



**Campus
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*when my spirit
grows faint
it is you
who know my way
psalm 142:3*

Lazy Days

Dear Friends,

The next few weeks will be anything but lazy as I stand at the beginning of an incredibly busy summer. There are so many things going on I could never cover them all in detail. I thought about including my calendar for the next few months in this letter, but I think this letter may describe it just as well. As you go through the events of your summer I would appreciate your prayers for my summer.

Here's an overview of the variety of things calling my attention this summer. First is my privilege to staff the Orlando Summer Project or OSP and disciple four guys this summer. OSP is an opportunity for students to experience an internship at the World Headquarters and get leadership and evangelism training. I'm really excited about the opportunity to disciple students again. Many much of my time for the next month will be focused here. Please pray that the Lord will use me to develop these guys and pour into their lives what the Lord wants. This will consume much of my time while I'm here in Orlando.

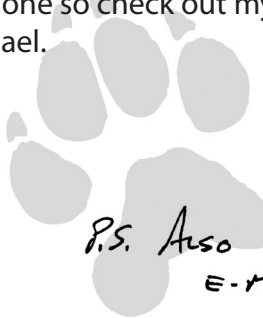
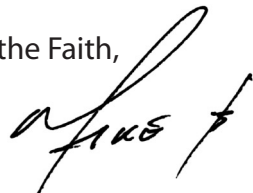
Second is a concentrated effort to raise additional funds for my ministry, what we refer to as Ministry Partner Development or MPD. I've mentioned this in the past so I will spare you the details. I will be returning to Virginia for a week in July. I plan on including several of you I wasn't able to visit during my trip in May. Please pray for endurance despite obstacles and that I might find additional partners quickly.

To cap things off I have my normal responsibilities in the office and a few trips to make this summer including the trip to Virginia and a trip to New York City for a computer conference. At times it seems like an impossible schedule; at other times I'm excited about the variety. Somehow in God's sovereignty he knows I can handle it all.

In one of my last letters I mentioned an opportunity to go to Germany and serve with Campus Crusade there. It appears my announcement was a bit premature. It's not that the opportunity has closed, but it doesn't look like the best move for now. All I can say for sure is my position within Crusade will be changing. Since exploring Germany I have been made aware of several other opportunities in a variety of places. Please pray that these opportunities might be solidified and narrowed in the next few months.

I know there's several things to pray for here. Please pray for endurance and perseverance through my schedule, my health (currently I'm fighting a head cold), and direction for my future. I need your prayers and would enjoy hearing from you. If you haven't done so check out my recently updated website at: www.hottman.com/michael.

Keep the Faith,



*P.S. ALSO PLEASE MAKE NOTE OF MY NEW
E-MAIL ADDRESS TO THE LEFT.*

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Please pray for:

Me as I work through the plans and go through the process of transitioning to this position.

All the Human Resources issues to be clarified quickly.

For my team as I transition out of my position and look towards heading overseas..

For the necessary funds to be raised for my ongoing support quickly. I've got \$900 in monthly support to raise before heading off to Germany.

God to go before me to prepare the way in the office, national offices I will be working with and that I will find suitable living arrangements in Germany.