## Tom and Dottie Cancaster

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2025 FALL PRAYER LETTER

Dear Friends,

Blessed are ye that sow beside all waters,.. Isaiah 32:20

It obviously was, and is, common in certain parts of the world, for a farmer to sow his seed on standing water, particularly with rice. The Bible speaks of one sowing his seed on the water. (Ecclesiastes 11:1). The spiritual bread that is needed is Jesus and His gospel. I recently had a conversation with my oncologist, trying to get his professional opinion about when we could start traveling again in our ministry of missions. My oncologist, who is a dedicated Christian and has prayed for Dottie and me on several occasions, quickly replied, "Brother Lancaster, the Lord has given you, for a time and purpose, a different field of ministry." He was aware of several spiritual encounters that Dottie and I had with some of the medical staff and the salvation of two of my nurses while in the hospital. My doctor encouraged me by reminding me that God places us exactly where He wants us...in His time. With God's help, the doctor's skill, and the prayers of family and friends, we will be able to be back in meetings soon. Thank you for your love and prayers.

## A SPECIAL BLESSING:

It has been many months since I have had the strength to travel or preach. I have had to cancel conferences and Sunday meetings.. That has probably been one of the hardest parts of this cancer journey. But one of our local supporting pastors graciously invited me to come and report and preach this past Sunday. We prayed and asked the Lord to give me the needed strength and He did. I had to preach sitting down but God helped me and I believe He was honored and glorified. What a blessing! I will begin my new pancreatic cancer treatment next week. Please pray that all will go well.

## CANCER REPORT:

About three months ago they started chemotherapy for my pancreatic cancer. They have told me that my prostate cancer is "manageable." After two treatments they had to discontinue the chemo because of side effects. Consequently, I had to spend almost two weeks in the hospital and nine days in rehab, treating the side effects and building up my strength. It was determined that I was not a candidate for chemotherapy so I will be having a radiation treatment called Cyberknife. We ask our prayer partners to please lift us up in prayer. This has been a long journey, but we are confident that God is still in control.

Sincerely in Christ,

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