Dear Friends and Family, NEWSLETTER July-August 2024

We thank God for His continued blessings towards us as we continue on our missionary journey. Thank you so much for partnering with us and being a part of this journey.

The past two months have been a rollercoaster for us. Having recently moved from Hawaii to Mississippi, our bodies have finally adjusted to life on the mainland. We were able to visit family and friends who were able to meet Haven for the first time. Although we miss our friends and family back in Hawaii, being much closer to home has been a huge blessing for us. We also had the amazing opportunity to travel to San Francisco, California to serve at Branches Baptist Church.

We are so thankful to Branches and to Pastor Jake for taking such good care of us during our stay. Preaching for Pastor Jake gave him and his family some much needed rest, as well as some additional time to work on planning and other outreach endeavors for the church. This time also gave us the opportunity to work on deputation preparations in the very city we will be planning to minister to. We were able to get a feel of what it would be like to live in the city.Near the end of our stay, I had the opportunity to sit down with Pastor Mike Allen of Calvary Baptist Church in San Francisco. Pastor Mike has been a great source of wisdom and encouragement to my family and I during this time of transition. His church provided the mission apartment where my family and I stayed for the majority of our stay. We are thankful to Pastor Mike and Calvary Baptist Church for ministering to us during our stay in San Francisco.

Finally, our family has partnered with Beacon International Baptist Mission. Beacon International Baptist Mission is a missions agency committed to serving local churches and their missionaries as they endeavor to fulfill the great commission. This missions agency will assist us in financial, ministerial, and government affairs that missionaries can be faced with. They will be a great asset to us during deputation.

As we continue in our deputation journey, would you pray that God will lead us to individuals and churches who share in our burden for the people of San Francisco? Pray that God will continue to provide for us as we seek to serve Him with our lives. Π_{e_1}





Prayer Request:

- <u>The Moss Family</u>: Continue to pray for us as we adjust to this new life as missionaries and our deputation journey.
- <u>Haven:</u> Haven is growing so fast! Please continue to pray for her as she adjusts to our crazy schedules and changes that will occur along the way.
- <u>Oren:</u> Pray that I can manage my time to dedicate adequate amounts to my job without taking time away from deputation and family responsibilities.
- <u>San Francisco</u>: Pray for that the people of San Francisco that they will soften their hearts to hear the gospel. Pray for BranchesSF and Calvary Baptist Church as they are reaching the people of San Francisco.