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✧ Merry Christmas from Aomori! ✧

We have already had many opportunities to remember our Savior's birth and His great salvation by having special services at our Bible school on December 4th in Kobe and our church in Aomori on the 13th. Both special events were greatly blessed.

As we write this letter, we have just said goodbye to our people in Aomori, taken an overnight bus to Tokyo, and await our flight to the States to begin our 6 month furlough. We will spend a couple weeks with family in Georgia and Florida before heading to Atlanta in late December where Jessica and Josiah will enjoy school at our home church.



There will be much travel as well as preparation for future ministry in Japan. We are excited at the prospect of seeing someone step into the work in Aomori and the great opportunity the Lord has given us to multiply our efforts in reaching the lost in Japan and seeing laborers trained to enter the harvest.

Fruit in ministry is one of the great blessings of time invested in the lives of people around us. Sometimes this fruit is long in coming, but yet there is fruit.

Recently, Jenny was able to lead a young lady to Christ in our church in Aomori after she attended for close to a year. Thank you for praying for us and the great needs of Japan.

Prayer Requests



• *Pray for laborers - Mt. 9:38*

- *Pray for souls to be saved*
- *Pray for a national pastor for our church*

- *Jannah & Juliana at West Coast Baptist College*
- *Jessica in her senior year of high school*
- *Josiah & Momma in K4*
- *upcoming furlough - January to June 2010*
- *move to Kobe in June*
- *moving and equipment needs*
- *David's father needing shoulder and ankle surgery (now waiting on VA assistance)*
- *David's brother-in-law, Ivan, cancer*