

Kornbau 2015 Christmas Letter

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"I know the plans I have for you,' declares the Lord." Jer. 29:11

We would have never imagined what God had planned for us this year but His ways are always better than our own. I was "fighting" God on a heating system that I thought we needed to install. When I finally gave in to God on that, God showed me that he wanted us to go to Ireland. As many of you recall last August, Kelly & I went on vacation to Ireland and loved our time there. We were trying to figure out when we could get back to tour the country again. God had different plans for us. This fall I began feeling unrest in my heart and kept telling Kelly that I thought that God was getting ready to move us on. God began to work in our hearts separately this fall and began to give us a desire to leave the United States and become missionaries to Ireland.

We began to pray hard and seek wise counsel from friends and family members. God began to show us through the Bible, friends, circumstances, finances, and other means that He wanted us to go. So in early October, we applied to become missionaries with Bible Centered Ministries (BCM). We received approval in mid-November with BCM International and in December received our official invitation from BCM Ireland to go and serve with them. They have a great need for someone to oversee several children/youth Bible clubs, work in their camp ministry, and fill-in at local churches. We

are overwhelmed with God's peace and leading in our lives. This is not something that we sought but we cannot deny God's obvious call in our lives.

We hope to start deputation (raising funds) for BCM in February and to finish working with Child Evangelism Fellowship in Eastern PA, Inc. in the end of March. If you would like to be a part of our team either as a one time supporter or monthly supporter, please send it in directly to BCM specified towards our support account #17872-Kornbau. We will begin to send out email newsletters or if needed, mail newsletters. If you would like to sign up to receive these updates about us and the exciting ministry God has called us to, please let us know. If you want us to, we would love to meet with you and share what God is doing in our lives.

If you currently support us or pray for us, we are so very thankful for your prayers and gifts on our behalf. If you go to our new website it gives many options for receiving newsletters, donating, and more.

Love,

John, Kelly, Alyssa, Katelyn, Marcus, Ethan, Logan, and Micah Kornbau

