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Dear Fellow Missionaries, Pastors & Friends:

I have had calls and emails from all over the U.S. as well as from people in other countries telling me that they heard my life story on UNSHACKLED. It was indeed an honor to be chosen to have my story on Unshackled. I continue to praise the Lord for the even greater honor of being His servant. This past August 14th, I celebrated 67 years since my conversion to Christ. It has been 61 years since I preached for the first time. And still, the Lord continues to use me in His service.

During the Summer we took a break and cancelled the newest ministry: the International English Conversation Bible Class. My intention is to reach all foreigners for the Lord. I am thankful for the Grandview Baptist Church and Pastor Gary Longstaff for all their help, encouragement and prayers. With only 6 churches that support me monthly, it is a real blessing to have the financial support from this growing church. Having said that, if your church would like to support me, it would be greatly appreciated and I might say, "Greatly needed." You can send your support through the BBFI Mission Office or to Grandview Baptist Church, PO Box 508, Springfield, MO 65801.

Now that Summer is over and our people are back from traveling (some to Japan, others to visit relatives in other states), we are back in full swing. My first calling as a missionary to Japan, takes most of my time. Presently I am preaching on the Revelation. This coming Sunday I'll preach message number 35 and I'm only in Rev. 13. I am saving all the outlines which I have in both English and Japanese. I hope to have a book printed someday. I think it will be a blessing to missionaries and pastors in Japan as well as others. I am also working on my autobiography. I'd like to have it printed in one year. Dr. R.L. Hymers Jr. in Los Angeles has urged me to write an autobiography. I suppose many of you heard my life story on Unshackled this past month. I do have it on a CD. If you would like one, please tell me where to send it. I would like some help for making the CD and shipping.

Please pray that the schedule for my mission trip will be worked out. My plans are to preach in Los Angeles the Easter week, then on to Hawaii and continuing on to Japan where I will visit churches all over central Japan. Preparation for such a trip is tremendous. I am thankful for my friend Phil Melugin, owner and president of Phoenix Home Care who will supply enough frequent flying miles for the entire trip. The Wilson Creek Baptist Church, Pastor Randall Moody has promised the first \$1000.00 for expenses while in Japan. Things are very expensive in Japan. Just one trip on the Bullet Express train from Tokyo to Nagoya cost about \$100.00. A cantaloupe, for instance, can cost as much as \$50.00. My last trip to Japan was paid for by Mr. Nakato, the owner of the Nakato Japanese Steak House. I know one thing; whenever God leads me to return to the land of my calling, God always provides the necessary funds.

God bless each of you and thank you for your prayers, concern and financial help.

Send your prayers to your Saviour, Your Missionary to Japan,  
*Bill*