

Another year in service to the King..

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2009 had many highlights - the first and foremost of the wedding of our youngest child, Olya.

Joy to the world, the Lord has come, & He is still on the throne!

WEDDINGS, WIND TURBINES, AND WONDERFUL FRIENDS!

OLYA AND RYAN'S WEDDING

The Stout family reunited this July for the wonderful celebration of seeing the "baby" of the bunch get married to a fine Bostonian by the name of Ryan Davidson.

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BLOWIN' IN THE WIND

Larry and Debbie continued their own personal "green" agenda by installing a wind turbine on their property in October.

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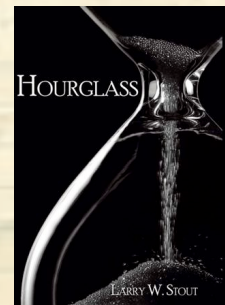
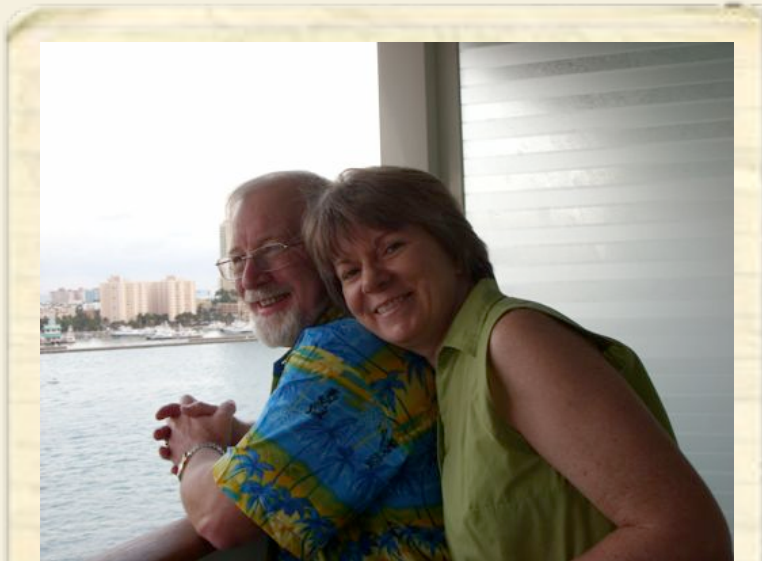
VISITS FROM FRIENDS NEAR AND FAR

Beginning with a glorious cruise with friends from Latvia, this year marked the blessings of getting together with a number of great friends.

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NOVEL IDEA!

Larry fulfilled a life-long dream by publishing a novel this year - "Hourglass." It can be ordered on Amazon or Barnes & Noble.



Top: Larry & Debbie on cruise, Bottom Left: Debbie with grandson Roman, Bottom Right: cover of Larry's new novel, "Hourglass"

For those who like to receive our periodic email newsletter - Interlock PrayerNet - send us an email and we will add you to our list!



Aaron, Becky, Larry, Debbie, Olya, Ryan, Elizabeth, Hope, Rob, David, Roman, Divya

For those who wish to contact Olya and Ryan directly, their address is Ryan and Olya Davidson, 100 Stockton Street #93, Chelsea, MA 02150 or email: olyadavidson@gmail.com

WEDDING BLISS

Olya and Ryan had a fantastic wedding. The ceremony was held at Citychurch in Williamsport, and quite a number of Ryan's relatives from the Boston area and Virginia. The reception was held outdoors at our house in Montgomery. The day was perfect - in every way!

CHURCH CHANGES

With the departure of the pastor of Citychurch in March, Larry and the other two elders made the decision to form a "pastoral team" which would serve in lieu of a traditional pastor. The experiment has been a success on many fronts, with a number of new initiatives such as a missions task force, citylife groups (home meetings), and several conferences. Larry preaches on a regular basis - and is loving it!

FRIENDS FAR AND WIDE

We had a great opportunity to bring in the new year by going on a Caribbean cruise with five fantastic friends from our days in Latvia; Roman, Tanya and Nikita Yashin, Baiba Buka, and Melissa Duits. During the year we also had the chance to minister together twice with David Smethurst, a

South African evangelist who we have known since 1992. Also, we had the opportunity to see again old friends who were crucial to our work in Latvia; Lee Levensgood and Mark and Lyn Hettler. There is nothing like good friends!

BLOWIN' IN THE WIND

Larry is more conservative in politics, but Debbie is certainly more conservative when it comes to money. She looks for every way to save - and finds that energy conservation makes good fiscal sense. In October, we installed a 45 foot wind turbine that quickly became nicknamed, PennyWind (after Penny Hill where we live). It is great to see the electric meter going backwards for a change!

LARRY'S TRAVELS

Larry did not do as much business training in 2009 because of the economic downturn; but still made three trips to Latvia, three trips to the Ukraine, as well as a trip to India. Even in a downturn - it was a busy year!

We wish you all the greatest of blessings this season of Christ's birth. Every day we marvel at the incredible miracle of God's love - that He surrendered His place of glory in Heaven to enter mankind - and then sacrificed His life for our salvation. Christmas is more than a story - it is a miracle of life.

