



When God Says "Go!"



In our last letter we highlighted the amazing training and equipping God has provided since the loss of Chris' Mum. We had a dear friend tell us to be prepared to go quickly once God determined we were ready. They were right! The last month has been a whirlwind. After 9 months on the market, with virtually no interest, not only did God provide the only offer on our house, but an offer the buyer was willing to negotiate on and accept. Wow! Great news, but we had just four weeks to organize everything that revolves around the sale of a home. Our belongings begin their merry way to the UK on April 16th (they will take around 2-3 months to arrive there) and we are set to close on our house on April 18th.

We will spend a few extra days wrapping up here in Little Rock then head back up to the Midwest to raise the remainder of our support, give our supporters in that area a personal update, and apply for Lisa's visa and Ethan's British passport. We hope to have the remainder of our support needs met by the end of June, allowing our move to England in July or early August. The cost of living in the UK is around 40% higher than Little Rock, so we need to close that shortfall. We have an aggressive goal, but trust that God will raise up the remaining supporters. Please pray to that end and that the immigration paperwork would be smooth.

Another amazing provision has been in the tools we need to share about our ministry. Through some very generous supporters, the passionate, dedicated work of our FamilyLife UK directors, and the techie skills God has given Chris, we have been able to put together a presentation on an iPad. This tool is clear, concise, and able to be used anywhere. It is so exciting to introduce you and our potential partners to our co-workers and leaders in the UK through two short video clips. We would love for you to take five minutes to check them out on our website. You can find them at:

<http://themurfins.com/theneed>

Nobody knits hearts together like the Holy Spirit, and we have been blessed by many special friends here in Little Rock. It is hard saying our "goodbyes". We consider it God's grace that we are going back to the Midwest where we have many friends we hope to reconnect with as we finalize our preparations for the big move across the pond. Please pray for Ethan especially as we once again uproot and move to a different land with different cultures.

Thank you for your prayers and support. We are privileged to be a part of what God is doing on both sides of the Atlantic and are eager to serve as soon as possible in the UK.

Chris and Lisa



Praise Items

- Praise God for a buyer and the sale of our home.
- Praise God for the opportunity to serve in the UK.

Prayer Requests

- Pray for the logistics involved in an international move.
- Pray for the visa and passport application process for Lisa and Ethan.
- Pray for God's provision as we need to raise additional support for the cost of living in the UK.