



The Kirkmans

Missionaries to The State of Utah

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Dear Faithful Supporters & Praying Friends,

It is hard to believe that we are heading into March of 2020! I hope your year has started off well and that much has been accomplished for the work of the Lord! The winters are hard here and the weight of the gloomy days has great affects on people here in Utah. By God's grace, we have continued through our 6th winter here being busy about the Father's business.

The last several months have been filled with challenges and trials. We preachers preach that there will be adversity when doing the work of the Lord. We often state that when one begins to live or do a work for God, Satan is around the corner to discourage and detour if allowed! Easy to preach, hard to live and experience! Please keep us in your prayers for we know we are victors in Christ, but we also need God's grace and strength to endure!

The year started with a baptism of a lady whom my wife led to the Lord last year in 2019. We have watched God work in her life and her kids' lives as well. She has faced a lot of trials with addictions but is learning through discipleship, preaching, and faithfulness that God is her strength and she has overcome great obstacles through Christ!

We are excited to announce that the Allen Davis Family has joined Mt. Logan Baptist Church and we have the great privilege of being their sending church as they plant a church in the Salt Lake area. The Davis Family had been long time members of Lighthouse Baptist Church in Seagrove, N.C. Their Pastor, Michal Poindexter, thought it would be best for them to join with us and send them out. Through much prayer and counsel, we all agreed and moved forward. There will be great benefits being so close to one another and we can provide help in many areas as they plant the church. Pray for them as they finish up some deputation and make their way here to Utah in the near future.

The family is doing well and growing! Shaylee just turned 17 and Teeter turned 13. Maleeya will turn 15 in April and Aundrea and I are still in our 20's.... in our minds anyway! I am proud of my family and their involvement in the ministry. I have watched them get hurt, but still love on those who hurt them. I have watched them get criticized, but keep on serving anyway! I am thankful for a committed family and pray we keep the right spirit toward those that Christ died for!

Last of all, I want to mention Vision Week coming up June 29th-July 3rd. This will be an exciting week of preaching and teaching. Our focus is to prepare those who feel led to church plant. There will be dynamic preaching in the evenings and practical teaching from experienced church planters and pastors in the daytime. We will be feeding meals, taking survey trips, and engaging in practical ministry during this week of meeting. If you are interested in coming, please contact me at 704-791-7360. I will answer any questions you may have. Please keep this meeting in your prayers. We are asking God to do great things during these days as we endeavor to see more churches planted here in the West! You are a blessing to this family and only eternity will tell what impact you have made in the Intermountain West!

Because of Christ,

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