DECLARES THE LORD, "LIKE CLAY IN THE HAND OF THE POTTER, SO ARE YOU IN MY HAND."

(JEREMIAH 18:6 *NIV)

Dear Ava,

With Halloween approaching I though you might enjoy the following message. I received it from one of our fellow subscribers last year. It is simply titled

"PUMPKINS"

A woman was asked by a coworker, "What is it like to be a Christian?" The coworker replied, "It is like being a pumpkin. God pick you from the patch, brings you in, and washes all the dirt off of you. Then he cuts off the top and scoops out all the yucky stuff.

It is written: O LORD, YOU ARE OUR FATHER, WE ARE THE CLAY, AND YOU OUR POTTER; AND WE ARE THE WORK OF YOUR HAND. (ISAIAH 64:8)

Then He removes the seeds of doubt, hate, greed, and then He carves you a new smiling face and puts His light inside of you to shine for all the world to see."

It is written; YOU WILL LIGHT MY LAMP; THE LORD MY GOD WILL ENLIGHTEN MY DARKNESS. (PSALM 18:28) So; LET YOUR LIGHT SO SHINE BEFORE MEN, THAT THEY MAY SEE YOUR GOOD WORKS AND GLORIFY YOUR FATHER IN HEAVEN! (MATTHEW 5:16)

Now this was passed on to me from another "pumpkin," and I have added a few Verses. It is now your turn to pass it on to another "pumpkin." I liked this enough to send it to all of the "pumpkins" in the patch, how about you?

NOTE: Next Saturday Ava, we will look at the darker side of Halloween, and study the History of that Until then have a wonderful week, and Be Blessed! day!

With All My "Pumpkin" Love, your 'Jack-O-Lantern,' Allen

With My Love & Prayers, your servant Allen