

Daily Devotion For October 4, 2022

Yesterday I was at the Salinas County Courthouse. No, I wasn't arrested nor did I do anything wrong. I was there for Jury Duty. If you have ever been on jury duty, you know that it can be quite time consuming. They gather you together and then you have to wait for the bailiffs to call you into the court room for an appearance before the judge and the lawyers to see if you will be a suitable juror for that particular case.

As the judge began, he shared that this would be an 11 day criminal case. If anyone had a language problem or an extreme hardship, we should go outside and form a line. Everyone else was to be back in the courtroom the next day for jury selection.

Well, I went before the judge and pleaded a hardship that 11 days is too long to be away from my church responsibilities. He then told me that that was not a good excuse and I was appear back in court, (today).

Well, we will see what happens today, but as much as I don't mind serving on jury duty, 11 days is a long time. **Appreciate the prayers for God's Wisdom.**

Today's Prayer Focus: Continue to pray for the many in our church family in need of God's healing touch. Joyce Gota recovering from cataract surgery, Nancy Ichiuji, Bob McIntyre, Anne Bevier, Anne Kageyama, and God's presence and comfort for Shirley Wong.