

THE Pape FAMILY



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“But my God shall supply all your need according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus” Phil 4:19

Greetings from the state of Tennessee! We are about six weeks from the end of our furlough, and looking forward to getting home to the DR **September 19**. The last several weeks have been exciting, as we have been from Maryland to New Hampshire to Alabama, and many points in between. It's been a big blessing to see some old friends and report on what the Lord has been doing in the DR, as well as meet new ones and present our ministry for the first time. Since the beginning of this furlough, **God has brought six new supporting churches to our ministry and three others have increased our support!** We are extremely grateful for their investment and for God's faithful provision.

▶ A DIVINE APPOINTMENT



Our most recent supporting church is Harvest Baptist Church in Allentown, PA. Pastor Guy Beaumont and his folks were very kind and gracious to us during our stay. It was also a blessing to be able to bring visitors with us to service on that Sunday. In the hotel lobby that morning, Cynthia and Brian found a piano and were warming up to sing a special in church, when a man sat down to listen. My wife began talking to him and invited him to church. He agreed and brought his roommate with him as well. It turned out that they were truck drivers on their way to Maine, when they took a sharp turn to fast. The rig rolled over, destroyed the cab and nearly killed both of them. Chris and Tommy came to church with us that morning and **I was able to lead Tommy to Christ! Chris told us he was saved years ago and planned to get back in church!** What a blessing it is to be in the way for a divine appointment from God!



CHRIS & TOMMY

▶ BRIAN & BECCA



This has also been a great time of seeking the Lord's will for Brian and Rebecca. Both of them were able to go on their missions trips that they had been raising money for throughout the year. Brian had a wonderful time in Spain, spending time with several missionaries there and seeing their works. Becca got to return to Brazil and spend time with Bro. Sean Lunday and his family, while helping in their Amazon medical missions trip. Thank you all who gave and prayed for these trips. You'll never know the impact you have made on our children's lives! **Please continue to pray for them as they seek the Lord's will for both their lives.**

Lastly, we are so excited for Jeff and Pamela Polanco. They arrived in Santo Domingo on the 1st of this month. I know they are thankful and excited to be there. We are anxious to get back, and to get started in Nagua with them. **Please continue to pray for the new church plant that we will be starting soon.** Thank you all so much for your continued prayers and support. May God richly bless you! *Thank you, Chad Pape & Family*

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