

# THE RHOADES

MISSIONARIES TO GUYANA, SOUTH AMERICA

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*“God had an only Son  
and He made Him a missionary.”*

David Livingstone

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Dear Friends and Family,

February 2013



The past two months have been a combination of preparation and praise. My wife gave birth by C-section to Joshua Fetter Rhoades on January 9<sup>th</sup>. He weighed 6 pounds and 15 ounces. Momma is healing well, and Josh Jr. is growing very healthy!

The Lord opened the door for us to present our calling to plant churches in Guyana at Tabernacle Baptist Church in Greenville, South Carolina. Dr. Aiken is a tremendous pastor. They were all very giving and gracious to us. We are deeply grateful for their kindness to us.

We will be launching out into full time deputation February 24<sup>th</sup>! The Lord has opened the windows of Heaven, allowing us to have over twenty meetings scheduled when we step out full time!!! One pastor has even scheduled us to share in their missions conference for 2014! I have been



### Prayer Requests

- Wisdom with decision making on deputation
- To continue to exalt Christ with our testimonies
- To be at 100% of our support level by the end of 2014

### Praises

- Starting full time deputation
- Having over 20 meetings scheduled
- Safe delivery of Josh Jr. and Momma healing well
- Thankful for our salvation and the sustaining hand of God

greatly encouraged to see how the Lord is continuing to guide our steps. Thank you for your prayers for our family and for our goal to complete deputation by the end of 2014!

A servant of the Lord,  
Joshua, Vashtee, Mercy Joy, and Josh Jr.  
Acts 26:18

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