



Rehoboth Baptist Association
Appalachian Mountain Ministry
February 2020 Newsletter
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Well the winter is coming and going in such away we don't know which way to turn and what clothes to wear. Isn't this a very abnormal year. One thing we can count on is that God our Father is always right on time and His love is always with us. We have been supplying furniture and clothes to the mountains to support the flooding that has been affecting the people up there. In the past two weeks 40 people have lost their homes to the flooding. The flooding has affected Knoxville and the Jellico sites. We took a load to Knoxville last week and we are in Jellico today as we write. These people have a desperate situation and need our clothing, miscellaneous goods, and furniture.

I would like to also put out a need for hygiene items for the Appalachian mountain ministry. We have a need for all hygiene items for the people up there especially with all the viruses that are going around this time of the year. I would like to establish the months of March and April as Hygiene Months for the Appalachian mountain ministry. We will collect toothpaste, toothbrushes, shampoo, washing powder, baby powder, diapers, baby cremes, hydrogen peroxide, and any other form of hygiene items used by adults, children, and babies. This material will be sent up to the mountains on loads the last of April and first of May. Please help support this need. We thank you in advance for the assistance you provide. We are collecting religious materials (Sunday school material, bibles, and biblical books) please box them up and we will take them any Tuesday from 8AM to 5 PM. It is necessary that they be boxed up and taped. Thanks for your support in this matter.

Due to the fact that pressed wood items are so delicate and once taken apart they will never go back together again tight enough to withstand any pressure we will not be accepting any press wood items such as bookshelves, desks and the like. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. The packing on a truck and shipment just wrecks them and we pay for shipment of bad items that we could put good items in their place. Thank you again.

Looking forward to a beautiful summer. May God Bless they You.

Pete Soots and the whole Appalachian Ministry Team.

[P.S. Take a look at our Web page at RBA Appalachian Mountain Ministry.](https://www.rbaappalachianministry.com/)

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