

# The Siekberts-Reaching the Unreached, Touching the Untouched

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**I Thessalonians 5:18** “In everything give thanks: for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus concerning you.”

Dear praying pastors and friends,

The **trip to Armenia** was a successful trip! Even though Tammy and I were unable to go, we thank the Lord for all that was accomplished. We will be headed to Armenia to continue in March of next year and are excited about the doors that the Lord has opened! Please pray with us about this trip, that the Lord will continue to bless and open doors in the direction that He would have us to go. We would love for you to know more about the trip. Bro. Gene Sharp of Independent Baptist Media has been working on some videos that you can go to on Vimeo. Please take a few moments to check these out. I will send more links in our next letter. <https://vimeo.com/134537843> ; <https://vimeo.com/134523952> ; a “bird’s eye view” of Armenia <https://vimeo.com/132176274>

In our last letter I mentioned **the accident** that totaled our truck and left me broken up. I wanted to give you an update on the accident and ask that you pray for me during my upcoming **surgery and recovery**. On **August 5th** I will have surgery on my neck to replace two discs that are causing severe problems with my arms. The pain has been great and I have not had use of my right arm since the accident. The doctor says that my shoulder is finally healing, but because of the neck problems I still have no use of my arm. Please pray with me for God to have His way with all of this. I would really like to be back to normal.

**Upcoming trips:** We will be going to India in November to continue National training. Please be in prayer for the pastors and students that we will be with, that the Lord will prepare all of our hearts for our time together. We will be going to Armenia in March to follow up on contacts that were made last month. We are excited about both trips!! We know that God has great plans and we are excited to have a part!! We have other places that we are working on and are looking forward to the new possibilities. As I mentioned above, we will go to Armenia in March.

**Another prayer request:** We are trying to sell our 5th Wheel camper. Because of health issues, it is too much for us to travel with. If you know of anyone looking, it is 4 season, 40’ and is in excellent condition, priced to sell. I don’t want to advertise, necessarily, but thought that it would be good to mention.

**Please be in prayer for our financial situation.** We are completely off of the road right now, no traveling in the US or abroad at this time, which puts a strain on our finances. The man that hit me had very minimal insurance, so we are fighting what seems to be a losing battle with our finances. Please be in prayer that our insurance will help cover the medical expenses. We know that the Lord can take care of these things, but it is difficult when we can’t see the light at the end of the tunnel. I have adopted “My Lord knows the way through the wilderness” as my theme song. My theme verse through this trial is I Thessalonians 5:18. My goal is to see God glorified through every aspect of this journey.

Thank you for your faithfulness,

Mark and Tammy Siekbert