## The Talley Family

Church Planting in Königs Wusterhausen, Germany



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Dear Prayer Partners,

Writing prayer letters during furlough is sometimes difficult, as there is normally less to report, but this furlough has been busy with meetings, travel, family, and business that had to be taken care of, leaving little time to catch our breath. However, the Lord intervened with an ice storm shutting us in for a week. Our Wednesday night meeting that week was rescheduled for the following week, when it was again cancelled due to flooding. The NEXT TWO MONTHS, WE WILL BE VISITING MORE CHURCHES before returning to our daughter's to spend a few days with her and the grandkids before flying back to Germany.

Part of our travel here included meeting with William Brawley, an Ambassador student who is PLANNING TO DO AN INTERNSHIP WITH US THIS SUMMER. William believes God has called him to Germany and will be coming to gain practical experience that will help him in his future ministry. Pray that God will provide him with the funds needed for this trip.

We have found time during our furlough to watch the livestream of our services in Germany. Two of our young men were an encouragement to us as they brought messages from God's Word. Several of the ladies have helped out with teaching the children and playing the piano for services. The young man Michael baptized in October is producing the livestream each week. Our prayer is THAT THE EXPERIENCE THEY ARE GAINING IN OUR ABSENCE WILL LEAD TO THEM TAKING ON MORE RESPONSIBILITIES WHEN WE RETURN. Jim and Myra Wright, furlough replacement missionaries, are also helping out for a few weeks.

In November, we were able to take a missions trip to Edinburgh, Scottland, to help the Shore family with THE RENOVATION OF A FORMER BAR THAT IS NOW A CHURCH. Michael helped paint the ceiling of the auditorium, and Marsha helped paint in other areas as needed. It was encouraging for us to see what God is doing in that ministry.

Thank you for your faithful prayers and support!

In Christ.

Michael and Marsha Talley

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