

*-Greetings from the **Grove Family** to **New Zealand!***

*And it shall come to pass, that before they call, I will answer; and while they are yet speaking, I will hear.
Isaiah 65:24*

We have seen God do just as He said He would do in Isaiah's time, as we have prepared for the move to Ashburton, New Zealand. We have been here almost two weeks now! We may not have many belongings in our house, in fact, not much of anything is ours! But the people of Victory Baptist Church have been gracious to help us with all the necessities for survival until our container arrives! **Please pray for the MSC Monterey** as she sails somewhere between New York and Charleston, headed for Port Lyttelton, Christchurch, New Zealand - **carrying all our belongings and over 10,000 copies of John/Romans** to distribute to the lost souls of these Islands.

We are grateful for the opportunity we had to come for a short term earlier this year. It has made our return much easier. The church family was anxious to have us back, we were anxious to get here to continue to see God grow the work, and we do not have the long adjustment period! We miss our family back in the States, but we now have family here, and we finally have a place to call home for more than a few days or weeks! John and Kelly, though thousands of miles away, are just a Skype call away! We have already given our families a "skype tour" of the house and gardens, but if you find us on skype and we are at home, we would be glad to give you a "tour" of what God has provided.

We are excited about the opportunities for the ministry and outreach that the Lord is providing. We will be making contact with the public intermediate school administrator to try to get in for "Bibles in Schools" once a week. This school has not previously permitted the program, but they have a new administrator and **we are praying for an opening**. Of course we now have many new neighbors! Stephen has had an opportunity to meet several young children on our street - we look forward to reporting souls saved! We have taken the step of faith to be where we know God wants us! Now it is time to get to work and see what God can do through us!

On our way to Ashburton, New Zealand



Praise the Lord for:

- 86% of our support and climbing!
- Thousands of miles of safe travels!
- Continued good health.
- A home, large enough to meet for Bible Studies and enough yard for a garden to cut grocery costs.

Please pray for:

- More churches to join our support team. We are praying God will provide through some of the churches which expressed an interest in supporting us.
- John and Kelly as they continue at Bob Jones University (John is in the Diesel Auto. and Business Management program, Kelly in the Cosmetology program.)
- A few names to plead before God for salvation: Kylie, Brian, Eileen, Frank and Belle, and Betty

Thank you for your continued prayers and financial support!

May God Bless you all as you continue to serve Him!

Serving together with you!

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