Tom & Ruth Denlinger Prayer Requests - February 2017

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Hello Everyone! Greetings in the Name of our LORD, Jesus Christ. Please read through this prayer letter and take some time to intercede for us. We really value your prayer because we know that God desires to hear from us!

After 6 months away from home, our daughter **Chloe** came home this past Saturday. She served with Youth With A Mission (YWAM) in Denver, Colorado, completed her Discipleship Training School in December and then flew to Beruit, Lebanon and Athens, Greece to minister to the Syrian refugee children until the first week of February. We are so happy to see her! She has so many stories of things she saw and learned. She is now seeking the LORD for His next step in her life.

Our son, **Ryan**, is on staff with YWAM in Worcester, South Africa but he is currently in Okinawa, Japan speaking in different churches and preparing for his team to arrive from South Africa. He will be coming back to the USA in April and staying for a month while he renews his visa.

A month ago, our oldest son, **Alex**, moved into his own apartment and is operating in his gifts in the financial world - building the Kingdom of Jesus Christ by supporting missionaries and various ministries. He also excels in playing drums on his worship team.

My wife, **Ruth**, and I are learning all about the "empty nest syndrome" and creatively changing our perspectives on how to focus on our own ministries. Ruth works at a senior adult living facility in Elizabethtown and serves people with certain mental handicaps. I continue to represent LightShine Ministries as the Founder and Ministry Director and oversee the continued growth that we are experiencing.

This week our first team is serving in Alaska and I continue planning with our ministry leaders, making promotional videos for 8 more teams and helping our team leaders fill their teams. Make sure you visit our YouTube channel "LightShine Ministries" and watch our videos. Please pray for me as I caste vision for further growth. Many lives are being changed and we are very excited!

I am sending this letter to you because you have supported us in the past. **My wife, Ruth, and I need to raise \$4,000 per month to work full-time in this ministry.** LightShine Ministries is not a money making endeavor. In order to build this missionary organization, it requires money to be raised from brothers and sisters in Christ who see its value.

If you ever have any questions or comments on supporting my wife and I on a monthly basis, please contact **Jeff Zimmerman** (administrator/treasurer) with by email: **lightshinefinance@com-cast.net** If you are unable to help us financially, would you please pray for us? We know the power of prayer and see it as a vital part of what we do. **Thank you so much!**

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