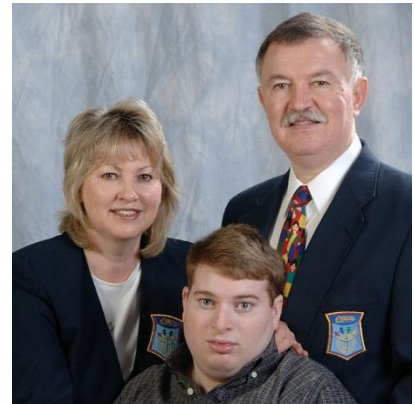


Steve Pam & Peter Schenk

Awana missionaries in Ohio

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I have held many things in my hands, and have lost them all; but whatever I have placed in God's hands, that I still possess. Martin Luther

Praise the Lord!

- ☆ Two young people trusted Christ as Savior following recent club visits; there is joy in serving Jesus!
- ☆ We attended two Mission's Conferences in October, with the opportunity to share about our ministry with hundreds of friends.
- ☆ Steve attended a special Awana Sunday at a church near Cincinnati in their second year of club. They are thriving, reaching lots of kids with the gospel.
- ☆ Lots of churches use the Grand Prix as an outreach event for families; we have already helped three clubs this year.
- ☆ Our annual training conference was held in Grove City, with about 140 workers going to workshops and learning better ways to serve the Lord.
- ☆ Pam & Steve were able to get away for a week of mission's conference at Awana HQ in Streamwood, while Pete stayed home with a couple care-givers. All the arrangements were an answer to prayer.
- ☆ As part of the mission's conference we spent some time with Alber Rezkalla, the director of Awana in Egypt. The ministry is strong across the Middle East and North Africa; what a blessing to see him again.
- ☆ It was a joy to have our kids and grandkids here in Dayton to share Thanksgiving with us!

Please pray for us:

- ✚ Our schedule is filling up for the New Year! Pray for safe travels as we visit clubs to encourage leaders and spread the gospel.
- ✚ Pray for all those churches and clubs who are offering evangelistic Christmas events; we know the Lord will provide opportunities for outreach.
- ✚ Pray for our efforts to encourage and equip workers in each local church. We visit many of them, plus we have our website and other online resources for everyone to access.
- ✚ Alber and his family need to move to a safer neighborhood, plus their car needs replacing. Pray for the Lord to provide the funds through His people.
- ✚ Pray for the ministry of Awana as we seek to reach kids in our changing culture.
- ✚ Praying Scripture is the best: read Philippians 1:9-11 and Colossians 1:9-11 and think of us.



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