark's dream of home ownership a reality! All things are possible with God! Amen!



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"So let each one give as he purposes in his heart, not grudgingly or of necessity; for God loves a cheerful giver." II Cor. 9:7 (NKJV)