

**One thing you can always count on;
nothing ever stays the same.**

It's true for the business world, and it is also true in Christian missions. God never changes; He always calls His sheep in a way they can hear.

You may have noticed on the front page that there is no mention of the **Northern Light Network**. We were saddened when the vision that had been given to the leadership of the **NLN** was not as widely accepted by those who were needed to carry it out. **NLN** had several losses in staff, including one appointee couple who felt God leading them to stop raising their support for Alaska. Therefore, **KVRM** has been put on hold for the time being and **KRSA** in **Petersburg** has been released to go independent as was originally decided back in May.

That being said, we are still absolutely sure that God has called us to Alaska for ministry. Our life experiences and gifts match the spiritual needs of Alaskans. Our good friend **Daryl Carlson** (who has been mentioned in almost all of our previous newsletters) is leaving the **NLN** to stay with **SEND North** and focus on reaching native youth through mobile outreach events and multiple forms of media, mainly internet-based.

We have not yet ruled out serving with **NLN** at **KCAM Radio** in **Glennallen**, but we feel drawn to the potential direction that Daryl and **SEND North** are contemplating.

*"By faith Abraham, when called to go to a place he would later receive as his inheritance, obeyed and went, even though he did not know where he was going. By faith he made his home in the promised land like a stranger in a foreign country; he lived in tents, as did Isaac and Jacob, who were heirs with him of the same promise. For he was looking forward to the city with foundations, whose architect and builder is God."
Hebrews 11:8-10*

SEND North is in the process of relocating its **Headquarters** from Glennallen to **Anchorage** to better facilitate the 50+ missionaries serving in villages across the state and into Northwest Canada. Therefore, if we were to choose to team up with Daryl, we would also live in Anchorage. -By fulfilling a support role to the village missionaries, we can reach more Native kids throughout the state with the truth of Jesus. -Ministering in a large hub city like Anchorage would (like Philip to the Ethiopian eunuch in Acts 8) position us alongside natives who come to the city looking for work. They could

learn from us about Christ and in turn take Him home to their villages, preaching to their own tribe, in their own tongue.

Like Abram (later Abraham) in Genesis 12:1, we are being instructed to go as strangers to the land God is showing us, without knowledge of exactly what lies ahead. We trust that God will continue to be a lamp for our feet (Psalm 119:105) and straighten our path (Proverbs 3:5-6).

Your prayers in this matter are greatly appreciated! Please share with us any insight you feel God may want us to know. Thank you!

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"There are plenty of godless people in Kankakee County. Why do you have to go all the way to Alaska?"
-Kathie from Kankakee

This was the reaction of a close friend when Brandi first informed her we were going to Alaska for ministry and outreach. It seemed almost humorous at the time but when we thought about it a while, she raised a good point. Some of you may have had the same question.

The first good answer is, "Here in Kankakee (and throughout most of the "Lower 48" states for that matter), there is a church on nearly every corner, or at least a road that leads to one. It simply is not like that in Alaska. There are very few churches and even fewer roads. The people in native villages are living in isolation, poverty, and despair. Little hope is offered, so alcohol, drugs, suicide and abuse are commonplace."

The other is, "We are willing to go. Even though we have a good life and a network of friends and family here, we have fully submitted our lives to the leading of the Holy Spirit." We don't say that to boast; we simply wish to experience the reward and to fulfill the purpose for which God created us. While others are called to be a light where they are, we have been called to leave the ninety-nine to go after the one that has gone astray.



**And a happy New Year!
Love, The LaMie Family**