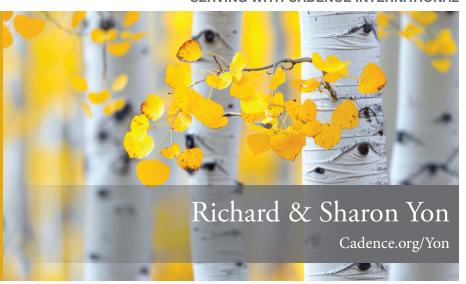
Gratitude

is an offering precious in the sight of God, and it is one that the poorest of us can make and be not poorer but richer for having made it.

– A.W. Tozer



Dear Friends and Family,

Following our appointment to the mission field by Cadence in April, we began the Ministry of Partnership Development (MPD) on June 1. We were overjoyed to see many friends and family when we were down in the lower 48 in June following James and Karla's wedding. If we missed you, please know it was only due to very stringent time constraints. During our ten-day trip, we visited South Carolina, Virginia, Ohio, and Missouri. It was **such** a blessed, sweet time of reconnecting



with friends and family, while also being able to share the ministry the Lord has laid on our hearts to minister to the service members of Interior Alaska. If we met with you while on our ministry trip, please prayerfully consider whether the Lord wills for you to partner with us in sharing the gospel and our lives with the military community.



We had many hopes for our fleeting Alaskan summer, yet as the Word tells us in James 4:14, "You do not know what your life will be like tomorrow. You are *just* a vapor that appears for a little while and then vanishes away." Our plans were derailed in an instant. On July 15, Rich had a hemorrhagic stroke, which led to a two-week hospital stay in Anchorage. The Lord was so good to preserve his life and protect him from any permanent brain damage! Rich's health caused us to take a break from our partnership development, but we still want to begin ministry this fall, Lord willing, so now we are resuming our needed partnership development.

Currently, we are just under 25% of our funding to begin ministry. We are so very thankful to those who have chosen to partner with us to share Jesus' light and love with those stationed in the Interior. May our Heavenly Father bless you richly!

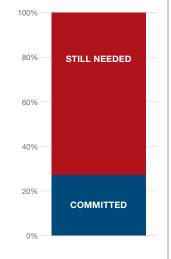
Please join us in praying that the Lord will provide for us in His perfect timing and that we will be patient while we wait on Him.

Thank you for your support and prayers!

The Yon Family

FAQ: WHAT HAPPENS WITH MY DONATION UNTIL THE MINISTRY STARTS?

It is in a holding account for the North Pole ministry. We do have the option of drawing from it for MPD expenses, if needed. If you want to donate but would prefer to wait until the hospitality house is open, you may note your donation as beginning at a future date, and Cadence



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will count it towards the amount we need to be fully funded and released to begin ministry.

