

Greetings from Sanctuary Blessed Life: How our growing family has been doing

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Dear Family and Friends,

Time flies and another very eventful and at times intense year has past. Recently we had our first big snow storm. It looks beautiful and all the trees are covered in snow. It is time to get the snowplow out.

I would like to share with you all how our growing family has been doing in 2019, as I have been reflecting and getting ready for 2020:

We recently celebrated Thanksgiving with Alexander and our new daughter in law Yuna, her mom and sister, as well as Elliott, Charine, and Daniel. We had a big turkey with all the trimmings and Charine made apple pies for desert. It is great to have two new girls in the family.

Alexander and Yuna got blessed and married on October 14th as a part of the Rod of Iron Marriage Blessing for 16 young couples and many older couples that renewed their vows. It was beautiful and they are very happy together. Currently, they are staying in our house and it is great to have another daughter in our family. Alexander has been working with a painter and helping his dad build the green house, as well as repair boats and cars. He and Yuna enjoy Jiu-jitsu taught by Pastor Sean Moon to learn self-defense.

It was great to celebrate Elliott's and Charine's marriage on May 4th after many tries. First try Charine could not come over from Thailand, and second try her dear Mother Watcharine passed away, but luckily Charine got permission to leave the country to be with her Mother at the end. That was very hard for Charine. Third try we had a wonderful celebration with many friends at High Point Park near us, with an outdoor reception and delicious Italian food. They are really supportive of each other and are happy together in their new little house closer to Elliott's work in Pennsylvania.

Allastar went to Qatar for a year and got to see Qatar and the surrounding areas. He got to ride a camel and experience Arabian nights, fishing, and swimming. He then visited Denmark, saw Peter, Anne-Marie, and Emil, and visited Laage were I was born. Allastar is coming back for Christmas, but first he is visiting Glenda and Ross in New Zealand and maybe Darrin in Australia on the way. It will be good to have him back in the United States again.

Aaron had a final exam in September and successfully graduated as a registered nurse. He then went for a trip around America to visit many national parks including Blue Ridge Mountains, Grand Canyon, and many more, with his friends to relax after his very intense training. He visited us for a week and now he is back in Alabama where he has a job in the emergency room, which is a very busy job, but he likes it.



Daniel is working with an electrician and he also helps dad a lot. They are setting up a new wood furnace that is going to heat the whole house and the green house. We want to keep the fish and plants growing through the winter.

Dad is still doing maintenance at UTS College and boat repair off and on. As mentioned before, he also built a small green house right next to our house. We have trout so far and our vegetables are slowly growing.

Mom still takes care of special needs children on the bus. In her free time, she is starting a Youtube channel with a neighbor, titled ROI Kingdom Culture. This channel has many talks about health, family, raising children, husband and wife relationships. Feel free to check it out and choose the one you like to listen to and subscribe.

We all have guns and like to practice shooting targets, which is good to know for self-defense. In America, we are lucky to have the Second Amendment right to carry arms in order to protect against tyranny and those who wish to do us harm. Hopefully we will never need to use our training, but it is good to have the freedom with responsibility to carry arms and know how to use them safely. Reverend Sean Moon and his brother Justin Moon, together with many freedom loving righteous people, put on the Rod of Iron Freedom Festival. That was an amazing event that you can check out on Youtube by searching for Rod of Iron Freedom Festival.

We hope you had a Merry Christmas, have a Happy New Year, thank you so much for a great year, and all the best in the coming year!

Lots of Love,

Denton, Dorit, and Family.