

EASTER GREETINGS 2011 FROM THE HANEYS

He has risen!

With these words, first spoken by an angel of God to the women at the Empty Tomb two thousand years ago¹, the whole of human history changed.

God demonstrated His power to raise and resurrect the dead.

With the crucified Christ being raised from the dead, the world has proof-positive that God is able to raise and trustworthy to save all those who put their faith in Christ.

In God's Son, the Lord Jesus, the way of salvation and the glory of the Resurrection have been made known and is a great cause for Easter celebration!²

Soí what better time of year to reach out to friends and family than at Easter, more accurately Resurrection Sunday.

And the Lord is at work in our family and to His glory!

In the past year, we finished-up twenty-five years of life and ministry in California. The Lord moved through our desire to win & train disciples for Christ and specifically through our love and respect for the military by leading us to full-time ministry in Mayport, Florida with MISSIONS TO MILITARY.³

Speaking of FAMILY!

Allison graduated last December with a BS in nursing from San Diego State, was commissioned as a Navy ensign, and is working at Balboa Naval Medical. Colton got married this past February, continues to serve as a Marine Scout-Sniper and Recon operator and will be redeploying later this year to Afghanistan (pray for his dear wife, Katie). Aaron just this month shipped out to Fort Benning, GA, where he will begin his service and pursuit of becoming an Airborne Ranger.⁴ That leaves Ben and Dillon who are finishing up their junior year of high school and journeying with mom & dad to Florida.

We thank so many who have prayed for us and encouraged us. Just knowing that our card is on so many refrigerators around the country is a source of strength. Along with, of course, the *prayers* that this visible reminder generates).

We are also thankful for those who have recognized our faithfulness and are beginning to make the commitment to support our work *financially*. There are tens of thousands of sailors at Mayport and Jacksonville who do not yet know Christ; our hearts are burdened for them. We also have many plans for evangelism, discipleship and development at our Military Christian Center that will require resources.

So with great joy in anticipation of what God will do, we prepare to arrive in Florida this Summer. Even now we have abundant ministry to servicemen locally and from nearby Camp Pendleton.

Happy Easter!

Bill, Anne, Justin, Allison, Colton, Katie, Aaron, Benjamin & Dillon.

Good soldiers of Jesus Christ (2 Timothy 2:3).

¹ Matthew 28:6-7; Mark 16:6; Luke 24:6.

² John 6:40; Acts 2:42, 10:40, 13:30, 34, Romans 4:24, 6:4, 8:11; Colossians, 2:12; 1 Peter 1:12.

³ For details, check us out at www.missionstomilitary.org.

⁴ And his eventual goal, Army Special Forces.