

Round Up Ministries

2025 End of the Year Report

As I have been aging in this ministry, I have been reminded that I am blessed to have so many people that have watched me serve these 36 years and see that I have a sincere burden to see souls saved and make a difference for the cause of Christ. Churches as well as individuals have been supporting us for years. In recent years we have noticed folks being so faithful because I believe they know our drive, energy and dedication to the work God has called us to do. I was reminded of I Sam 30:24 *“For who will hearken unto you in this matter? but as his part is that goeth down to the battle, so shall his part be that tarrieth by the stuff: they shall part alike.”* The reason why I liked referring to this verse is to remind you that we are out there doing the work but as David shared with those who stayed home during the battle, the Lord is putting into account the fact that you are making it possible for us to go with your financial and prayer support. We are eternally grateful. As we continue on, we covet your prayers for our health, safety and energy.

2025 marked the 50th anniversary for Christian Womanhood. As most of you know, in 2013 when CW was going to close down, Loretta was called to ask if she would prevent it. She had just finished homeschooling our youngest so we thought we could take it over. This is not a money maker but rather a ministry. She enjoyed putting together the magazines. She has developed many people that support it by ordering it. What's new is she is trying to figure out how to make it an audio magazine. Please pray with her about this.

Last year our largest meeting was VBS in Asheboro, NC. The biggest night we had 677 in attendance, and the meeting had 158 saved. Praise the Lord. My favorite story from last year was while we were in Waterford, MI. A bus captain let us know after the meeting that some of her bus kids were involved in a horrible car crash. The six-year-old, a four-year-old and a parent died in the accident. Sad news but reasons to rejoice that the six-year-old was actually able to hear the gospel and got saved just weeks before at the church VBS. The four-year-old also attended church. The nine-year-old who survived was there and got assurance of salvation. I never get tired of hearing that children are receiving Christ. You are making this possible for us.

Praise the Lord that God brought Andy Chafa and his ministry, Tech2Proclaim ministries in my life. He has painstakingly made a video using Champ, the smiling trick horse to give the gospel. It will be available on our website, and I will soon have cards with a QR code so I can challenge folks to watch it. I know how curious people are to see Champ do his tricks. Hopefully it will be another avenue to get the gospel out. If you need help with a church video or something in social media to promote your church, I highly recommend these team who do fantastic work.



35 years and still going because of you!

NEW LOOK FOR OUR STAGE TRAILER

We have been in prayer for two years about the looks of our stage and carnival trailer. We got it used after selling two of our trailers. The price was very inexpensive because of the ugliness of the outside of it. There was a wrap on it which had severely degraded. We finally were able in December to find a company in Springfield that used a chemical to take off the wrap. The cost was very reasonable. Then we found someone to paint it and put our logo on it. I always want our vehicles to have some source of the gospel on it. I love the idea that people will see the hope is in Acts 16:31.

Twice in the last few months Loretta was able to lead a lady to the Lord. One raised her hand when she was speaking at a meeting. Loretta went up to her afterward and she gladly received Christ as her Saviour. The second was a lady who was at a ladies meeting. Loretta gave the invitation. The young woman did not come forward so she went to talk to her afterward. She was a lady who was in despair from a hard life. She didn't think she deserved Heaven. Isn't it wonderful that the gospel is for those who don't have to earn it? After a little while, she was sweetly saved. When Loretta got home the church let her know that the lady came forward in the services to make public her profession. She has been attending faithfully.



Lastly, we are happy to announce that we have made a new CD. It is the voices of Loretta, Jeannie and I. It's called, "Keep on the Sunnyside". We will be mailing our supporters a copy when we get them. If you would rather have a USB rather than a CD please text Loretta at 219-629-1545. We will send them out in March.



2025 SOUL WINNING REPORT

In 2025, we conducted 50 meetings (Big Days, VBS, and Revivals), Loretta took part in 12 Ladies' Meetings also. Total salvations for the year was 1,425! Thank you for helping me go with the gospel.