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missionaries to Costa Rica and Panama



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Furlough Update

Words do not adequately express the depth of our gratitude for each church we have been in these last few months. Whether it be a church that already supports us or a church that is considering us for support, we have been blessed beyond measure by each one of you!

Support Update

In our last update, we reported that we were at 82% of our needed support. We praise the Lord that we are now at 90%. Some have questioned why we have to be at 100% in order to go back to Costa Rica. First of all, it is a requirement by our mission board. Secondly, it is very necessary for our field. The cost of living has skyrocketed over the last few years and continues that upward trend. We assure you that we will not be living like kings but are raising the necessary amount to live and work in Costa Rica. We praise the Lord that we are

so close. Please pray with us as we seek to raise the last 10% needed in order to return. Thank you so much to those of you who have begun supporting us or who have increased the amount that you support us!

Visit to Costa Rica

In our last prayer letter, we mentioned the need to visit Costa Rica in order to keep our residency status and to renew our daughters' residency. We did not expect to run into any difficulties since it is normally a simple and straightforward process. However, it didn't go that way. We spent several days jumping through hoops and then watched as God stepped in and miraculously answered prayer. Due to prayers that were directly answered, we were able to accomplish what looked to be impossible. Thank you so much to those who prayed for us!

When we left Costa Rica, we were given a date of when the girl's residency cards would be ready. We were also told that they were running behind and wouldn't be ready at that date. Now we are happy to report that the cards are finally ready! Lynnette will be flying down Friday June 9, and will be there until the 15th. Please pray that she will not have any problems in picking up the cards. Since nothing has gone normal in this process so far, we covet your prayers in this last step. We cannot wait until the family returns to pick up these cards since they would be destroyed by that time.

It was also a great blessing to meet together with three of the four young adults that we plan to form the team with for future church planting. It was exciting to talk through some possible strategies.

Address Change

Since our time is up in the mission house where we have been living this past year, we will be moving in with Lynnette's parents until we are able to return to Costa Rica. Please note the following change:
204 Fairhaven Dr
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Prayer Requests

Raise the remaining 10% of our needed support to be able to return to Costa Rica
Pastor Joaquin and his wife Marielos Gerson as he continues to study at the Christian university in Monterrey, Mexico
Children's Shelter--workers to remain faithful in our absence
--God's Word to make a difference in the lives of these children
Wisdom as plans are made for the church plant
Lynnette as she travels to Costa Rica
Family move to South Carolina by July 1



Goals

Accomplished

Our support has increased from 69% to 90%.
The girls' residency was renewed.

Future

Raise the remaining 10% support needed to return to Costa Rica

