



Word of Life

On the journey with the Phillips

"I just got to lead Vicki to the Lord. It was so exciting, the more we talked the more she opened up to me and the more she opened up to me the better I was able to lead her to thinking about her relationship with Christ. She finally admitted that that relationship was non-existent. It was then that she bowed her head and asked Jesus to save her. The next day, her best friend admitted the same thing and asked Jesus into her heart." This all happened at Cortland Christian school. We were there for a 5 day Spiritual Emphasis week. We've had several of these meetings this year and in our assemblies each day we do 20 minutes of worship and testimonies, 20 minutes of Bible preaching and 20 minutes of small group application where our team meets with smaller groups and apply the message and give an invitation. At Cortland, over 60% of the students made some kind of decision for Christ.

Our ministry with the Redemption Team this year has been incredible. We've ministered in over 100 different times to over 17,000 people and we've seen dozens of them put their faith in Christ. In the next few weeks, the team will be in Alabama, Georgia, South Florida, and then we will leave on our missions trip to Grand Cayman.

We have also seen God work in incredible ways on Word of Life Island and in Word of Life Snowcamp. This weekend we will move into weekend #3 at Word of Life Snowcamp. In just three weekends so far, we have seen over 100 kids saved and almost 900 of them make a decision to dedicate their lives to Christ.

Fay and I are honestly having way too much fun for a couple our age. God continues to grow our marriage and expand our family. We have 10 grandchildren now and that in itself is almost a full time job; keeping up with the grandkids. Please pray that our health will continue to allow us to stay active for God. We both got a great report at our annual check-ups this year. Also pray for Fay's Dad, Ira who moved in with us after his wife died and his son died in Arkansas. He needs daily attention and Fay's life is a little complicated from it.

At the beginning of April we will take our Redemption Musicians to Grand Cayman for a week of ministry in Christian Schools, churches, youth rallies and street rallies. Fay and I have to raise about \$2,000 personally to pay for our part of the mission trip. Would you consider sending a tax deductible gift to help us with that need? Remember, we leave on April 3.

Thanks so much for your prayers and support.

Yours for youth,

Tom Phillips

Tom and Fay Phillips