



The Rongione Family

MISSIONARIES TO WALES



August 2020

Dear Pastors, Churches, and Friends,

The latter part of Psalm 81:10 says, "Open thy mouth wide, and I will fill it." We have certainly seen this promise fulfilled in the past month. God has poured out blessing upon blessing, and our cups are truly overflowing.

In the midst of lockdowns, social distancing, and so much uncertainty, God has allowed us to raise our support by 8% in just the past few weeks. We are currently at 44% of our needed support, and we're overwhelmed by God's goodness.

Over the past month, we've literally traveled coast to coast, with meetings in Florida, South Carolina, Georgia, Texas and California. We've covered over 4,000 miles, seen several beauties of God's creation that words cannot describe, and witnessed pastors and churches standing up for what is right despite persecution from the government. Our environments have ranged from swamps to deserts, from 8,500-foot-high mountain passes to the lowest of valleys, and from temperatures hitting 118 degrees to temperatures as low as 45 degrees. It's been a struggle to keep up with what time it is as we've floated back and forth across time zones, which makes us even more grateful for smart phones. Overall, it's been an exciting month!

In addition to attending meetings and conferences, we've had the privilege of helping out around some of the churches, going on visitation with some of the pastors, teaching Sunday school classes, catching up with fellow missionaries, and doing a little sight-seeing. The Lord is keeping us busy, and we know that every step of the way, He is preparing us for the work He has called us to do in Wales.

God has also blessed in filling up our calendar. Between now and our scheduled trip to Wales in April 2021, we only have about 20 open dates left. God has graciously provided meetings all across the country and has opened doors in such a miraculous way. We are excited to see what He's doing and have faith He will bring in all our needed support in time for our trip next spring.

That being the case, we have a lot of work ahead of us in the coming months as we prepare for our departure. We'll be looking into sponsorship for entering into the country of Wales, getting our visas, setting up a shipment for our

belongings, determining what to do with our motorhome, and all the other details we must get in order. We are also working with the Downeys to set up activities for the spring/summer of 2021, particularly in the area of youth camps and VBS programs. It's thrilling to be getting closer to our goal, but we know we need your prayers now more than ever. Please continue to pray for our health, strength, guidance, finances, and open doors to share the love of Christ and to be an encouragement to all we meet.

God bless you, and our prayers are with you!

In Christ's Hand,
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