

## Nonconforming November: Woodring News

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Holy-day greetings as you celebrate Thanksgiving and Christmas!

Wait, you say, Thanksgiving isn't holy. Well, I (Jen) say, the Bible is shot through with giving thanks! Plus The original day in the US was instituted to thank God. Thus, it qualifies as holy to me. But I'm not here to wax eloquent about the holidays, nor how I advocate not conforming to the commercialization of the season. (Black Friday is earlier every year! Now its fully in October and November!)

Instead, I want to explain how we are NOT conforming to our normal pattern of a monthly newsletter. We think we have done a monthly letter for over thirty years now, but we don't have access to our oldest letters to verify that. We are breaking tradition at the end of 2025 to send out ONE letter for November and December. Why? That's at the end of the letter in the attached pdf. We have been doing daily prayer requests for at least 27 years. Those we plan to send out in December with a brief Christmas Greeting!

Because this will be our once a year letter to some of you, we will give a brief year end review and our plan for finishing 2025.

Happy Thanksgiving and Merry Christmas!  
Jen and Craig

"Behold, the virgin shall be with child and give birth to a Son, and they shall call His name Immanuel"—which, when translated, means, "God with us." Matt 1:23 AMP



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