



THE PARK FAMILY

Reaching the Nations from Iowa City



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May/June 2026

Dear Praying Family and Friends,

The end of another school year is here, and it's difficult to believe how quickly it has passed. Our students are in the midst of final projects and exams, and would greatly appreciate your prayers for concentration, diligence and wise time management as they complete the semester.

In our last letter, we mentioned how Tyler's life has been transformed since he accepted Christ as his Savior. Tyler is actively involved in Bible studies six days a week and has started street evangelizing with another veteran Christian in our church. What an encouragement and blessing his devotion to the Lord is! Last November, we mentioned that Grayson, a former CBF student, is now serving the Lord as a missionary in Argentina. Just last month, we have learned that Charles, another former CBF contact, is completing his medical residence in Chicago and is planning to serve the Lord in Cambodia. We praise the Lord for allowing CBF to be a helpful stepping stone in the lives of these men in their journey to serve the Lord full time.

Since our request for your specific prayers last August regarding our support level, the Lord has provided an additional \$493/month! The Lord continues to supply our needs as He has promised, and we are excited to see how He will provide the last \$7! Thank you all for your continued faithful prayers and support!

We have several family updates to share. Ethan, a great Christian young man, has asked permission to marry our daughter **Hannah**, and we said, "Yes!" They are planning to have their wedding later this year, so there's much to do in a short time! After becoming interested in archery as a camper at Iowa Regular Baptist Camp, **Sarah** joined the Mid-Prairie high school archery club last November and has been competing in local tournaments this season. She has done remarkably well and even qualified for both the Iowa state tournament and the U.S. national tournament! During a youth activity last month, **Rachel** dislocated her left knee cap. An orthopedic examination indicated that her knee appears stable and there was no further damage requiring surgery, for which we praise the Lord! She will remain in a brace for another month and will need several weeks of physical therapy to strengthen her leg. We value your prayers for the Lord's continued healing.

We are thankful that our students desire to live for the Lord, but spiritual battles continue. Please pray for spiritual strength and wisdom for us and our students as we serve the Lord together. "Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour: Whom resist stedfast in the faith, knowing that the same afflictions are accomplished in your brethren that are in the world." (1 Peter 5:8-9)

Prayer requests:

- Former CBF students Grayson and Charles who have surrendered to full time service
- Employment for Dev, Keilen, Julie, and Tyler
- Hannah and Ethan's upcoming wedding
- Continued healing of Rachel's knee/leg

Casting the Net,

John, Rebecca, Hannah, Sarah, Rachel, Andrew, and Prisca



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Ethan and Hannah



Sarah in a local archery tournament



Rachel's continued recovery



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