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Dear prayer partners,

I have been so encouraged by all of your cards, texts, and faithful prayers during my time at ABC. Thank you for being continually invested in me as I enter my Junior year! I am thankful that the Lord has brought me thus far, and I am trusting that He will be faithful unto the end.

For my Practical Christian Service this semester, I am serving at my local church, Piney View Bible, mainly in the nursery, and occasionally helping prepare and serve Sunday night fellowship meals. I am very grateful for my WV church, but I certainly still miss you all & look forward to being back at MBC in December.

I have greatly enjoyed my classes this semester, specifically Job - Song of Solomon and Women's Bible Teaching Principles, where I get to prepare and teach a unit of lessons on the book of Habakkuk.

I am involved in several extracurriculars this year, including being a resident assistant, leading the nursery committee for Missions Conference, and helping plan ABC's spring Junior/Senior banquet. I also still get to work at a local preschool, helping with their aftercare program.

I received a wonderful opportunity to go to Israel over Thanksgiving break with a group from ABC! I am excited to see for myself some of the locations where the amazing events of Scripture took place.

I covet your prayers for this semester:

- That I will be faithful in all of my responsibilities, especially as an RA.
- That I will view my studies as an act of worship, not just an academic routine.
- That I will have a safe, educational, and spiritually enriching trip to Israel.
- That I will trust in the Lord to provide for that which He desires for me to accomplish.
- That I will inquire of Yahweh & His strength; that I will seek His face continually (Psalm 105:4), especially as I consider post-grad opportunities.

I am so glad that the Lord made it possible for me to serve alongside you all this past summer. I am confident that I will always think fondly of that time, and I pray that the Lord will use it for His glory. I have been immensely blessed by the Lord to have you all in my life, and I thank Him for it.

Joyfully in Christ,
Ainsley Faith Wood
Psalm 119:68