

# The Coleys

## Missionaries to Kenya



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Dear Pastor and Church family:

### Deputation Update

After three months of postponing due to the pandemic, Crystal and I were able to make it up to Washington where we plan to spend nearly two months. Also, one of our goals for being back in Washington state was to empty our storage unit and to get it shipped to Kenya. We cleared off some time in our calendar to be with our sending church as well as to make room for us to pack up our shipment. This is our first opportunity to be with our church family since Lighthouse Baptist Church (our former church) merged with Skagit Valley Baptist Church this past February.

While we were with them, Skagit Valley Baptist Church took the opportunity to have our sending/commissioning service! As part of their preparation for the service, they purchased for us a piano keyboard for ministry use in Kenya. They also gave us a very generous love offering that we will apply toward our shipping costs. What a blessing! We are thankful for the time that we can spend with our church family as we prepare to leave for Kenya.



For the month of August, we have both re-scheduled and new meetings that we look forward to making while here in Washington. Based on our current average, we are only needing **4 more supporting churches!** We have 89% of our support coming in and another 4% recently committed. Crystal and I are excited to see our time on deputation nearing its end!

### Prayer Request

Would you pray with Crystal and I for **4** more supporting churches? Though we are not yet fully supported, we are doing everything we can to get ready to leave. Our goal is that when full support comes in, we will be able to purchase plane tickets and head to Kenya as quickly as possible.

Thank you for your faithful prayer and financial support!

*Billy and Crystal Coley*