



# Report from the Lander Family

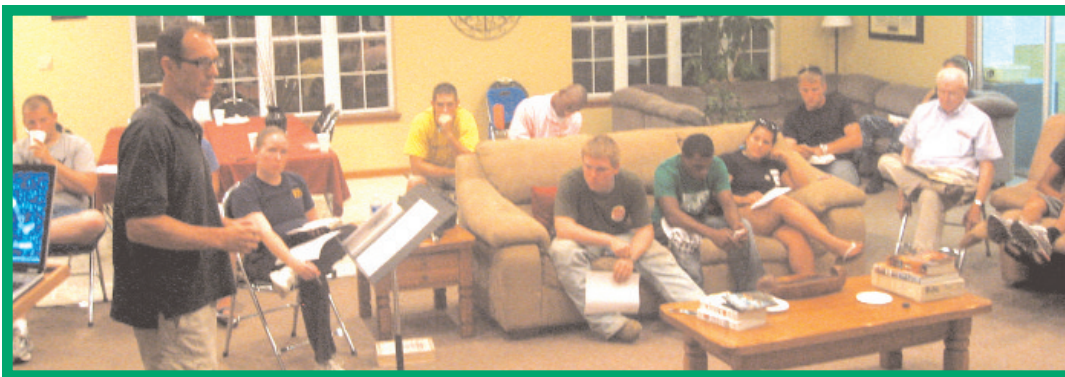


*Amy and Michael  
Luke and Andrew*

**September 2010**

Dear Friend of our Military,

**THANK YOU** for praying for us, and for our military here, following the receipt of our last prayer letter to you in July. Please continue to pray. Simply showing up and doing the work of this ministry really is for nothing, unless the Lord and all of His forces are behind it. *Eph. 6:12*



**Friday Night Bible Study in the Center**

We are pleased to report that our Bible studies have been growing in number.

I am continuing to meet new people at the Coffeehouse at Little Creek Amphibious Base, with opportunities to evangelize and build Gospel relationships

there. Apart from our official teaching time in the Word, many servicemen have been seeking us for counsel and prayer for the many life issues they're dealing with. We've had to confront some people over sin issues, too. They know we are involved in their lives, that we deeply care for them, and that we pray for them. They know that we love them enough to feed them with truth, and not just tell them what they want to hear.

Pray for *Adam and Jacob*, two sailors with whom I've been dealing. They both grew up in Christian homes, but do not have assurance of salvation. Both seem to have an intellectual understanding of the Gospel, but not experientially. Also, pray for servicemen in the area of emotionalism that is so prevalent in Christianity today. The challenge is to teach them how the Word of God is the touchstone of ultimate reality and not just feelings and personal experience.

Amy and I thank God for four families from our church who have been a backbone of support to our ministry - the *Helm family*, the *Webber family*, the *Mackivitch family*, and the *Barrows family*. They help Amy with meals; they build relationships with servicemen; they help wash dishes; and they help keep things clean. I can't imagine how Amy and I could do all this alone.

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**“The effective, fervent prayer of a  
righteous man availeth much”  
James 5:16b**

**PRAY FOR:**

- Servicemen who need salvation . . .  
    . . . *George, Eric, Patrick, Devin, and Moses*
- Servicemen who have made a profession of faith, but lack assurance and fruit . . .  
    . . . *Adam, Jacob, Louis, James, Jeremy, Frank, Rianna, and Chris*
- Servicemen who are growing in discipleship . . .  
    . . . *Anthony, Adrian, Ashley, Erin, Dakota, Joar, Reed, Ivory, Tim, Bill, Aniekan,  
    Ken, Lisy, Miller, and Steven*
- Our Evangelism Training on Tuesday evenings
- A Maintenance Helper (that would free up some of my time)

I've noticed that our discipleship relationships flourish when I am able to make extra time for a serviceman, to take him out to Starbucks, go do something fun, or just spend quality time getting to know him. But until I can get my full support, I cannot do a lot of those activities with them, for much of my time during the week goes to outside contracting jobs to support my family. I get phone calls, from time to time, from people asking me to help their loved ones, and I would love to do that, but I just do not have time to follow them up because my job demands my time. **Thank you for praying and for partnering with us as we desire to win and train the Military for Jesus Christ.**

Serving In the View of Eternity,

*Michael & Amy*