



KROEKERS IN BOLIVIA

MISSIONARIES TO THE MENNONITES OF BOLIVIA

Update

Dear Praying Friends,

Thank you so much for your faithful prayers on our behalf. It is so good to know that there are people around the world interceding for us. We have a great God who delights to hear and answer our prayer. A passage that the Lord has given me to meditate on speaks to this point. Psalm 145:19 says, "He will fulfill the desire of them that fear him: he also will hear their cry, and will save them."

We got it!

We are so excited to announce that on Wednesday, February 1, 2023 we received our youngest daughter, Ember's, birth certificate! This will now give us the opportunity to have her passport processed and allows us to move ahead in pursuing our move to Bolivia.



Ordination!

We are planning to travel to our sending church, Central Arctic Baptist Church in Yellowknife, NT and spend the month of March with them. During this time Dr. Cook, a veteran missionary who has served in many European countries, Mexico, Canada, and now the United States, is scheduled to preach a Bible Conference as well as my ordination service. This is very special to Brenda and I. Dr. Cook was our Missions teacher at Canadian Baptist Bible College. He is a great encouragement to us and has a compassionate and caring heart for students and people in general.

Support

We are currently at 92.5% of our needed support. We are in need of about three - five more churches to take us on for support depending on the monthly amount given. Please continue to pray for the remainder of the support to come in.

Set-Up and Passage

A pastor contacted me to let us know that they will be sending \$4,000.00 towards our Set-up and Passage fund. This brings our Set-up and Passage fund to 9.5% of our goal. These monies are for airfare, visas, a vehicle, and for furnishing a home upon arrival. Thank you to all who have given towards this fund! Please pray that the remainder of these funds would come in prior to our departure. If you are planning to give towards this fund please make note of the designation such as "Set-Up and Passage" in general or to a specific sub category listed above. Thank you!

Moving!

We are so excited to announce that we are planning for and have June 13, 2023 in mind as a tentative departure date to Bolivia! With this comes a long prayer list and we ask that you please pray that all things would fall into place for this big move. I will add a detailed prayer list at the end of this letter. We expect great things from God as we attempt great things for Him. We are excited, scared, nervous, yet have a great sense of boldness, being confident that we are in the will of God and that He will work all things out. I believe there is a great harvest awaiting us and lots of hard and intense Gospel labour. Oh, so little time! The night cometh when no man can work! The harvest truly is plenteous! The labours are few! Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest that he will send forth labourers! So many thoughts overwhelming me as I write this! Sometimes you need these rabbit trails in a prayer letter. Might not make sense but its a burden on my heart as I type with tears blurring my vision. Lord, make me a fisher of men! I want to be a soul winner! I wonder how prayer letters would truly read had the missionary not gone back and deleted what he really wanted to say; what really was on his or her heart! Anyway...here is the prayer list.

Prayer List

- The Lord to lead in clear direction and for wisdom.
- Three to five more churches to take us on for support to reach our goal of 100% support.
- Grace for us all as we spiritually, physically, and mentally prepare for this transition.
- Our travel trailer and vehicle to sell.
- Set-up and Passage funds to come in before our departure.
- Favour in the eyes of all those that will be involved in the moving process (border security, visas, housing, and everything in between).
- Ember's passport to be issued in a timely fashion.
- Good health, travel safety, and that we would be a blessing to churches that we will be with in the next few months.
- Language learning to progress well.
- Opportunities to serve in our sending church while we are there.
- A friend for each of us on the field in the area that we will be serving in.
- For the Lord to continue to prepare hearts for a future church plant.
- Focus, focus, and focus on the things of the Lord.

Thank you!

Love, labourers together,

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