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I came so they can have life . . . in the fullest possible way. John 10:10 (NIRV)

Please visit us on the web at www.kontaktmissionusa.org.

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Dear Friends and Family,

It has been a long time since we sent out a printed newsletter! The postage to send letters from Germany is about \$2.00 per letter. If you would like to receive our e-mail updates approximately monthly, please notify us at mwilso11@yahoo.com.

We were in Germany from February through June of this year, learning the language and culture, assessing current church planting efforts and working with Kontaktmission. It is sad to see how Germany has now become a place where less than 3% of the 83 million people living there even regularly attend church. Pictured is one of the churches we visited, Bergkirche, a traditional church with an official membership of 500, but weekly attendance of only 25.

We found the small percentage of Germans who are believers are deeply concerned about the spiritual well-being of their nation, and many expressed excitement that brothers and sisters from America are coming to their assistance. One young Christian woman said to us, "Thanks for loving Germany and for being here. I hope you will be very open about why you are here. Maybe it will wake people up to the fact that they are missing something as individuals, and that the society is losing something."

We are convinced of great opportunities to plant new, living congregations in a land that was once one of the great spiritual leaders in spreading the Gospel.

Give thanks with us

- For the privilege of serving the Lord in Germany
- For our prayer and financial partners, through whom God provided all we needed for our first five months in Germany
- For the opportunities we are having here in the U.S. to spread the word about the spiritual needs of Germany



Please keep praying

- That we will find more churches and individuals to partner with us in the next phase of our ministry
- That we will be able to get long-term visas to stay in Germany
- For God's care and guidance for our families in the U.S., especially for our children, Liam (23) and Desiree (21) and our new grandson, Blake (1 month)
- That God will work through us to enlarge his family in Germany and will bring about spiritual revival there

Upcoming events

- October 16-19 - Ozark Christian College, Joplin, Missouri
- November 3-4 – Nebraska Christian Convention, Kearney, Nebraska
- November 16-19 – National Missionary Convention, Indianapolis, Indiana

Why all this work and all this expense? I believe the stakes are incredibly high. It is not just a matter of life and death, but eternal life or eternal punishment that is the motivation behind the Missionary Convention and that should be the motivation in the life and mission of every born-again, blood-bought, Bible believing child of the eternal God. No matter what our occupation is, our passion must be the salvation of the lost at any cost. Do we really believe one soul is worth more than the whole world? -- Walter Birney

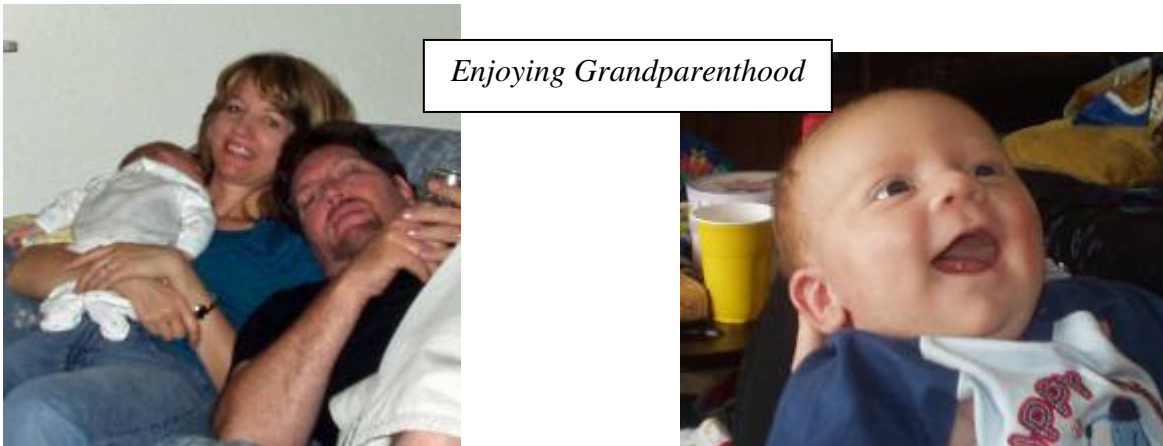
- November 27 – Fly out of Omaha, Nebraska
- November 28 – Arrive in Stuttgart, Germany

Thank you once again for your encouragement, prayers and support that enable us to serve in Germany.

In his love,

Mark and Corinne

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...I always pray with joy because of your partnership ...

Mark and Corinne Wilson Missionaries to Germany

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