

**Alecia Burdette**

**Dear Friends of Pastor Jeff and New Beginnings,**

**It is with heartfelt gratitude and joy that I send my thanks to Pastor Jeff and the New Beginnings Church family for all they have done for my family and me. Two years ago, I asked Pastor Jeff to minister to my husband, Mike, because I knew he could really understand all Mike was going through and would try to help him come to Christ. He was there from that point forward, ministering to our whole family, especially Mike. In fact, he was there for him right up to the end and beyond.**

**My great joy is that, because of Pastor Jeff's ministry to my husband, I have no doubt my husband is with Jesus. Mike placed his faith in Jesus shortly before his death. God's peace fills and comforts my soul because of all this. The promise that God gives us, reassuring us that we will see our loved ones again someday, gives me strength for each day.**

**In all this, I have had the opportunity to witness what being a true Christian disciple is all about. Both Pastor Jeff and the whole church family accepted us, loved us, and have been there for us when the days came when we had no idea just how we would ever make it.**

**In fact, I am not alone in this. I have seen how they deal with other people by looking beyond their faults right to their real needs and love them with the love of Jesus. You don't find that at every church you go to.**

**My children and I are now part of the New Beginnings Church family and I belong to a very special ladies Bible study and fellowship group. They have helped me immensely. Over time, I have seen first hand the passion, desire, and shining witness Pastor Jeff is to the people of Kokomo. No matter who they are, he is willing to show them God's love and share the Good News of Jesus with them. The clear, powerful, and understandable way God's Word is presented has really helped us grow in our faith.**

**I know Pastor Jeff has endeavored to recover from all he has gone through. He has given his life to help others come to Jesus as their Savior. My husband and I know this first hand as we supported his run last year and were personally impacted by this ministry.**

**As Mike's wife, I want to thank you for any support you can give to New Beginnings Christian Fellowship in his memory. He is in heaven today because of how God worked through this church. I know any support will be used to win more souls for Jesus. If you feel led to donate to this ministry it will be greatly appreciated, and I know God will bless you and bless others for it.**

**Love in Christ,**

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