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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

We are very sorry for the lateness of this letter but the past two months have been our busiest to date. We have traveled over 12,000 miles and presented in churches in 10 different states. God has not only kept us busy but He's protected and blessed us all along the way. We have officially set November as the date we are leaving for Germany and since making that decision, God has added one new support church almost every week. We now stand at 70% supported and are praying for at least 15% more before we leave.

The decision to go over underfunded was not an easy one to make but it is one I made with a lot of counsel from men with years of wisdom and experience. The reality is that it takes 3 to 5 years of deputation for most missionaries to reach the field. There are a few exceptions but unfortunately I am not one of them. Those years are filled with blessings and God's hand, but they are also very difficult at times as God grows and stretches us. After 3 years of deputation, my family needs the stability and sense of belonging that being on the field will provide. And, as I said in the last prayer letter, there are already military men and women and their families over there waiting for us.

Please keep us in prayer as we work through all the paperwork and logistics to get to Germany. It is a much more complicated and expensive process than I had anticipated. We are also still trying to sell our house and even though we have been showing it several times a week, we have had no offers on it.

Romans 1:21 Because that, when they knew God, they glorified *him* not as God, neither were thankful; but became vain in their imaginations, and their foolish heart was darkened.

Finally, please keep young people everywhere in your prayers. Too many of them don't even care about the truth anymore. I was out visiting with a church we were at and came across a young man who was somewhat knowledgeable about the Bible and willing to talk but he said he wasn't saved and really didn't care. He said "I don't believe any of that stuff anyway." It didn't matter what God said about sin, hell or Christ's payment, this young man had already decided that he didn't believe it. But we can't let that keep us from sharing the Gospel with them. The fields are white already unto harvest and God is looking for laborers. Please keep praying, keep going, keep sharing and please keep us in your prayers.

Thank you and God Bless.

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Luke 12:48

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