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David & Debby SMITH & Family Reaching French-Speaking Québec with the Gospel

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Dear Co-Laborers in Christ,

Joyeux Noël et Bonne Année du Québec !

(zhwayeur noehl ay bun ahnay dew Kaybec)

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from Quebec !

May the peace that Jesus came to bring be yours this Christmas. Here's what our family has been doing:

Joshua is **11 years old** now and in **6th grade** at a French-speaking elementary school. He keeps growing, and is now **5'4"**. Joshua played on a **baseball team** for his third season this past summer. He is now playing on a **basketball team** for his second season. In a recent game, Joshua made the game winning basket in the final seconds. Since Joshua will be entering into secondary school next fall, he has applied to programs in 2 different schools and taken exams for each. The program he really wants to go into concentrates the use of computers in most of his classes where he can learn to use a variety of programs, combining some with multimedia. **Please pray** that Joshua would be accepted into the program of his choice and for his success in school.

Rebekah just turned **18 years old on December 5**. She also passed her driving test on the same day, and got her permanent driver's license. She can now drive herself to school and to work. Rebekah is now in **her first year of C.E.G.E.P. which is like Junior College**. She is concentrating in languages. This semester, she is taking Spanish, German, English and of course French. She is considering changing schools next year, and going into another program. Rebekah is also working part-time at a small restaurant/sandwich shop. **Pray** for Rebekah's success in school this year, and for the Lord to give her wisdom as she decides on school for next year.

Sarah is **22 years old**, and has just finished her **5th semester** at **Université Laval**, in **Québec City**. She is an art major, and taking **computer graphic design** and **media** classes. Sarah recently got a non-paying **internship** at the **art gallery** at **Université Laval** which will start next semester. She will be **interviewing** the **artists** as their exhibits open at the gallery, and then **creating a video montage** of their interview combined with images of their art works. Sarah is also planning for the **opening of her own art exhibit** at the university in June. This will be an exhibit of an accumulation of her art works and media projects. Sarah is also working part-time in a bakery shop. **Please pray** for Sarah and her success in school.

Debby and I have been **praying** for someone to **join us** in the **work** here in **Gatineau**. French-Quebec national pastor, **Jacques Brand'Amour**, who planted a Baptist Church in Drummondville, QC, recently moved to the neighboring city of Buckingham, where he is originally from, to start a work. We have prayed with Jacques concerning **working together**. We believe the Lord is leading us to join our ministries. We are currently **praying** for a **new location** to hold our **services**. **Please pray that the Lord would open doors, and enable us to find a new building for this ministry. Please pray along with us, that the Lord would guide us and give us wisdom, as He uses us to build a work together!**

Debby and I along with **our children** **thank you** for your continued **prayers** and financial **support** for our **family** and for this **ministry**, which **enables** us to **reach** souls with the **good news** of salvation in **Jesus Christ**.

Co-Laborers together with you in the Great Commission,

David W. Smith
David, Debby, Sarah, Rebekah & Joshua Smith



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óThe harvest is truly plenteous, but the labourers are few;
 Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that He will
 send forth labourers into His harvest.ó

Matthew 9:37-38

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