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Dear Brethren,

I first met the Perkins family when I was planting a church in Colorado. I invited them to come to be a part of our missions conference. During that week I grew to love this family! They sang, went visiting, participated in all church activities, and Brother Perkins preached powerful, Biblical, and doctrinal messages. I had them come back every year after that, and each time they were a tremendous help to our family and our church.

The Perkins are genuine. They live what they preach. Brother Perkins has been my friend, counselor, and "sounding board". He has always given sound, Biblical advice even if it went against my thinking. Mrs. Perkins has been a friend, counselor, and confidant to my wife. Their daughters, Hannah, Sarah, Leah and Natalie, have been tremendous friends to my children. In fact, the Perkins have become part of our family and my children call them Uncle Steve and Aunt Kristi. My family would not have made it on the mission field without their friendship. We look forward to their coming every year!

As a pastor, I can confidently share my pulpit with Brother Perkins knowing that he will always preach doctrinally and Biblically. He will preach truths that sometimes are hard for the listener but will always preach in love. He will always point the people to Christ! He will help the church every time and will back up what the pastor has been preaching.

He and his family will be a help in the ministries of the church in whatever way they are asked and will look for ways to serve when not asked. The Perkins ladies' singing is traditional, conservative, Christ-honoring and GREAT! The family is not a stranger to hard work. They help in cleaning, yard work, construction, and anything else needed. Bro. Perkins is an accomplished carpenter, handy mechanic, plumber, and electrician. They are a blessing! Our church looks forward to their coming every year!

I can whole-heartedly give my recommendation of this family. They are without a doubt, choice servants of God. They will help the pastor, the church, and the lost. You may call me directly if you want more detailed information.

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Isaiah 58:1

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