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Cape Town, South Africa



Evangeline Ministries

Helping women with HIV and AIDS find hope in Jesus Christ

“Give thanks with a grateful heart!”

Dear Virginia Baptist Women:

I send these greetings to you from Cape Town, South Africa with a heart filled with thanks to God and you. Here we do not have this uniquely American holiday. I will miss the warmth and laughter of my family, and especially the best turkey ever from my brother but geography will not keep me from celebrating this wonderful day. I have invited a few friends, some from home, and others from different countries for our own South African thanksgiving and yes, I will bake a turkey!

I am thankful for the incredible adventure of following God’s will here in South Africa; a wonderful, loving family, without whose support, I would not be here; Evangeline Ministries and all that we have been able to do for women who live with HIV and AIDS and for remarkable people in ministry to the poor and needy I have met here.

I am thankful for friends like you who encourage, pray, visit and support me in this ministry. I so appreciate the cards, emails and letters with your love, support and advice. I love meeting you at churches, in your homes and here in Cape Town. I thank God for each of you!

On December 5, we will have another wonderful time when ten sewing students will receive their new sewing machines as a reward for their faithful work. Always I tell them of your love and concern for their lives and that they know and love Jesus. On their behalf I say a big thank you! Please pray with me as I seek to find new ways for them to use their new found skills to help them earn a living. I pray for you and your loved ones the best thanksgiving ever! God Bless you all!

“And now, let the weak say I am strong because of what the Lord as done for me, give thanks”

Sincerely in Christ,

Wendy

“..Every path He leads us on is fragrant with His loving kindness and His truth (Psalm 5:8-10)

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