



MISSIONARIES TO INDIA

JIM & AUTUMN ROBERTS

ELIJAH, ALI GRACE & ANAYA

Oct - Dec 2017 Prayer letter

Dear Pastor and Prayer Warriors

What a great end to a great year here in India! I cannot thank you all enough for your faithful support and prayers for us. We are thankful for all that God has done here in India this year and you all are a part of that. Thank you for allowing God to work through you to help us.

As many of you know Christmas time is the biggest outreach opportunity that we have here. Everyone is curious to what Christians do on Christmas and how they celebrate. So every year we try to have a big service Christmas Eve night. This year was our largest turnout thus far! We had well over 200 people at the service; they all heard a clear presentation of the Gospel and also enjoyed some songs by our choir and children. It was a crazy, but great night! Our church people worked hard to make this year a success and it paid off.

I cannot tell you how excited I am about this upcoming year and all that God is doing here! This year we will be starting another church and installing a youth pastor. Both young men were saved and trained from the ministry here. We were planning on starting another church at the end of 2017, but I thought that a little more preparation was needed. So Lord willing, this year we will start another church (3rd Church Plant). Our youth pastor's name is Sandeep, his wife Doli and they have one daughter, Sanaa. Sandeep was saved and discipled in our ministry and will be taking over the youth department for us. They are a wonderful young family, who have sacrificed a lot to serve God. The plan right now is to take a furlough in early 2019 and Sandeep will take over Grace Baptist Church, Chattarpur as Pastor.

There are a few things we could use your help praying about. **We are in desperate need of land and a building of our own.** On Christmas we had well above 200 people at church. Our church can only hold 120 max...and that is packed out. We had to turn people away from coming and hearing the Gospel, because it was just simply unsafe to have that many people there. We are currently having multiple services and also children's church to try and give us more room on Sunday's, but that is also at a point where it cannot get any bigger because of room issues. I obviously will do what we have to do to get by, but it is not an ideal situation. Please help us pray God provides the land and building this year.

Also we will be organizing the church and registering with the Government. This will bring legitimacy to the church and protection. Help us pray this goes smoothly.

We have lots of irons in the fire as they say, so help us pray that God's Will will be done through us and in us here in India. Again, I cannot thank you enough for all you do for us. We pray for you, as I know you pray for us.

The Roberts Family.
Jim, Autumn, Elijah, Ali Grace and Anaya



91-99-71-322278



jimroberts@mwbm.org

COMEANDSEEINDIA.ORG

SENDING CHURCH

VISION BAPTIST CHURCH
PASTOR AUSTIN GARDNER
1125 ALPHA DRIVE
ALPHARETTA, GA 30004
(770) 456-5881
VISIONBAPTIST.COM



MISSION AGENCY

MACEDONIA WORLD
BAPTIST MISSIONS
PO BOX 519
BRASELTON, GA 30517
(706) 654-2818
MWBM.ORG

