

Billy, Crystal, & Hudson COLEY



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Dear Pastor and Church Family:

Furlough Update

Shortly after Crystal, Hudson, and I arrived stateside, we began making arrangements for getting necessary things accomplished such as completing government paperwork for Hudson and making appointments for medical checkups for all of us. We praise the Lord for the good health that He has given our family.

We are grateful that all American paperwork for Hudson has now been completed. Due to the pandemic lockdowns and changed policy at the U.S. Embassy in Nairobi, we had an extremely long wait to get Hudson's citizenship completed. A consular officer at the embassy advised us that the remaining paperwork for Hudson would be a much more lengthy process from Kenya, and it would be best to complete the paperwork stateside.

Furlough Itinerary

From now until May, we will be in the South and Midwest regions of the U.S. to report back to our supporting churches and to present the ministry the Lord has given us to a few churches in which we have yet to present. From May until late June we are scheduled to be in the West and Pacific Northwest. In July through to the end of October we are scheduled to be back again in the South and Midwest. We plan to return to Kenya this November. We still have some open dates in our schedule for July, August, and September for the southern and midwest regions. If you have not already scheduled us to give an in-person report while we are in your region and you would like to have us come, please contact me.

Considering the time we have scheduled to report back to churches before our return to Kenya, we will not be able to report back to every one of our supporting churches. Those churches that we will not be able to visit this furlough will get first priority in scheduling for our next furlough. It has been our honor and privilege to take the Gospel to Kenya in partnership with our supporting churches.

Thank you for your faithful prayer and financial support!

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