

Jody and Ginger

Missionaries to:
Scotland

Hodnett

Winter 2021/2022

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Jody - 02/20/1978
Ginger - 10/31/1976
Anniversary - 3/14/97
Autumn - 01/01/03
Savannah - 12/30/09
"J" - 09/15/15

Dear Pastor and Church Family,

As Christmas has come and gone and we have entered the New Year, I can't help but reminisce on days gone by. So many memories flood my mind of my childhood days during this time of year. I'm thankful I can share those memories with my children as we enjoy this season.

It also makes me realize how short of a time we have on this earth. As I watch my parents lives fade before my eyes, my heart longs for a land where we'll never grow old. Please continue to pray for my sister Evelyn, as she is battling with cancer. We pray and ask God for His will, knowing the doctors have nearly ran out of options, my heart breaks watching her life fade. And again, it makes me long for that heavenly home, where sickness and death have no power.

This last year has been full of ups and downs with my family and our church here in Scotland. I am so thankful that we still have a few coming faithfully and growing in the Lord. The last service in December we had the privilege of welcoming new members to our church family. God is so good to encourage our hearts.

I was invited to preach a missions conference in the states this past September, I took 6 weeks to visit a few of my supporting churches and also raising funds for our Visas, which will give us a permanent visa. This will be a huge blessing. Before returning home, I had to test for Covid and I tested positive, this caused me to have to remain another week in America away from my family. I am still recovering as this was my second round of Covid. I still have not gotten my smell back, and have moments of brain fog, but otherwise I am doing great.

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Sadly, we have lost support and we need to raise more support. We hope that we can get this done in 6 months and can return to Scotland very quickly. Please pray with us about this as well. We appreciate your faithfulness. We have a lot to accomplish over the next two months, we have to pack our house and get an storage unit, we have a few extra expenses with getting back to the states, plus airline tickets. Please pray about helping.

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...and how shall they hear without a preacher?
- Romans 10:14

