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Dear Faithful Friends,

*Psalms 91:2 I will say of **the LORD**, He is my refuge and **my fortress: my God; in him will I trust.***



The Malbork Castle, located in Malbork, Poland, is the largest castle in the world. It is also known as Marienburg or the Castle of the Teutonic Order. This Polish landmark is believed to be the largest brick fortress in the world. Construction of the castle began in 1274 and finished 132 years later in 1406. The castle has several subdivisions and numerous layers of defensive walls. It consists of three separate castles – the High, Middle, and Lower Castles, separated by multiple dry moats and towers. The castle once housed approximately 3,000 Teutonic Knights. The outermost castle walls enclose 52 acres, four times the enclosed area of Windsor Castle. This castle is a masterpiece of architectural might, but it pales in comparison to the strength, power, and protection of our God and Saviour, Jesus Christ. It is in Him we are encouraged to place our trust. There is no limit to how many may safely dwell within the walls of His care.



We have safely driven thousands of miles and our mini van has exceeded 323,000 miles. This is the care we receive while dwelling within the walls of our Refuge and Fortress. Lord willing, we will continue to use this vehicle until we arrive soon in Poland and look for another. The LORD continues to meet our needs through the love offerings of the churches we visit and the love gifts of individuals. God has been good to us while using His churches and believers to be a blessing to us. We give God the glory due His name for the wonderful ways in which He supplies our needs and protects us along our deputation trail.

He also blesses us through meeting new pastors and people who love missions but also love the Lord Jesus Christ. It is a blessing to meet new people who encourage and exhort us to be more and do more for Christ. Through the example of many pastors and churches, we have been motivated to examine our lives to be what we should be so that the LORD can fully use us. What a great God we serve Who allows us to enter into His Fortress to be revived and to rearm ourselves as we face a wicked and perverse generation.

Pray for us as we desire to see more fruit while on deputation. It was a blessing for Lisa to lead a young boy to Christ after I had preached in Jr. Church while attending a Mission Conference at Memorial Baptist in Ocala, FL. The preaching of the conference not only inspired the people of the church concerning missions, but also spoke to my heart during every service. God always has a way of recharging us and keeping us right with Himself.

We thank the churches and the LORD for more support that has come in this last month. This puts us at a promised 63%. We are looking forward to being in Poland soon and can't wait to actually be on the field of His calling. Pray for our travels as we began June leaving our Mission Conference in Florida, traveling to SC, and then to the **FBWWM AIM Conference** in TN. We will end the month of June in IN and MO. We can attest to the fact that God answers the prayers of His people. Without our Refuge and Fortress, we would be aimlessly traveling the United States without His provision, protection, and power. Thank you for your support and prayers.

Sincerely,

Gary & Lisa Zdziański

Thank you for partnering with us to Poland!
We love you and miss you & pray for you weekly.

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