

Back in July we were looking into moving to Pennsylvania to continue raising support. We found a church who agreed to rent their missionary housing to us for the summer, but because of certain circumstances it became unavailable to us. Despite this setback, we decided to proceed in faith with the move as scheduled and look for a place to stay longterm while visiting family. So we packed everything up into totes and made the 600 mile trip on June 6th. We decided that if God didn't provide a place by the end of our visit, then we would pack everything back up and move back to Michigan. Three quarters of the way through our visit, a dear friend of ours spoke to her pastor about us. She asked if they had anything available for us. The pastor knew of someone in the congregation who has various properties he likes to make available for ministry purposes. We got in contact with the gentleman, and he said he had one place that was currently available. Praise God for the direction and provision!

We have been greatly encouraged here in Pennsylvania by people's enthusiasm and interest to reach the 99% of unsaved nationals. I don't think I've ever shared our approach to support raising in a newsletter. Our perspective is that God has people and churches whom He is calling to partner in this mission of His. We move forward in faith that He directs-



A Nonconventional way of moving, but it worked and saved a lot of money. This is the end of our 600 mile trip. and guides matters in His own way and timing, and much like Ex. 25:1-2: "The Lord said to Moses, 'Tell the Israelites to bring me an offering. You are to receive the offering for me from everyone whose heart prompts them to give," God moves in peoples hearts for this mission. There was a church we visited one Sunday morning where after the service, the gentleman sitting behind us engaged us in conversation. After telling him about our work overseas, his heart was so stirred that he reached out to some of his contacts on our behalf. God's been providentially at work in several encounters through various circumstances. Through one such encounter, we were told about a lady who works at a Christian organization that gives loans to Christians in third world countries to start businesses. We met her and it turned out that she was an old friend of ours. There are too many stories to tell here. Just know that as we continue to see God lay the ground work, we will continue to walk forward in faith. He will provide. Thank you friends for sticking with us through this. There is great joy set on the other side.



According to the World Wildlife Federation, this country is home to the world's second largest population of snow leopards, also known as the ghost of the mountains.

## James 1:1

Dear brothers and sisters. consider it pure joy when you fall from your bicycle and break your ribs. That's been my trial lately. Yup, I've been spending time recovering, but that's not all. Our daughter also may have broken a bone. She was swinging on a swing set, then jumped off and broke her fall and arm at the same time. Please be in prayer for healing and finances. Needless to say, I haven't been able to work while at the same time we've had hospital bills coming in during a time where we have lost supporters for the mission. But if our faith is to be tested, we will be joyful. I don't want anyone reading this to worry. I know that I need to tell you all this because you want to know how to pray for us. The good news is that God is a compassionate provider. My wife signed up for a company to shop and deliver groceries now and again. Also, the man who owns the house we are living in is helping out by not charging us rent. So praise God! To add to that, we have been volunteering at a Christian organization that processes and delivers donated food to those in need. They in turn give us vouchers to shop there for food at 60 cents per pound. Praise God again! Trials are no match for our Heavenly Father.



## Help Wanted

The pastor of the church we work with overseas is Pastor U--we try not to identify anyone in our letters posted online]. He accepted Jesus in the earliest days of when the Gospel was first preached there. His heart was broken for his countrymen whom were living without God, so he started the church of which he continues to this day to lead. He told me recently that he has decided to take a break from pastoring. He has two other jobs and has been stretched thin for many years. This country is truly a place where the harvest is plentiful with few workers, and something I constantly tell people is how hard it is to fill church leadership roles there. Pastor U—- has been pleading for help for a long time now. Please pray for more workers to be sent to the 99% of people there who are still unsaved. Please pray for God to make a way for us to get back.



Please be in prayer

For Pastor U—- as he gets rest and transitions in ministry

For us to get back overseas

For more workers in this country

For the rest of the funds needed for the fair-trade business

For healing bones and medical expenses

For our monthly financial support, we are at 57% now

Praise God

For providing housing and basic necessities

For providing a way forward

For providing more partners in ministry



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