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## Thank You For a Wonderful Year!

2013 was an amazing year for Navajo Brethren in Christ Mission and all its outreaches. Two very successful Overcomers sessions; a summer packed with wonderful ministry and work project teams from all over the U.S.; a new teacher at Nizhóní Christian Academy; a new youth director; multiple outreaches to our local school dorms; over 700 Christmas Love Gifts given out; Back-to-School Bash giving out 200 backpacks; 350 people at our Annual Christmas Celebration and many other outreaches too numerous to mention.

torate of the mission in 2003 all of these things were only a hazy vision. Today, they are a vivid reality and a reminder of what God can do when someone will say, "Here am I, Lord. Send me." And He has truly sent us some of His best!

Thank you so much for joining with us to make a vision a reality! May your new year be filled with the joy of Christ's love and the blessings worthy of your devotion and commitment

to His service.

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# EOWAA Tour

In 2000, when we were asked to direct the Overcomers program, we saw the need to visit churches and establish relationships to raise awareness of the program that God had placed in our care. Then, in 2003, when we became the directors of the mission, it became our responsibility to raise awareness (and thereby raise funding) for the entire mission.

From the very beginning, people have been so very gracious to us striving to provide for our needs as we spent many weeks and drove many miles on the road. They especially made sure we didn't suffer from hunger! Everywhere we went, people would feed us in fine restaurants or in their homes. We have enjoyed some of the best! So it was just natural that we began to call our annual trek our "Eating Our Way Across America Tour."

**THANKS FOR JOINING WITH US!**

Would you include an offering for NBICM in any amount? Your donations to NBICM are tax deductible and help us continue the outreaches we have established in our community. Whatever you can do will be greatly appreciated!

- \$10.00
- \$100.00
- \$1,000.00
- Prayer

Thank you again for your continued support of this ministry!



This year was, without doubt, our best tour since we began in 2000. We established relationships with five new churches and strengthened our relationships with many others. I had the grand privilege of being the keynote speaker in two mission conferences. We got to see old friends and make new ones.



These annual tours are one of the highlights of our year as we get to enjoy the fellowship of so many of you who have become a vital part of this ministry.

The tours are also a necessity in that they are one of our main avenues of rais-



ing resources and funding for the mission. Our entire funding comes from individuals and churches who have chosen to partner with us to reach our community with the love of Christ. That, in itself, is a testament to the faithful-

ness of our *Friends in Ministry*.

If you haven't made plans to be with us, now would be a good time. This summer is full but we could use help during the end-of-the-year holiday season. It's important that you book early since we normally book about a year in advance.

We cannot say Thank You enough, and we look forward to this new year and the things God has



planned for Navajo BIC Mission.