



### Praises!

- ◆ We are now full time!
- ◆ Two new supporting church have taken us on!
- ◆ We have been able to schedule more meetings
- ◆ Our transmission has been repaired.



### A Journey of Faith

Praise the Lord! It is hard to believe that we are now focused full-time on deputation! This is an answer to many years of praying!

We have updated our video presentation to include more pictures of our recent trip to Colombia as well as more pictures of our family. It can be found on our website at: [www.smiths2colombia.com](http://www.smiths2colombia.com).

We want to praise the Lord for two new supporting churches! Westside Baptist Church in Martinez, Georgia and Church of the Open Door in Westminster, MD. We are so grateful for these two special, solid independent Baptist churches and all that they mean to our family!

One last praise is that our excursion's transmission has now been fixed and gave us no issue on our recent drive to MD-thank you for your prayers!



## Prayer Requests

- ◆ Provision of meetings and supporting churches
- ◆ Salvation of my Spanish tutor
- ◆ Safe delivery of our baby the end of July
- ◆ Roof repair on our travel trailer



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Deputation truly is a journey of faith. Although God has directed our steps into “full-time” deputation the last week of May—our next calendar-scheduled meeting is in August.

In man’s reasoning, especially to the lost, it makes little sense to take “drastic” steps like these. However, we are comforted by the words that “faithful is He that calleth you-who also will do it.” (1 Thess. 5:24). God truly can do anything!

We have been encouraged along this new journey of faith. God has seen fit to allow us to present or be presented by three different churches the last three weeks straight—even though they weren’t previously scheduled meetings. He has also provided for us in many unexpected ways.

One of the blessings of our new focus is that our time has now been freed up to make many more contacts. God has allowed us to schedule several meetings for later this Fall and next year.

Please pray with us that we would be able to present our calling several more times here in July. It seems to be a more difficult time of year to schedule with so many people on vacation and various church ministries underway.

Also, we would covet your prayers for Amanda as she nears the delivery of our baby boy sometime toward the end of July. She is ready both for relief and also the joy of a precious new child in our home. Our children can’t wait to hold the new baby.

Last, we found one of the slides in our travel trailer was leaking and creating a moldy mess in the roof and walls. I have torn the roof off and am in the middle of rebuilding the roof and walls.

Please pray for us to be able to get our trailer back in operating condition quickly. It has and will continue to be an invaluable asset on our deputation travels.

Thank each of you for your prayers for our family and your financial support. We are humbled and grateful for all that you have done for our family. We look forward to seeing all that God is going to do in Colombia as a result of your sacrifice and prayer.

“Faithful is HE....that also will do it.”

Your servant to Colombia,

Matt for the Smith Family