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Bringing News of Richard & Judy Grout from Vyborg, Russia

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9/11 - 1993 was the day when we first arrived in Russia, entered the Vyborg Christian Center, and met Valera Tolkachev who was already working here then. Now Valera is the Director, as well as being a pastor and a church planter. We are preparing to return to Florida to continue our ministries in America.

9/11 - 2001 In exactly one hour the judgment of God fell on the Fourth Babylon (= New York City), seemingly in fulfillment of Revelation 18:10,17,19. Three thousand people died, six thousand were injured, and the Pentagon was attacked. The whole world watched as the World Trade Center towers burned and fell to the earth. Thousands of Muslims in many places around the world were rejoicing. Some of us still remember those horrific hours.

9/11 - 2016 Muslims around the world will be celebrating the holiday of Eid. In Iran, Turkey, and Saudi Arabia, each of these nations are proclaiming themselves to be the leaders of the Muslim world. Iran is trying to revive the old Persian Empire. Turkey is moving toward establishing the old Ottoman Empire. Arabia is home to Mecca, the most sacred spot in the Muslim world. In all three of these nations there are more believers in Christ than ever before! Meanwhile, as the world focuses attention on the Islamic world, we cannot forget Russia. The nation of Russia is still greater than all the Muslim empires. In the week following 9/11/2016, we will be waiting for a decision from the Russian Ministry of Justice on the future of the Christian Center. Your prayers for Russia in times like these are still vital! *All for Jesus, Richard & Judy Grout*



Pastor Valera today