



The Dawson Family

Church-planting missionaries to Brisbane, Australia

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Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest. Jn 4:35

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Ministry needs:

We are in need of Adobe Premier video editing software. The cost is around \$100. It is a software download from Adobe's website.

Prayer needs:

Please pray for two youth by name: Elroy and Tyrease.

Please pray for God's direction on whether to assume the work at Victory Baptist Church or to move on elsewhere.

The Christmas season here in Australia was somewhat strange to us. In the heat of summer, most people wear warm weather clothing whilst Christmas shopping in air-conditioned malls that play songs such as "Let It Snow" over the speakers. Most commercial advertisements display "Xmas" rather than "Christmas" and to most people the holiday is nothing more than a festive season.

Pastor Bramblet and Robert continue to knock on doors every week. We have seen nominal results over the last two months. However, there have been visitors on a regular basis. Some of those visitors may be the result of door-knocking. Others have been coming on word-of-mouth and simply by seeing the church as they drive by.

We took a break from the twice-a-month youth meetings for the holidays, but have just begun to start again with the first meeting being on Friday February 6th. The emphasis this year will be on spiritual growth. Last year we saw several youth come to the Lord and we pray they will begin to mature spiritually this year.

In spite of many of the spiritual successes, we have observed several of the youth who are native aboriginal Australians, wandering the streets during school time. This seems to be a problem with that culture. Our hearts break for them because we know there

is so much potential for them to be a catalyst of change for their culture, yet they are most certain to perpetuate a lifestyle of dependency and hopelessness.

The African couple that we mentioned several months ago who came to the Lord are really growing spiritually. They have just had another baby and that has given the church an opportunity to build into their lives.



Robert preaching during Wednesday night meetings

Robert has just finished a Wednesday night series preaching through the book of John. He will now begin a Sunday night series on spiritual growth. God has blessed Fellowship Baptist Church with a core group of members who are growing daily in the grace and knowledge of Christ.

Finally, we have met with the families of Victory Baptist Church in Burpengary. We are waiting on the Lord for His direction in this matter.

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