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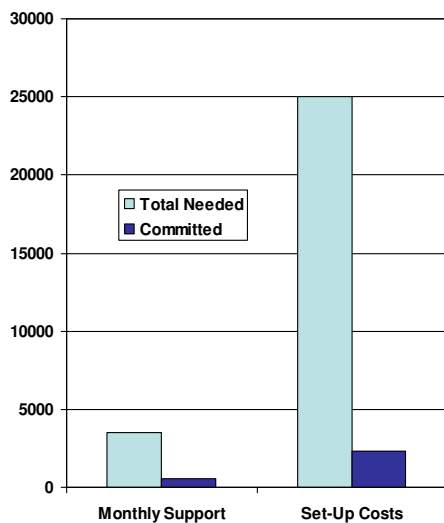
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“The Lord is Our Banner”

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Praise God!

- God has been our peace throughout the changes. Jehovah-Shalom.
- We completed 3 of our PDP requirements this past month. Whew!
- We have begun support raising efforts and have received some gifts into our account including partners who are now supporting us monthly!
- Keith and Dawn were on the radio, WJTL, sharing about Mexico.
- God provided a temporary home for our dog with the Lohr family and he is happy there.
- Kara started classes at LBC and was reunited with a special friend during orientation.
- Danielle continues to have OT at work to help with wedding and future school/living expenses
- God has blessed the work of Keith's hands at Elexio and Tyler's feet on the soccer field!
- We are in contact with a few churches to see if they will join us in this ministry. We were just given a list of many other contacts to pursue!
- Another Bible study has started in Puebla!



2 Graduations, 2 Moves, and More

2006-the year of change

Change-to become different; alter, vary; to pass from one phase to another; to put on other clothes; to leave one place and go to another; the absence of monotony; variety. In what ways have you experienced change this past year? Hopefully we have become different by looking less like ourselves and more like Jesus Christ.

Our family has passed from the phase of homeschooling with Dawn being at home and “normal” family nights around the dinner table to a phase of having 2 adult children living with us with different work schedules and Tyler being in school.

We have changed into “missionary” clothing and are trying to make the needed alterations as we are aware of them. Most of the alterations are in the heart.

We have left an inner city home of 20 years to live with good friends for a few weeks, then left there to live in a fully-furnished 3 BR apartment for missionaries which is located in a very peaceful area of Willow Street. God came with us.

Danielle graduated in May and got engaged in June. Kara graduated from HS in June. Tyler gave up his city paper route and transitioned in to school this past fall. Keith's office moved to E-Town while we were at Candidate Orientation with Crossworld the last 2 weeks of June. Dawn began working PT in Oct as a companion to an elderly woman. Do you see any monotony here? Praise God, He never changes!

Cedarville Graduation Day May 2006:



JAMES 1:22 *But be ye doers of the word, and not hearers only, deluding your own selves.*

Free “movie” tickets available

We have mailed out 75 postcard invitations to potential financial and prayer supporters asking them (you) to come to a see our powerpoint presentation of what we have done, what we plan to do and most importantly what God has done and is doing in Puebla. These evenings are scheduled for January 29, 30, 31 and February 8, 9 and 10. They will be held here at Wycliffe Village in the basement of the building across the street from us. We are very grateful to be able to use this room free of charge! Coffee and snacks will be served...starting time is 7 pm. Feel free to contact us if you would like to come and have not yet received an invite...consider this your invitation. We will be asking people to commit to partnering with us and the Lord in this ministry.

Pray the Lord of the Harvest will send forth workers

Prayer is foundational, and we continue to need others to partner with us and lift our ‘arms’. We are encouraged by the response we have received already. Those of you who are intending to partner with us financially, and committing to a monthly amount would help us a lot if you would let Crossworld know by designating that on a giving envelope.

As the graph on the front shows, we have a need of about \$3,500 in monthly commitments, and have received over \$500 toward that goal as of 12-31-06. We were also very encouraged when we received our December report on the 19th of January, and saw that \$2,350 in gifts came in that month, toward the \$25,000 needed by July. Praise God! And Thank you to those of you that have been so prompt in responding.

Please take the enclosed envelope and ask the Lord if He would have you begin partnering with us in this ministry now. Please feel free to contact us via phone or email. 717.295.4748 or the ‘contact us’ page at www.lifebytheword.net .

With our love, asking the Lord’s blessing on you,

The Goodlings

Keith, Dawn, Danielle, Kara and Tyler

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Specific Prayer Requests:

- DILIGENCE TO COMPLETE ALL OF OUR ASSIGNMENTS CALLED OUR “PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN” (PDP). WE HAVE ABOUT 8 BOOKS TO READ, 2 PAPERS AND A 10 PAGE REPORT TO WRITE YET...OVERWHELMING AT TIMES!
- PRAY FOR THESE PRESENTATIONS WE ARE DOING AND FAVOR WITH CHURCHES, BUSINESSMEN AND INDIVIDUALS FOR FINANCIAL SUPPORT.
- TIME MANAGEMENT FOR US -WORKING, SUPPORT RAISING, FAMILY TIME, PDP REQUIREMENTS
- TO SEE FRUIT FROM OUR TIME ON THE RADIO
- FAITHFUL PRAYER PARTNERS NEEDED
- DEBT ELIMINATION – GOD’S FAVOR ON THE WORK OF KEITHS HANDS. ASKING FOR THIS TO BE ACCOMPLISHED BY APRIL WHICH WOULD TOTALLY BE A “GOD THING”!
- A NEWER VAN FUND TO BE ESTABLISHED
- FINANCIAL SUPPORT- BOTH MONTHLY COMMITMENTS AND BUILDING UP OF ‘SET-UP’ FUNDS
- TYLER-TO TRUST GOD WITH HIS LIFE.
- KARA’S COLLEGE DECISION FOR FALL 2007
- WEDDING PLANS AND PROVISION FOR DANIELLE AND GEOFF (HER FIANCE)—JUNE 2007
- “ADVOCATES” NEEDED TO RAISE THE LEVEL OF AWARENESS OF MINISTRY NEEDS

WHEN ARE WE LEAVING?

WE ARE PREPARING FOR AN AUGUST DEPARTURE, WHY? WELL....WE MUST MOVE FROM OUR APT. THE END OF JUNE AND ARE SCHEDULED FOR 5 WEEKS OF TRAINING STARTING JUNE 24. GOD WILL CERTAINLY PROVIDE OTHER HOUSING IF HE DOES NOT PROVIDE THE MONEY “TO GO”. WE KEEP WALKING FORWARD IN FAITH AS WE WAIT ON HIS PERFECT TIMING.

Psalm 67:2-3

**That thy way may be known upon the earth,
thy saving health among all nations. Let the
people praise thee, oh God; let all the people
praise thee.**