

October 2008

Dear Friends,

How did it get to be October already?!?!? Let's see, "Thirty days hath September, ..."

Well, we've just got a few more days until the Goblins are behind us (or maybe that doesn't happen until after November 4<sup>th</sup> – and then they may be *after* us)! ☺ Perhaps I should have saved → this picture for this month. (It's my brother, Al, and grandson, Elijah, for those of you who were wondering.)



We had an excellent Board retreat in September. Thank you for your prayers. We are still looking for additional board members, so let me know if you have any ideas. The two candidates who joined us at the meeting are going to be fine additions to the Board, I believe.

The economy has our nation in turmoil these days. Perhaps we will learn, probably not without pain, that "Almighty" only applies truly to One Person, and not to pieces of paper with the likenesses of dead presidents (and others) on them. Hard times may be looming at the door. Let us hold onto Him and Him alone, Who is worthy to be praised.

We appreciate your faithfulness and prayers.

Dave