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# ONE HEART AT A TIME

Mitch's Newsletter

## What's Happening Now

I work full time to try to prepare for church planting in the future. I am working as a Behavior Tech with Autistic children. The job has been difficult as I don't agree with a lot of modern-day psychology but, I have had a good time getting to know my co-workers and telling them who Christ is. Most of them are either atheist or Mormon. I also have been serving at Alpine Bible Church as a greeter. Another thing that has been taking up my time is my phone ministry. I call young men my age and encourage them to keep on serving Christ. I have been involved in a men's group at Fellowship Bible Church every Wednesday, and I have found that to be really helpful to my walk with God. In my free time I have been pursuing a relationship with Alayna which has been a good time.



The BMW Field Conference



My good buddy Jonas and I at the food pantry

## What's Old

- I Started a dating relationship with Alyana Smith back in August.
- I found a job!
- I have had multiple of my friends over to show them the need in Utah.
- I went to two different Church planting conferences in the last month.
- I also have started getting involved in a young adult group ministry.



I went fishing after work and then found a friend



## What's the plan?

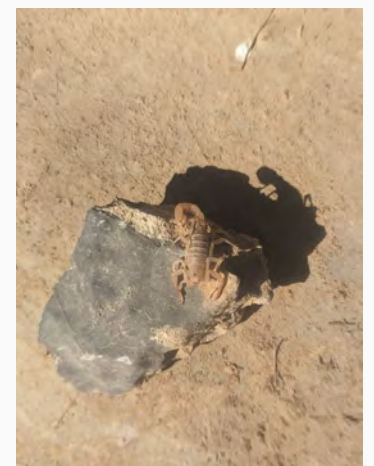
I am looking to raise funds to start a Church this next fall Lord willing. I am currently focused on raising more support and being involved at Alpine Bible Church. I'm also trying to spend time in personal growth. I have noticed a lack of self control when it comes to time management. I have been using different schedule apps to help me stay focused. I am planning the Frontier School of the Bible Utah trip. One thing that I am trying to understand is how to reach the college age people in Saratoga, as that is most of the population.



A picture of my girlfriend, Alayna. I took her out to a Sushi place that I enjoy in Saratoga Springs. She grew up in Idaho and loves to go on fun adventures we me.



A picture of Saratoga Springs High School football with a pastor friend



Who knew I had scorpions in the neighboring mountains.



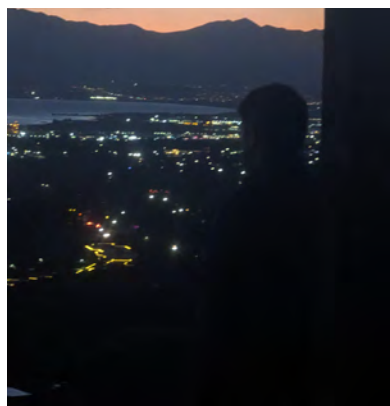


## Prayer

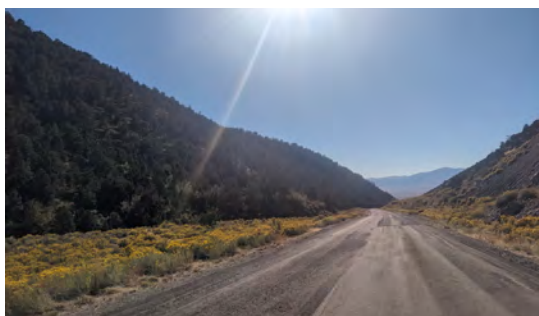
# What God's Been Teaching Me

God has been teaching me allot as I continue to know Him. One thing He has taught me is to be is a humble servant. I have been reading in Galatians and Ephesians about what it means to be a Christ like leader. God has been taking me step by step through what I need to work on. One thing I noticed is that I need to be content. I struggle with being a church planter without a team. I sometimes struggle with the obstacles Utah brings. I'm hopeful to see what God will do with my heart for lost souls in Saratoga Springs Utah.

- For my unsaved friends: Spencer, Adrion, and AJ.
- For my Job God gave me. That I would witness to my coworkers.
- That I would continually stay in the Word.
- That my identity would be in Christ and not living the "American Dream".
- For "The Team" to be used of God in the different church plants.
- Prayer for connections in Utah.
- For financial support as I am in need of support.
- For wisdom as I find a team.
- For my fight to be pure with my eyes, speech, and heart.
- For my many meetings with God's people.
- For the new long-distance relationship I am in.



a night hike with my friend



a mining cannon I went hiking in

# HOW TO SUPPORT FINANCIALLY?

## Why Financial Support?

In short, working in Utah part time does not pay the bills. God has blessed me with a healthy body to work to supply the financial needs, but I would rather use that time to build relationships and show people who God is. I really look at finances like Paul does. (Philippians 4: 11-13 Not that I am speaking of being in need, for I have learned in whatever situation I am to be content. 12. I know how to be brought low, and I know how to abound. In any and every circumstance, I have learned the secret of facing plenty and hunger, abundance and need. 13. I can do all things through Him who strengthens me.) I am still learning how to be content, but God's provision has always been just right for me. **If you would like to bless me through prayer or finances, I would appreciate both. I am in need of more finances, as living expenses in Utah are on the rise.**

## TO SUPPORT ONLINE

Go to [this link](#)\* then click on the green "Support the Saratoga Project" button. It will take you to my profile where you can give.

## Thank You!

Honestly, I have really appreciated all the prayers and giving. I have been encouraged by the people who I found out are on their knees praying or are giving me little gifts to encourage me. God has used you, and if you ever want to talk my number is (989)-948-2939.

## How much?

My goal is to reach at least \$1500 a month. Right now, I am sitting at \$350 a month.

## TO SUPPORT VIA CHECK

Address the checks to Tentmakers Bible Mission. Do not address checks to me because if you do you will not get a tax deduction. Under the memo section write the **Saratoga Project**. You can put my name on a sticky note, but please do not write it on the check. Also please do not send cash.

\*This is the URL for link:

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