Blue Asia Grace



Ready For Good News?

We had been hesitant to officially begin support raising until after our survey trip to Asia last October. But since then, we have reached one-third of our goal! Praise God, and thank you for praying. A special thanks goes out to Hawk Springs Community Bible Church—our home church—for sticking by our side for a year now. We miss you.

We have been visiting different local churches, meeting people and getting the word out about the need in Northern Asia and God's heart for them. It has been a joy to see people excited about missions; a reflection of God's heart for the lost. One man in Pennsylvania was so inspired that he made it a personal mission to tell his friends about the need in Asia. I praise God for the work of love He stirs in peoples hearts.

On that same note: thank you Bedford Bible for your warm reception and encouragement.



## Go West, Young Man

We are planning to make a trip to Wyoming this May. Our mission agency (<u>Tentmakers Bible Mission</u>) will be having their annual candidacy school. This will provide a time for us to reconnect with the board of directors while they are all together at the home office in LaGrange. We also very much look forward to visiting with Hawk Springs, and telling them about our trip to Asia.

We have also been invited to attend the Tentmakers international missionary conference in Spain in September. They have one every five years or so. Two days after we were told about it, we had someone ask if there were any conferences that we needed financial help to get to. So, who knows, Maybe God is putting it into the works. We'll be in prayer about it.

Family Snapshots

This year has been J\*'s first year of homeschool. A\* views it as a special event, and so she loves to participate with them as much as she's able to. J\*



has started learning to read, and he has made fast progress. As a perk, he got to pick out his very own Bible for when he finishes his course.

S\* got to make two trips down to Maryland in Feb. to celebrate and attend her sisters wedding. That gave the kids and I a chance to get caught up on our microwavable cuisines.

I got to go up to Northern Michigan for a family men's ice fishing trip. Lately I've been put to the task of restoring my dad's bass boat after several years of rain and snow damage. My dad really wants to take all the grand kids out fishing now and again this year.

We were asked by my old youth pastor, now lead

pastor, if we were interested in hosting a young married life group. It sounds like a great ministry that we will look forward to and pray about.



- For our marriage and parenting.
- For strong faith through the support raising process.
- For God's direction in raising support.
- For a safe trip to Wyoming in May.
- For our potential ministry to the young marrieds.
- For God to prepare us for the mission field.

God Bless, The N\* Family

\*We use discretion due to the sensitivity of the field we are headed to.