# The Coleys Missionaries to Kenya



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Dear Pastor and Church family:

#### **Deputation Update**

For the months of April and May, our schedule did not go as originally planned. As necessary as these schedule adjustments were, we still were able to keep a few of our meetings. For the month of May, we were able to keep one of our meetings in Austin, TX. We praise the Lord that this church voted to take us on as one of their missionaries! Based on our current average of support, we are needing only **7** more supporting churches!!

While our number of scheduled meetings were less than planned, we have not been idle these last couple of months. Door-to-door soulwinning with "stay-athome" orders in place around the country presented a challenge. Crystal and I, along with members of the local church where we have been based, sent church fliers and tracts through the mail to residents of the town. More recently under the pastor's leadership, we have been able to get out and leave the fliers, tracts, and door hangers on doors with opportunities to talk to those who were already outside (from a fair "social distance," of course).

Also, Crystal and I have been making preparations for our next shipment to Kenya. We praise the Lord for the funds that we have been able to set aside from support and love offerings which has allowed us to purchase items that we will need in Kenya. We are expecting to send out our next shipment for Kenya mid-June.

For the month of June, we have been able to re-schedule some meetings that were canceled due to the pandemic and we are excited to see our calendar filling up once again!

#### Praise

In our financial reports from our clearinghouse, we have noticed some unexpected blessings in the last couple of months. Our supporting churches have faithfully given their support, and a few have even given beyond what was committed. What a blessing it was to see churches give above their commitment in a time that finances are tight for many! Praise the Lord! Your care of your missionaries during this pandemic is greatly appreciated! These additional funds will be set aside for the time when we leave for Kenya. Crystal and I are abundantly grateful to all our supporting churches, and we thank the Lord for your faithfulness in prayer and financial support!

Billy and Crystal Coley

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