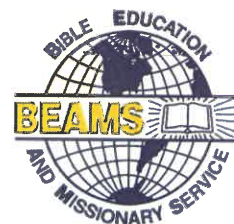




The Lockards

Arthur and Rhonda
BEAMS Missionaries



May 2026 Prayer Letter

Dear Pastor and Church Family,

What a joy and privilege it is to serve the Lord together. As you prepare for your summer activities, I pray you will take time to enjoy the many blessings of the Lord.

Our travels in May kept us closer to home, which was a welcome change after several months of out-of-state meetings. On May 3, we presented the BEAMS ministry, sang, and preached at Lighthouse Baptist Church in Vicksburg, Mississippi. This was a new church for BEAMS, although Pastor Rozelle was already familiar with the ministry.

On May 9, Rhonda was invited to speak at the Mother/Daughter Luncheon at Enon Baptist Church in McDavid, Florida. While Rhonda enjoyed the luncheon, I had the opportunity to visit with Pastor Dean, a dear friend of many years.

We spent Mother's Day at our home church for the morning service and then attended the evening service with our daughter, Clarissa, and her family.

On May 17, I was privileged to preach the Baccalaureate Service for Central Baptist Church in Hattiesburg, Mississippi. That afternoon, we were with Pastor Seth Bond and Sure Anchor Baptist Church in Sumrall, Mississippi. Pastor Bond graciously gave me the opportunity to present an update on BEAMS. Sure Anchor has faithfully supported the ministry since the church's inception.

On May 31, we were with First Baptist Church of McNeill, Mississippi. The church is actively seeking a pastor. I was able to give an update on BEAMS, Rhonda sang, and I preached.

While at the home office, we worked alongside our volunteers to prepare the newsletter for mailing. Rhonda and I also enjoyed supper and fellowship with Missionaries Jack and Iva Dean Henderson, along with Pastor Israel and Maribel Martinez. They were at BEAMS to pick up Bibles for distribution in Mexico.

We were also blessed to have Pastor and Mrs. Larry Baxley of Fellowship Baptist Church in Como, Texas, stop by for a tour of BEAMS. Missionary David Combs encouraged them to visit. I enjoyed showing them the ministry and sharing what God has done—and continues to do—through BEAMS.

Thank you for your faithful support and prayers. Until next month, stay faithful.

Serving till the shout,
Bro. & Sis. Lockard
Psalm 119:130

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