



# Merry Christmas & Happy Hanukkah!

“A light to lighten the Gentiles, and the glory of thy people Israel.” Luke 2:32

## *The Solomon Family*

Ezekiel 3:4-5, Proverbs 3:5-6

Shalom, Dear Friends,

In this darkest time of the year, the lights of Christmas seem even brighter. Let us take every opportunity and open door to shed His Light into the lives of others.

As a Jewish boy and then young man, I never understood Christmas, Santa, and Jesus. I just knew, “we’re Jewish, and we don’t believe in Jesus.” Do not assume that others know the reason for the season or the Christmas story. It took Christians praying and witnessing to us for Paula and me to get saved. We can bring His Light into every dark place to see other souls saved.

“Then spake Jesus again unto them, saying, I am the light of the world: he that followeth me shall not walk in darkness, but shall have the light of life” (John 8:12). “And the light shineth in darkness; and the darkness comprehended it not” (John 1:5). “But the path of the just is as the shining light, that shineth more and more unto the perfect day” (Proverbs 4:18). Lord, let our walk of faith light the way for others to see Christ’s love.

Remember, as born-again believers and children of God, we have the privilege of shedding His Light in every situation of life. Jesus said, “Ye are the light of the world. A city that is set on an hill cannot be hid” (Matthew 5:14). We must be ready to give a reason for our faith.

Paula and I are grateful for your continued prayers and giving. As we reflect on the past year, we are reminded of the blessings in our lives, and we are very thankful for each one who has had a part in our ministry. We are excited as we enter our 45th year of missionary service for the Lord. We look forward to doing even more for the Lord in the coming year as we labor together. Merry Christmas, and may the New Year bring you love, peace, and joy in Jesus!

