

Have YOU prepared for a journey, only to have your plans cancelled instantaneously? Suzanne and I were hurrying out the door to a Christmas activity and it happened!

There, at the door, was a tall man with a hunched back and long gray hair; a hat sitting crooked on his head. He met us and said, "I'm heading to Vancouver to and will celebrate Christmas away from my family." At my invitation he came in slowly, as I sat in my office chair. He took a seat in one of the other office chairs and, in broken English,

he slowly shared his story. "The company I drive for has great people. They helped me out in tough times. I'm delivering this load to show my appreciation, but I miss the fellowship of my church -- especially now. I've been by this place many times, but today I decided to stop." What a pleasure it was to share scriptures, pray, and enjoy intimate fellowship with a brother in the Lord. Before leaving he grabbed my hand, and with tear-filled eyes, he said, "Thank you, Don, for being here." Before he left, I assured him that a quiet place of solitude for drivers, at this location, would be forthcoming. JOIN US ON OUR EXCITING JOURNEY 2024, PLACING A MULTIFUNCTIONAL OFFICE TRAILER AT OUR SEVERN LOCATION!



Chaplain Dave Brown (right) with driver, London, Ont.

Thank the Lord for faithful ministry partners enabling us to utilize our facility near Orillia, in Severn. It is such a great encouragement. Looking to the future and wanting to maximize the wonderful opportunity for growth, we have realized that our present facility is inadequate. Upon further evaluation, it has been recommended that we purchase a multifunctional office trailer. This will provide a conducive atmosphere for ministry donors to visit, administrative growth, and solitude for drivers. I know I can count on YOU to join with us.

YOU ARE NEEDED ON THIS SIGNIFICANT JOURNEY 2024.

This is a very important step -- placing a multifunctional office trailer at our facility near Orillia, in Severn. The budget for the purchase price is One Hundred and Fifty-Two Thousand Dollars (\$152,000.00). The new multifunctional office trailer will be delivered, on-site and ready for operation. You can participate

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in this very important and unique ministry using our <u>secure donation form</u> on the web site, via <u>CanadaHelps</u> or our <u>Facebook</u> page. THANK YOU in advance for joining us on this exciting JOURNEY 2024.

This Christmas season, let us remember the "Christ" in Christmas. Celebrating His entrance into our world, with the message of Salvation to a very needy world. A Special THANK YOU to our faithful ministry partners. Open Road Chapels could not move forward without your prayers and financial support. May you and your entire family enjoy the blessing of this Christmas season.

Yours in Christ,

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Rev. Don Harrison, Executive Director, O.R.C.

P.S. Will you please send in a gift today, for the multifunctional trailer? God bless you!