



The Dawson Family

Church-planting missionaries to Brisbane, Australia

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Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest. In 4:35

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Prayer requests:

- 1 Pray for direction in starting a new church.
- 2 Pray for adjustment for Bethany who is now in school.
- 3 Pray that God will give us boldness and effectiveness.

Thank you to all who helped us with our relocation expenses and who prayed for our safe travels as we left the States for the mission field of Australia. I am thankful to say that God provided for all that we needed through your help!

We, and all our belongings, arrived safely in Brisbane on July 4th. We were greeted and taken in by our sponsoring church here. We have been very busy with the church since we arrived. We have been given the responsibility of making home visits for the purpose of increasing the number of kids who come for youth meetings and for Sunday School. This includes visiting kids who already go to church here and also door knocking and letterboxing (see previous letter for the meaning of letterboxing). I have already had opportunities to meet parents and invite them to church and also to give them gospel tracts in prayerful hopes that their hearts might be open to the things of God. In addition to all this, I am responsible for every Wednesday night service at the church, giving us valuable insight and experience with the

Australian culture and people.

I have assumed the responsibility of discipling an El Salvadorian man named Alejandro. I call him Alex. Alex was recently saved and is growing daily in his Christian walk. Alex is representative of so many more multi-national Australians who have yet to hear the Good News.

We are committed to work with Fellowship Baptist Church for two years. In the meantime, we are already considering what opportunities God may have for us in planting a church. We were approached by a local Australian named Andrew Van Komen and his family about helping them start a new church. Please pray with us about this opportunity. What makes this an attractive prospect is that it would be a team approach to ministry and we would be working with an Australian national.

I had taken some pictures that I wanted to share but they are on someone else's mobile phone. I have not been able to get the pictures off the phone. There will be pictures in our next prayer letter.

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