

# THE LANE FAMILY

## Missionaries to The Dominican Republic

Acts 4:12

### September 2020

#### **Please continue in prayer with us for:**

- **Living Water Baptist Church in Jarabacoa**
  - **health and spiritual growth**
  - **salvation of lost family members**
  - **Missionaries Wes and Melina as they minister there during this time**
- **God's provision and guidance as we travel and seek more partners in ministry**

Dear Ministry Partners,

We are extremely excited to announce that on September 10<sup>th</sup> Ezra accepted Christ as his Savior. He had been asking a lot of questions about Jesus dying and sin. This last month we saw a shift with him as he began asking questions about Hell. This is something we had never brought up with him. I answered all of his questions and he dropped the conversation. The second shift we saw was when he talked about sin. Before this last month when we talked about sin, it was other people's sin. He could tell you all about Jonah's sin, Adam and Eve, etc. However, in September Ezra began to talk about his sin. I would let him talk and answer his questions when he asked. One night, Teah came and got me and said, "Ezra just said he wants to pray about going to heaven." After a long talk and a lot of questions, Ezra in his own words told Jesus he was sorry for all the "bad stuff" he's done. He thanked Jesus for dying on the cross. The very next day he began telling everyone what Jesus did. It is exciting to see him have a burden for other

people now. Not very long after he accepted Christ, he met a little girl in Kansas. He immediately had a burden for her. He often talks about her and prays for her. Please pray for him as we talk about baptism and he asks questions.

#### Field News

Please pray with us as it looks like the congregations in the Dominican Republic will be able to start evening services in October as restrictions are eased. As you know this is important for the spiritual growth of these young Dominican believers as well as the communities where the churches are located.

#### Furlough News

September was our month to contract COVID-19. I was down with a fever for 7 days straight. Teah and I both lost our sense of smell and she lost her sense of taste as well. However, we praise the Lord that we did not have to go into the hospital. We are also extremely grateful that Ezra and Marilyn did not get sick. We quarantined for two weeks which caused us to have to cancel several meetings. Not ideal for the fall Mission Conference season, but we know that God knows and will provide.

Please pray with us as we continue to book meetings that God will provide the support we need to return to the field in His time. May God richly bless you all!

Your fellow-servants,

Josh and Teah

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