

DR. RICHARD & LEAH JACOB CHURCH PLANTING IN AMERICA



That all the people of the earth may know that the Lord is God, and that there is none else. — 1 Kings 8:60

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Dear Pastor and Church Family,

Promise & Passion

The blessings of being a child of God are manifold. One Bible verse from Isaiah 49:16 especially reminds us of God's immense love for His children and even the lost people in our world. This verse reads, "Behold, I have graven thee upon the palms of my hands...". The nail scars on the palms of the hands of our precious Savior are a constant reminder of God's love for us. Those scars also are a reminder that Jesus died for all humanity. He still loves them and desires to see them saved. It makes us sense the urgency of getting the gospel to the lost ASAP.

Prayer

Two weeks back, We were all packed up and on the road to Arkansas for a meeting, when a smell of something burning filled our car. Soon after we found the AC quit working. We had to call our kids and ask them to bring another vehicle, so we could get back on the road for a 10-hour drive. Praising God this incident happened about 5 miles from home. We lost about an hour due to the delay, but it was better than making this long trip without air condition. After we had driven through some very heavy rain and made it to the church parking lot through some dirt roads, I stepped out and found our rear tires were almost without any tread. This is no surprise considering the hundreds of miles we drive. I just hadn't noticed the tires before and could not thank God enough for safety. This past Sunday we were at a church in Ohio. The pastor was called into the ministry through my father in law's sermon in 1993. Quiet interesting. Please pray the Lord will provide us a used car in better shape so we can complete our remaining 9 months of deputation. Please pray for many more individuals to get saved as we share the gospel on the road and whenever we have opportunities. We no longer have medical insurance since Leah resigned her job last month. God is able to grant us good health. We request your prayers.

Praise

Leah, is now able to travel with me on deputation since she resigned her job. Last Sunday, we were in a church in MO. The church gifted us with about 60 used hymnals and took us on for support. This was very exciting. We see God's hand working and helping us each day. God has surprises at every twist and turn on our deputation trail. God is faithful and so are the churches that support us through prayers and monetary help. We pray for you often.

With grateful hearts

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Serving God in a church in Missouri



I thank my God upon every remembrance of you (Phil. 1:3)



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