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## Fwd: Still Pursuing

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Another missionary update

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From: **City Church of Compton** <pat.dirkse@erc.la>  
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Grace and peace to you from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. I hope you are doing well. Sorry for not getting back to you sooner with an update.

I first want to thank everyone for your prayers. We are grateful for the scriptures, words, songs and pictures that people have sent to us. They have been very encouraging.

We find many things to be going in our favor. Here are some worth highlighting.

1. They haven't put the building on the market yet. They are waiting to see what we do. We are grateful as it has allowed us to move forward at a slower pace.
2. We continue to get words from people to saying it's a green light - continue to move forward.
3. We feel at peace in our spirit even though it would be a huge step for our church.
4. A friend of mine got together with me last week after reading the prayer email that was sent. After our lunch together he told me, "I brought my checkbook. Who do I make the check out to?" He went on to write a check and then he said, "Let me ask has anyone

given yet?" I said, "You're the first" and he gave me a huge high 5 as he was hoping to be the first.

Next Steps:

1. This Monday we will be walking through the building again with some sub-contractors who can give us a better understanding of the cost of fixing it up.
2. We have a leadership team meeting on Tuesday to talk about the building.
3. We will then commit to meeting with owners of the building the following Monday (Feb 24th) to state our intentions of either passing or making an offer.

Thanks again for you prayers. We won't wait as long for the next prayer update.

Blessings,  
Pat



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