WELCOME TO THE MANAGER'S DESK, I'M MIKE CORNELL.

IT WAS SO GOOD TO GET BACK INTO THE OFFICE THIS PAST THURSDAY. MY THANKS FOR YOUR PRAYERS ON THE BEHALF OF MY WIFE, NANCY, AND I AS WE BATTLED COVID.

A VERY COMMON QUESTION I AM ASKED IS, "DID YOU LOSE YOUR SENSE OF SMELL AND TASTE". I DID NOT BUT, MY TASTE WAS DEFINITELY AFFECTED. NOTHING TASTED GOOD. AND CONSEQUENTLY I DID VERY LITTLE EATING FOR THE FIRST TWO WEEKS. DURING THAT TIME, I LOST A LITTLE WEIGHT. 27 POUNDS TO BE EXACT. SO, IF THERE WAS A 'SIDE BENEFIT' TO HAVING COVID IT'S THAT I LOST SOME WEIGHT. I NEEDED TO LOSE SOME WEIGHT BUT THAT WAS NOT A FUN WAY TO DO IT. I DEFINITELY DO NOT RECOMMEND THE 'COVID DIET'.

PRAISE THE LORD, TODAY BOTH NANCY AND I ARE DOING MUCH BETTER. ALTHOUGH IT IS GOING TO TAKE SOME TIME TO REGAIN OUR STRENGTH AND STAMINA. WE'RE JUST TAKING IT ONE DAY AT A TIME.

WE DO ANTICIPATE BEING ABLE TO HOST NEXT MONTH'S BUS TRIP TO BRANSON, OCTOBER 23 – 29, FOR THE FALL PRAISEFEST. IT'S A TRIP THAT FILLED UP COMPLETELY VERY QUICKLY. HOWEVER, WITH THE RESURGENCE OF COVID, WE HAVE HAD SOME CANCEL THEIR REGISTRATIONS. AND I TOTALLY UNDERSTAND THE HESITANCY. AT THIS POINT WE ARE STILL PLANNING TO GO. AND IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN TRAVELING WITH US WE NOW HAVE 6 OPENINGS. DETAILS ABOUT THE TRIP CAN BE FOUND ON OUR WEBSITE UNDER THE LINK LABELED, 'BUS TOURS'.

AT THIS TIME WE KNOW OF NO RESTRICTIONS THAT WOULD AFFECT OUR TRAVEL PLANS. BETWEEN MYSELF AND THE BUS COMPANY, WE ARE KEEPING A CLOSE EYE ON CHANGING CONDITIONS.

THIS MONTH IS OUR BIRTHDAY LETTER MONTH. THIS FRIDAY WRVM WILL CELEBRATE 54 YEARS OF BROADCASTING THE GOSPEL MESSAGE. WE WOULD LOVE TO HEAR FROM YOU HOW WRVM HAS PLAYED A PART IN YOUR WALK WITH CHRIST. AND AS A LISTENER SUPPORTED MINISTRY, IF YOU HAVE BEEN BLESSED BY LISTENING, PERHAPS THIS MONTH WOULD BE A GOOD TIME FOR YOU TO PRAYERFULLY CONSIDER SUPPORTING WRVM ON A REGULAR BASIS. THANK YOU FOR YOUR PRAYERS AND SUPPORT.

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THANK YOU FOR JOINING ME FOR THE MANAGER'S DESK, I'M MIKE CORNELL.