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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

We are blessed and excited to bring you news of the amazing things that are happening in the lives of the women in NBBC. God continues to grow and work on all of us. We stand in awe at His guiding grace and tender mercies.

What an amazing year this has been, the growth was just over the top! So much so that calling the different houses/ apartments by phases just doesn't do them justice. Also we will no longer be calling them by the street names as a reference to the location. We just feel it is just being proactive in safety for the ladies. The first phase will be known as the Hope House - as they reach out to Jesus, as He is their Hope in Glory. We want to be there for them and reflect His love. The second phase will be known as the Mercy House. Because as they grow in His love, the mercy that has been poured out on them. The third phase will be known as the Freedom Apartments, for by this time they are getting on their own feet and able to make choices. We pray that they are free from the old and living in the new creation with Jesus. The newest addition and the fourth phase will be the Grace Apartments. Only the blessings and grace of God has allowed this.

We currently have 22 ladies at New Beginnings. We push towards teaching them the truth, and not altering from the word of God. Please keep us in prayer because this is not a popular thing to teach as one would think. Almost daily we are confronted with pleas to conform, or persecuted because it's

not politically correct. We are convinced that what God said He meant and still wants us to live by.

We were able to serve Thanksgiving to over 400 people at Lucy's Big Burgers. Nearly a hundred to-go plates were fixed. The ladies had a chance to volunteer themselves to waiting on others who were traveling or didn't have a place to celebrate this time of Giving Thanks to the Lord. It was a traditional meal with a untraditional twist, it was free to all who came! A special thanks to Robert and Amy Gravens for opening up their heart, cafe, and pocket book to serve so many people. We were honored to be a small part of those who brought dishes and gave of their time.

The luncheon was a tremendous blessing, it was so great to be able to share the miracles that Jesus has done in so many of their life's. What an awesome time we had and it was so good for the ladies to see the support that they have. Again we were blessed to have the facility donated as well as the meal. So many volunteers have come forward and put there time and resources into the programs. Many people in the body of Christ have donated to help keep this program going, it has been a covering of love. If you feel that you would like to volunteer please contact us so we can set up a time to meet. The ladies were eager to get up and share their story and to personally thank the supporters that were able to be there. We wished everyone could have been there but understand that so many have busy schedules and weren't able to attend. We hope to see you next time.

One more thing that was shared at the luncheon was the book that the Lord put on my heart to write. Went to the printers December 1st. This has been a two year process. To those who don't know, the Lord began to impress on my heart to write my testimony. Also I was to include others and some of the history of the things that God brought us through. It was never meant to be enjoyable reading on a news stand somewhere. But to encourage the down and out, or incarcerated that they too could have a changed life with Jesus. Just to show them that where you are is not where you have to stay and who you were is not who you have to be. We are so thankful for the support that we have received in getting this book ready and into the hands of the ladies that might be coming here or encourage some that they can walk as Jesus walked. As it is He, who makes it at all possible. The book itself cost \$20.00 and many people felt led to purchase one to be given to someone in jail or prison. Thank you so much for this outpouring of support and prayers it too has been a rough

battlefield. It is scheduled to be released January 2015. It can also be purchased on our website, www.newbeginningsbigcountry.com We serve a mighty God and know the victory is ours through Jesus.

Once again I would like to thank the Lord for all of the volunteers, prayer partners and supporters. It takes all of us to function as the body, and reflect Jesus to these ladies. To the new ones He has sent and the faithful ones that have stepped along with us, we praise God on high for each one of you. We ask you to keep us in your continual prayers as for the enemy tries to keep attacking us with new things in old strongholds. So many have come so far it breaks your heart when they stumble. The glory belongs to the Lord and we cheer as he lifts the repented hearts up to soar again. May 2015 be a BLESSING to each one of you!!!

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