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Dear Connecticut Household:

God bless each and every one of you in the powerful and precious name of our returning lord and savior, Jesus Christ.

As we move into this holiday season, my heart is over-flowing with thankfulness to the Father for your wonderful love. To think that God would call me to be a part of your life is a privilege beyond all words. You are God's chosen vessel, chosen from before the foundation of the world to be filled with His love, mercy and grace. I am ever so thankful that God would allow me to be a part of your life.

I am thankful to God that He made me one with you, that we may move the Word over the world, that we may be made perfect in Christ, and that we may receive and share the love that God has toward us. This is very wonderfully summed up in a prayer that Jesus Christ made to our Father, found in John 17:23.

John 17:23:

I in them, and thou in me, that they may be made perfect in one: and that the world may know that thou hast sent me, and hast loved them, as thou hast loved me.

Yes, God has made us one in Christ. As we work together in harmony and love, we bring out the best in each other for God and the whole family. You and I truly have been called to a great life. Let's, together, live that life to its fullest, as we wait for the return of our lord and savior, Jesus Christ.

In His love and unity,

Steve Strzepek

