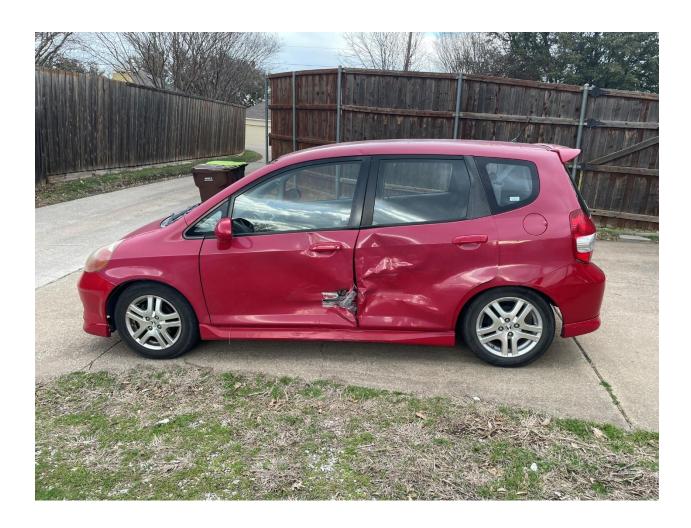


## **Spring Update**

# From Discouragement to Encouragement



A little over a month ago Allyson and the boys were T-Boned while on their way to a Spanish lesson. Everyone was quite shaken up by the crash. Judah still talks about it frequently and tells us "drive safe!" when we get into the car. Tiago was only two months old when it

happened, so we are thankful that the impact was not on his side of the car. Thankfully, the boys are completely fine and didn't even get a scratch.

Allyson has been dealing with back pain since the accident. An MRI revealed a disc herniation in her lower back as well as a sprain in her neck.

Unfortunately, there is not much to be done about a herniated disc besides physical therapy and if necessary, steroid shots. Allyson has been going to physical therapy 3x a week since the accident. Please pray for healing for her.

Although we were very discouraged from the accident and a sticky situation with the other driver's insurance, we have seen God provide through it all.

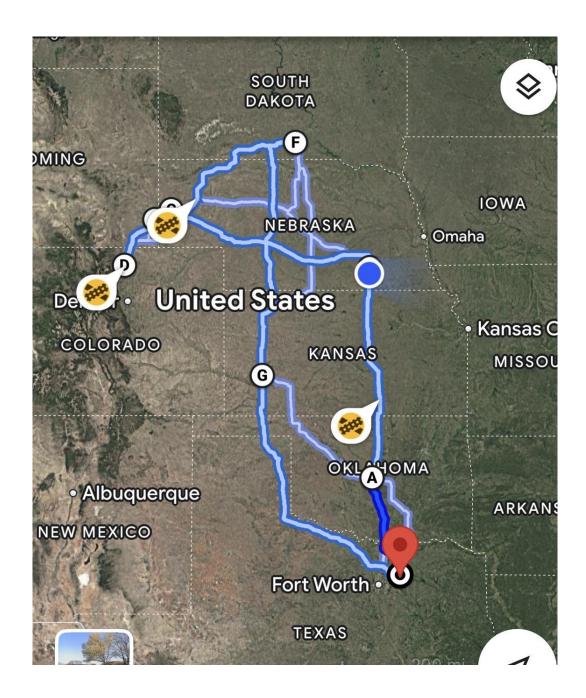
Friends came to pick Allyson and the boys up from where they were stuck and provided two new car seats that same day.

Another friend from church has been holding onto an extra vehicle for reasons unknown to them. When they heard we needed a new car they quickly offered their car to us. They told us, "we didn't know why God was having us hold onto it, but He was saving it for you."

Wow. We are just amazed and humbled at how God continues to provide abundantly through his church.

We were also needing to sell that vehicle before leaving for Peru, so that cut out one step for us! Plus we probably got more for it from insurance than we would have selling it.

### One Month on the Road



We are currently a few days into our one-month Team Building trip. We will be visiting churches in Scottsbluff, Nebraska; Fort Collins, Colorado; and Winner, South Dakota.

Our goal is to share the burden God has given us with as many churches as we can before we leave. That way, we can have as many people praying for us as possible.



Hoping we stay all-smiles the rest of the road trip!

### **Current Funding/Timeline**

We are currently at 40% of our monthly budget of \$3,700. For our one-time outgoing budget of \$25,000, we are at 50%.

Our goal is to be at least 80-90% funded before we leave for the mission field. With that being said, our goal is to be in Perú by mid-October of 2025. We will keep you all updated on if that will be possible.

If you would like to partner with us, here is a link to our TBM profile.

TBM PROFILE

### **Prayer Requests**

- Pray for Allyson's back to heal. If not, that she would be at peace and that it would not affect her day-to-day life as much.
- Praise that we have seen how God cares for us in difficult circumstances.
- Pray for a fruitful trip and that we would present the ministry God has given us well.
- Pray for the boys, especially Judah, as we are spending many hours in the car. Pray that he would have endurance and patience. Pray that we would be patient and gentle with him throughout this trip as well.

#### **Just For Fun**



Car rides are exhausting!





**Exploring in Scottsbluff** 



Thanks for reading!