

THE VALLES FAMILY

MISSIONARIES TO THE TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS

*Let them give glory unto the Lord,
and declare his praise in the islands.*

Isaiah 42:12

Abby Emily Paul Amy Sadie

Dear Friends and Family,

August 2017

Since our last prayer letter, we have had meetings in Florida and Georgia. Currently, we are at 83% of our needed support, and our projected goal is to be on the field by January 2018. Recently, we have started to transition into the process of moving to the islands. I have had some pastors ask about some of the costs that we need in order to move. I came up with the following list of things that we are asking God to provide.

1. Obtaining our work permits: \$2000
2. Shipping the 20' container to Miami - (\$1500) and then to Providenciales, Turks and Caicos - (\$4000)
3. Duty/import fees – \$2000
4. Shipping the container from Providenciales to North Caicos – \$1000
5. Bibles to put in the barrels (desiring to bring at least 300 Bibles down initially), communion plates, offering plates, and around fifty hymnals - \$1000
6. Funds to purchase small personal items: diapers, clothes, food, etc... - \$500
7. funds to purchase larger items: moped, deep freezer, weed wacker, lawn mower - \$2000
8. Other unknown and unexpected fees - ??

Please pray with us that the Lord will provide all the funds and necessities so that we are able to move this upcoming January. We praise the Lord for the \$2000 He has already graciously provided..

Recently, I had the privilege of sharing the Gospel with Junior and Shamona. While talking to Shamona I asked her what she would tell Jesus when she stands before him after she dies. Her response was (in these words) "I think it's silly, but I don't deserve to go to Heaven". I shared the whole Gospel with her, gladly telling her that no one deserves to go to Heaven, but that Jesus died for all our sins, so we can go to Heaven, even though we are undeserving of His grace and forgiveness. Although, neither Shamona nor Junior accepted Christ that day, we are still praying that they will understand their need of a Saviour and trust Him before it's too late. What a great reminder that even though none of us deserve Heaven or a relationship with a holy God, He offers salvation to all mankind because of Jesus' death on the cross as a payment for our sin.

Family News:

1. Emily turned two years old this past July
2. Amy and I recently celebrated our fifth wedding anniversary a few days ago (early August).

Prayer Requests:

1. God would provide all the necessary funds and supplies for us to be able to move in January 2018
2. 100% of our support to be raised by December 2017
3. The people of Turks and Caicos to be receptive to the Gospel and grow in Christ

In Christ,

Paul, Amy, Abby, Emily, and Sadie Valles

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