

The Talley Family

Church Planting in

Königs Wusterhausen, Germany



July 2021

Dear Prayer Partners,

With the onset of summer, the number of cases of corona in our region have went down considerably. As a result, some loosening of restrictions has taken place, and WE ARE ONCE AGAIN PERMITTED TO SING during church services, provided we keep a distance of two meters between people who are not of the same household. There are still other requirements in place, such as wearing mask when shopping or having a negative test to be allowed to eat indoors at a restaurant. There is talk of a vaccination mandate that has led to many fearing where such government overreach, in regard to freedom, might be headed.

We are still using a combination of in-person and virtual tools for Bibles studies and are distributing thousands of flyers advertising both in-person church service and the availability of live stream. Please pray that the remaining RESTRICTIONS WILL SOON BE LIFTED AS THE LACK OF FELLOWSHIP IS UNHEALTHY for us and the people with whom we are working.

On June the 20, we held a baptismal service outdoors at one of the local lakes. The number of people allowed to attend was still restricted, but we gathered around the shore for a service, including testimonies from the THREE YOUNG PEOPLE WHO WERE BAPTIZED. Among the crowd were also a few visitors. Pray that God will use the message and the testimonies they heard to open their hearts to the Gospel. That was also the first Sunday that we were allowed to sing in several months. Please pray for the spiritual growth of the three who were baptized as we are meeting with them two to three times a week for discipleship, Bible study, and a Bible doctrines course.

Please continue to pray for our son Joshua at Ambassador Baptist Church. He is now working a full-time job, but will still be taking some classes in the fall semester. Pray that God will give him the strength and the wisdom to keep up his studies with the limited available time for studies. John is planning to remain at home another year before returning to the states to study. Pray that he will be able to find a job so he can begin saving to help pay for his education. Elizabeth and her family have moved to Florida where her husband is stationed. We are thankful that they have found a good church there where they can continue to serve the Lord as they raise our three grandchildren.

We are planning a short furlough in the spring of 2022. We will not be able to visit all of our supporters during that time, but are in the process of contacting those that we will be able to visit. We have discovered that our contact information for many of our supporters is no longer valid as many have switched to cell phones or do not answer unless they recognize the number. It would help us if you could send us a short email including the best way or WAYS FOR US TO GET IN TOUCH WITH YOU. We appreciate your faithful prayers and support!

In Christ,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "The Talleys".

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