

Dear Rope Holders!

Seasons Greetings from Guangzhou, China! JESUS IS THE REASON FOR THE SEASON!

I'm still alone with my 4 children, waiting for the arrival of Zumrad and Grace on January 8'th. It is getting really hard to wait! Especially because of Christmas.



Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of lights with whom there is no variation or shadow due to change. James 1:17 Remember to share the wonderful gift of JESUS this Christmas!

Last Sunday we held water baptism again. 114 people were baptized, 9 of them were from our Grace Fellowship. Many others stepped forward wanting to be baptized at the next opportunity. There were also two special people secretly baptized, they are communist party members, and for them this step could cost their jobs. They did it, low profile, but they were obedient to do it. Please, pray for these new believers.

THERE IS MUCH TO WRITE, BUT I KNOW HOW BUSY EVERYONE IS NOW, THEREFORE HERE IS AN URGENT REQUEST and no more detail for now.

Please, pray for my wife Zumrad, as she goes to Court in Boston tomorrow morning 8A.M. She needs to get in to see the Judge, because we need a change made the Birth Certificate of Grace, our newest baby. This is becoming an emergency, because Zumrad has a ticket back to China on January 7th, and we need a corrected Birth Certificate to apply for passport for Grace, and also after getting the passport, applying for a Chinese visa. In short, PRAY that the Judge and clerks see the emergency, and the shortness of time, Zumrad gets in to see the Judge and the changes are made. PRAY that we can get the new passport fast, and also pray for a 1 year Chinese visa for Grace. I'm eagerly waiting with my 4 children here in China for Zumrad and Grace to be in our arms! THANKS! Wish all of you prayer partners a blessed Christmas week!

We love you and wish you a blessed Christmas time. God with us!

Matthew 1:23 "Behold, a virgin shall be with child and shall bring forth a Son, and they shall call His name Emmanuel" (which being interpreted is, "God with us").

The Marian Family