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Dear Pastor & Church,

Psalm 145:17 ---"The Lord is righteous in all his ways, and holy in all his works."

Greetings from the Colville Indian Reservation. Last year we reported how important the elders are held in high esteem: The Colville people are still tribal in their ways. Many of the younger generation wait for approval from their elders.

One of the elders is Christine Clark. She is Catholic, while in the hospital we went to visit with her and had prayer. A couple of weeks later she came to our church, along with her daughter, Wendy, who is not a church goer, but both are Catholic. Many of the young people may not want to go to church, but will because of their elders; also they may want to come, but because of their elder will not come or don't want them to come, they will not. The culture is very strong among the tribal elders and such a strong influence.

Pray for Christine and her daughter, Wendy, they heard the gospel of Christ's salvation the Sunday they came to church. We are praying for this family and other families of children that come to church faithfully.

Pray for this reservation, we plan to canvas the town of Nespelem with tracts, given an opportunity to witness, also to pass out Bibles and invitations to come to church. The housing changes month to month. They do not stay in one area very long. We find they have moved out of town or out of state when we go back.

A young tribal member, Daniel made a profession of faith in the Correctional Center and has been coming to church since his release. He has been coming with his mother, Carla. Pray for Daniel's baptism.

A faithful man, Walter had 3 deaths in his family in January. Pray for him. His family of 4 have been coming to church for 4 yrs. Now.

We finished the year 2011 with a good attendance at church in Nespelem. The church was filled on Christmas morning to praise the coming of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.

The church in Omak is named Native American Baptist Church. The growth is slow, but we are faithful that the Gospel is being preached. We do have prospects. Joan and her family, Wesley, Henry, Valerie and her family, Roy, Jasmine and their kids. Pray that these folks would see the need of Christ in their life.

We apologize for this late letter. We thank you for your faithful prayers and support. We do need your prayers. Pray for Way Of The Cross Indian Baptist Church and Pray for Native American Baptist Church.

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In His Will,
Bob & Charlene Phillips

