

# THE WEARS FAMILY PRAYER LETTER & UPDATES

December 2015

## Espresso Updates



### Church in a Hotel

After a short break for the holidays, we have been excited to get back to traveling and sharing our burden for the people of Portugal. We began the year with meetings in Michigan, Indiana, and New Jersey and encountered a couple of snow storms along the way. A storm in Indiana ended up being more of an ice storm and resulted in the Sunday morning services being canceled. Two weeks later we were in the middle of the blizzard on the east coast and half of our scheduled missions conference was canceled. The snow and cancellations seemed to be following us!

Although we were sad to have several services canceled, we are so thankful for the ministry opportunities it provided. During the blizzard (or "lizard" as Karis called it), we were staying in a hotel where we were snowed in for almost two days. With our Sunday morning services canceled (for the second time that month!), Dave came up with the idea of having church in the hotel. The hotel staff gave us permission and a room where we could set up. Imagine with us our excitement when Danielle joined us for our little service on that Sunday morning! Danielle is a fellow believer and we enjoyed talking with her about the Lord. We plan to keep in touch with her and thank God for allowing her to be there that weekend. She was an encouragement to us!

We are also excited to tell you about two new churches partnering with us financially **Bible Baptist Church of Madison, OH** and **Tabernacle Baptist Church of Kingsport, TN**. We are so thankful to God for those of you who have partnered with and prayed for our family.

### Prayer Requests

- **Partners** in planting churches in Portugal.
- A properly functioning **vehicle and safety** in travel.
- The Holy Spirit to begin working in the heart of those in **Alcochete, Portugal**.
- **Spiritual and physical health** for our family.

### Deputation Goals


- Learn basic Portuguese.
- Leave for Portugal by 2017.
- Save \$40,000 for moving expenses.

### Other News

- We are at 22% support.

### Portuguese

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