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#### FROM AMHERST, N. S.

Dear Highway Friends,

Here we are in the beautiful town of Amherst, Nova Scotia, pastoring the lovely church of 100 Spring Street, built by Rev. Milton Bagley, a real pleasure to worship in such a lovely auditorium.

I wish to commend the people of Amherst, and others who in any way were responsible for it's construction.

We are greatly in need of a parsonage, and praying to that end, and believe in a few months a building will be underway. We are asking friends everywhere to pray for the work in Amherst. Paul the Apostle said; One sows, another reaps, but God gives the increase.

We find the town's people very friendly, and we have received a very warm welcome. We feel at home already.

May the Lord give us a revival, in all our churches in 1963-64.

May the Lord bless you one and all

In His Love Rev. Hubert McGeorge Box 272 Amherst, N. S.

P.S. We have an opportunity to purchase a building, a home near our church, built five years ago, an ideal home for a parsonage.

It would be most encouraging to have a flood of letters with a donation toward this most worthy cause. Any donation large or small will be gratefully acknowledged.

#### "CLOSED ON SUNDAY"

by Louise Johnson

On a beautiful Sunday evening as I was walking to church, I traveled past a place of business that had a sign, "Closed on Sunday," in the large window.

I didn't think much about it until I came to God's House. Suddenly I realized what would be my reaction if I found a similar notice on the church door. My heart became heavy, for I thought I saw this notice tacked on the church door:

"This ——— church closed on Sunday evenings because:

"1. My people are unconcerned. They feel more comfortable in their easy chairs at home watching TV.

"2. Their meager dollar will not pay for the lights and the heat.

"3. My people are too exhausted after washing, ironing, cleaning, mowing the lawn, and other odd jobs done over the week end.

"4. I cannot do all the things the congregation feels
I should do with the salary they pay me as pastor.

"5. It's too many miles from home for my people to travel."

There were still more reasons, but I was not able to read them, for my eyes were blurred. Then I noticed another paragraph:

"This church was built by Faith, and dedicated to the Lord. It was the place where everyone was welcome, and where the power of the Holy Spirit was felt. Folks took time to have fellowship with other Christians, to give God thanks for His many blessings. Here people were saved, sanctified, and went out rejoicing because of the privilege of public worship.

"Today people have grown disobedient to the Word of God, so these doors have had to close on Sunday night..., and will perhaps remain so until revival fires begin to burn in each heart.

"Signed: Rev. Much Concerned."

Thank God, those were only a few moments of fear. Arriving at my destination, I found the church doors open, the faithful few were there in their pews, God's presence and His Spirit were felt, the warmth of love penetrated my heart and soul in a way that it had not done before. As I sat down I said, "Thank Thee, Lord, for this opportunity of worship. And may I never be found guilty of having a part in the closing of any church door."

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