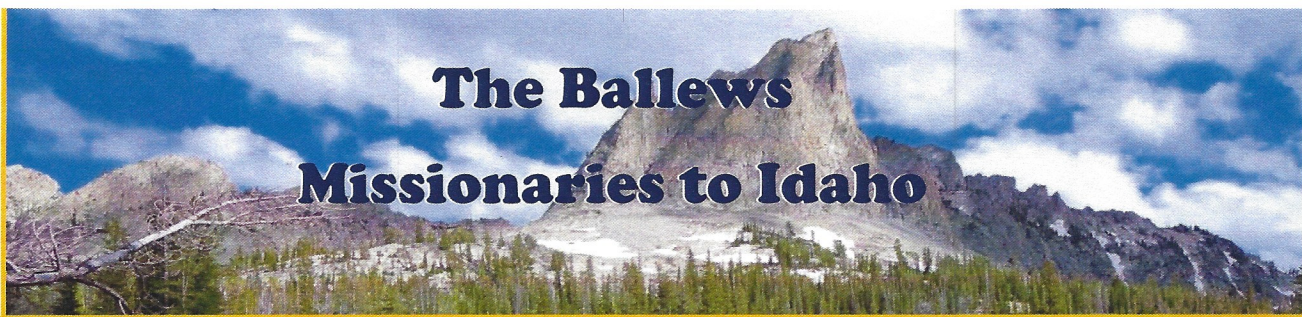




# The Ballews

## Missionaries to Idaho



November and December Prayer Letter

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### **Going to the other side of our country for Christ**

*Matthew 14:22  
And straightway  
Jesus constrained his  
disciples to get into a  
ship, and to go  
before him unto the  
other side while he  
sent the multitudes  
away.*



Dear Pastor, and praying friends,

2 Thessalonians 3:1 Finally, brethren, pray for us, that the word of the Lord may have free course, and be glorified, even as it is with you:

Our heart's desire is that we can be a blessing to every church the Lord gives us the privilege to be in. We do not ever want to take for granted the calling that God has placed upon our lives to serve Him. I often find my self amazed at the fact that God has called our little family to the mission field, and that He has chosen to use us to plant churches in the state of Idaho.

Our prayer for every church we enter is that the Lord would be glorified with the life of the people of that church, and we ask that you would pray the same for us. Let us all pray for each other, and practice in our life that the Lord would "have free course" to do as He sees fit in and through us.

#### • **MINISTRY**

We are now at 13.25% in promised support. We have been in eight states since our last prayer letter.

God has blessed us to safely travel over 7,000 miles in the last two months, and have over 2,500 more scheduled in the next two weeks.

In our last letter I mentioned that our truck we use to pull the camper had some things that needed to be done to it. We had some of those funds come in and have been able to do a couple of things. We do still need about \$1,500. *If you would like to give towards this need you can send a check to the Macedonia Mission address and in the memo, write "truck repair."*

#### • **FAMILY**

In the last letter I had asked that you pray for my Mom, as she was battling cancer and seemed to be nearing the end of her life. She went Home to be with Lord on October 19<sup>th</sup>. At her funeral service I had the opportunity to preach to a lot of my lost family members, and God gave me the liberty to preach strong on salvation. There was strong conviction in the service, and two people raised their hand that they needed the Lord, but no one moved that day. Please pray that the service and the conviction will continue to be present in the lives.

The workers compensation company has continued to delay things in regard to my shoulder, and the surgery has now been postponed for the second time. This is causing problems for scheduling because after the surgery I will have to be off the road for about six weeks for physical therapy. Please pray that this will be resolved sooner rather than later.

#### **Things to help us pray about:**

- **Our calendar will continue to fill with meetings and raise support quickly**
- **Safety as we travel**
- **Caleb's shoulder and quick resolution of the Workers Compensation situation**

Thankful To Be His Servants,  
**The Ballew Family**

Caleb, Tracy, Alex, Isaiah, Elijah, and Mattie  
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