

Update Letter

From the Lemon Family

Missionaries to the People of South Korea and Beyond!



Hello from Korea,

July-September 2017

A look back at the summer

The summer months are always quite warm here, but with that, there are many people out and about. This provides for a great chance to get out the gospel. This summer we were able to get out more than 1000 tracts. This might not seem like a lot but daily evangelism here in Korea is about getting the gospel into the hands of some of the busiest people, in one of the world's fastest paced societies. Over the years, we have been blessed to be able to get into ministries such as the Korean prison system and Korean Military as they are actually still for long enough to share the whole plan of salvation. We have seen more saved through these ministries by far than trying to slip the gospel into the rushing river of the Korean lifestyle. Please pray for the missionaries here as we all face this difficulty.

Our "Beyond Ministry"

Since our first prayer card printing in 2005, we have always had the ministry slogan something like, "To the people of Korea...and Beyond." Over the years this has been accomplished in many different ways but always as directed by the Lord, to "whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord", locally and "beyond". Recently Joseph has surrendered to God's call to missions. This past summer he had the opportunity to travel with another missionary up north to assist in helping Korean people not from the south. It was a tremendous eye-opening trip. Kristin, Abigail and I were able to travel as well to assist another missionary who was moving to a boarder city in China where that will continue to reach out to these same Korean people. We had a Baptism service in a huge hotel bath tub, also questioning for a man who was then ordained a few weeks later. It was a tremendous blessing to be on the council for a Korean man called to return to his own people up north. This represents dedication and sacrifice many people cannot even comprehend.

Our return to America

We have been praying and planning for some time now to return on furlough. God provided a great price on tickets for this November. We will spend time with family for the holidays and begin traveling sometime in January. Please pray for God's specific planning and direction so that we can be as efficient as possible.

Thank you all once again for standing by our side through your prayer and support for us here in Korea and beyond,
Joe, Kristin, Abigail, Joseph Jr., Jonathan, Vivian, Joshua, Jonah, and Jesse

Sending Church: Independent Baptist Church of Anchorage, www.ibca-alaska.org

• Pastor Terry McGovern •

Mission Agency: Fundamental Baptist World-Wide Mission, www.fbwwm.org

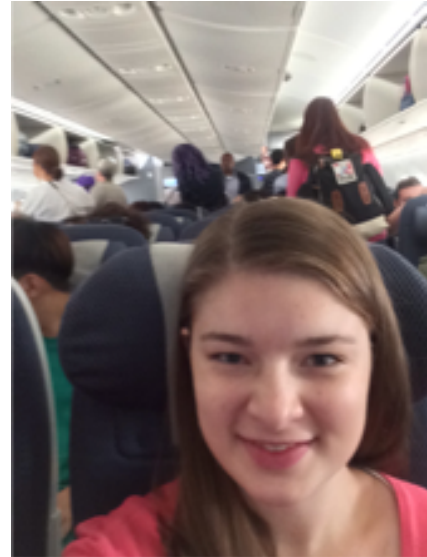
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Family activity pictures



Jonathan made a couple benches for around the fire pit. And "Kal" our Korean Jindo



Abigail off to London for her senior trip!



London 2017



Interesting creatures my wife and I found during our walk in the beach.



← Graciously gifted a night at the Marriott Hotel with a great meal.

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Joshua finds more creatures!!



We made a farmhouse style table out of a repurposed 80-year-old Buddhist Pagoda.



Cordon Blue Cooking School.



Children's Day swan boat ride



Missionary meal...
Just a great time with God's servants

Million Dollar smiles, almost...
Braces finally off →



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Wonderful couples banquet. Very much a help as always!!



← Korean kumdo lessons
from the Neurologist in our church.



Small roofing job→

Joseph's second missionary journey!



Market shopping!!

Sister time over a little Thai food.



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Trip to the local
Army Post!!



Not our favorite place to eat??



Beautiful yearly cosmos.



← Comforts of home??????

Pro bowler... maybe not yet→

