

Dear Pastor and Church Family,

We would like to thank you for your prayer and support. We are in the first 3 months of deputation and already the Lord is blessing and answering prayers. Three churches have partnered with us in our journey to plant churches in Guyana, South America. It is exciting to see how the Lord is providing as we travel.

Vashtee's pregnancy with Joshua Jr. is progressing well and we are expecting him to arrive within the first two weeks of January. Mercy Joy has learned to walk and is close to learning to talk in sentences. Baby Joshua is very active doing somersaults, awaiting his time to be born.

Please continue to pray for our safety in traveling. We were preparing to head to Virginia this past week, and the mechanic noticed the tires were worn and needing to be changed. We went to have the tires changed and the tire store gave a 10% discount when we went to pay for the tires. Praise the Lord for how He looks out for us and then provides a discount as well. God is good all the time!

In December 2012, we are looking forward to presenting our burden to Guyana, at Love Valley Baptist Church with Pastor Barry Philbeck. It looks like we might be able to be on full time deputation by the end of March 2013. Glory!!! We would like to wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and a great and Happy New Year!

Servants of the Lord,

Joshua Rhoades and Family, Colossians 3:15