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2011 **"OLD PATHS"** Baptist Ministry's 1st Quarter Update

During this past quarter, we have traveled over 4700 miles for OPBM, ministered in 6 different churches while Bob preached 20 different messages. During our travels we were able to give out many tracts, brochures and flyers. We were able to talk to several people personally about the Lord for which we pray that God will give the increase. God has given me many new messages over these past months which many folks have stated were a blessing to them. The marriage/family conference in Colby, Kansas was well received. The church folks, Pastor Heinz and Marlene, his wife, were so kind to us. We are helping Landmark Baptist Church in Walsenburg, CO while they are searching for a pastor. They will be candidating Brother Richard Scott the last 3 Sundays in May. Please pray for both the church and the Scott family to have much wisdom about God's will in this matter.

We will be traveling from our home here in Colorado to California in May, to Utah in July, and to Kansas and Illinois in August. If you would like for us to stop in and see you during our travels, please contact us. We have open dates and would be happy to help you and your people in any way that we are able.

We are endeavoring diligently to exalt the **King James Version** of the Bible especially this year which is the 400th birthday of our beloved "*Old Black Book*." We have materials, Bibles, books, CDs, and messages that we will be using to encourage pastors and people to stay true to this "**Monarch of Books**." Check out our website for more info: www.opbm.org

Our health has been relatively good even though I had a 10 day bout with what our Doctor called, "acute" asthmatic bronchitis. I didn't think it was very "cute." (Ha) Later this year I will have to have my ICD replaced as the battery on the current one is reaching its limit. It should be a relatively, easy out patient procedure, but we do need prayers about the need.

We are thankful that the Lord has seen fit to use us in "*our retirement years*" as one person put it some time ago. We believe that He is going to return soon, and we wish to keep busy glorifying Him as long as we are able.

On a personal note, we have been blessed with our second great-grandchild. Stephen Dale Zylstra was born about 12:30 pm on March 24th. He is the cutest great-grandson in all the world. Sorry, no arguments allowed. (Ha) We are really enjoying our family here in Colorado. On another personal note, our Air Force family, Mike, our son, and his family, will be transferred from Osan, Korea, to Hill AFB in Utah this summer for a tour of duty. Mike will be the commander of an Air Force squadron. They will only be about 8-10 hours from us so we will get to see them once in while now. We are looking forward to seeing Mike, Dawn and the girls more once they are in Utah.

Thank you again for your prayers,

Bob and Sharon Bliss
Jeremiah 6:16

