Sept - Oct

## O'Brien's Prayers & News

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Busy Fall season in Ukraine. We had to make our annual road journey completely across Ukraine to the Moldovan border for a necessary annual stamp in our passports. 1300 miles in 3 days on ancient roads but MISSION ACCOMPLISHED! We also suffered 2 devastating **thefts**: one was our firebox where all our family documents were and then John's bag containing every document he needs and our whole month's support which he'd just received at the bank!! The devil never sleeps, folks! Pray! We enjoyed celebrating the 10th wedding anniversary of one of our deaf couples, Sasha & Olya. How precious they are and what a difference salvation has made in their lives and home! Pray for them as they now lead the deaf Sunday School class. Always a blessing to see folks growing in grace in Christ! Then we saw the Lord finally reach the heart of **deaf Denise**. His soon-to-be fiancé was saved back during our summer 2008 deaf conference. We pray that his confession will be genuine & bear much

as many as were willing hearie

fruit for the cause of Christ in Ukraine. Then in October we celebrated the **18 Jubilee** of when we baptized Lina. What a joy to see all that the Lord has done here in Ukraine over these very many years, His faithfulness shines brighter as we go!

**FURLOUGH:** Around October in **2018**, Cathy & I are planning meetings in VIRGINIA. We need very much **NEW** support. If you could pray for us and maybe recommend us as faithful veteran missionaries, we would be very grateful! Steven & Nina continue with the Youth doing great! They are a giant asset to the Lord's work here for sure!



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