

Bits of Home Chat: Hello brothers and sisters! May is such a special month as it has lots of comfortably warm days. This week we have had days brightened with sunshine. The skies have been colored to a beautiful blue with puffs of white clouds here and there. It caused us to just have to escape from indoors to the glorious outdoors. Now on the down-side, we saw how bad the weeds had gotten around the perimeter of the house and the driveway so Carl mixed up weed killer and went after that problem while I did some of the mowing. >>>>Carl isn't doing so well this past week. He's been too weary to accomplish much at one time. As always though, he got up Tuesday morning and drove to the post office for your letters, came home and opened them, read your letters to us, recorded on the outside of the envelopes what came in and what needed to go out, etc. After that he made out new envelopes. Yesterday I corrected most of the lessons and today he finished correcting and then stuffed the envelopes with everything but the Bits of Home Chats. Tomorrow he will finish, weigh, and seal the letters, package any Bibles that need to go out and take everything to the post office. Sometime between then and next Tuesday he will record everything you sent in, and he sent out, in a database. Then next Tuesday he will start again. He loves this work and is dedicated to it. It's not just a job to him; it's a way of ministering to people he feels responsible for to God.>>>>Our sons' families are still hurting from the loss of the other Gramma. One of the girls told me she is still walking around in shock and thinking it can't be true. Then when she has to go into the house which is next door, it is almost devastating. Their mom was the wife of Ted, the former ball player who died 2 years ago. The girls were late in life children so they had to deal with a lot in their 40's.>>>>Debbie may have a chance to get some help for her heart. After years of near hopelessness some doctors from Pittsburgh are taking her case and considering what they can do. They told her that she is one of the few people still living at her age who were born with a heart like hers. That can only be credited to the Lord and the prayers of her parents, family, husband, children, and church families who love her!>>>>I only have one birthday child from the children's home in Thailand this month. She seems to have a fun-loving personality, so I chose this chuckle provoking character for the picture on her birthday greeting. I hope you get a kick out of it; I did! Love from us both, The Earleys, Carl and Kay



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Memory Verse:

If it be possible, as much as lieth in you, live peaceably with all men. Romans 12:18

Verses to Ponder:

Psalm 25:9; Psalm 147:6; Proverbs 15:1,18 and 19:11; Matthew 5:5; Romans 12:14 and 18-19; I Corinthians 13:4-7; Galatians 6:1; I Timothy 6:11; II Timothy 2:24-25; I Peter 3:4