

THE
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FAMILY



SPREADING THE GOSPEL IN THE PHILIPPINES

OUR DEPARTURE DRAWETH NIGH!



We are filled with thankfulness as we look back over the last 5 months. We have driven right at 27,000 miles, ministered in over 50 churches in 16 different states. The amazing part is we did not have one accident or ticket. That is truly a miracle! Seriously, we are very appreciative that God kept His hand upon us during our travels. We also give God praise for those He filled with the Holy Ghost during our services. We are praying God continues to bless each of your churches with many souls!



It is nothing short of a miracle and a testament to the generosity of God's people that we have raised the needed funds in only five months. It has been amazing to watch God provide the things needed to relocate to the land of our calling. I don't know how to adequately express how Sis. Short and I feel right now. We are overwhelmed by the generous response of God's people to our ministry and mission and appreciate each of you who have joined us with prayers or financial support. May God's blessings be upon you and may your church reap a great harvest in this end time hour.

December 9, Pastor Gary L. Howard and our home church hosted a special missionary service, which also served as a "going away" service for our family. This was such a special time for our church. It is a strength to have a strong home church that loves and supports us. We want them to know they are very special to us and we are proud to call the Lighthouse Church of Tulsa, OK our home base.



Just last week we loaded a container with all our belongings to be shipped to Manila. It will take roughly 30 days for transport, so our hope is that we can find a house to lease before the shipment arrives. We really need a house that is conveniently located while also in a safe area. Please help us pray that God directs us in finding such a place that we can call home.

January 7 at 7:55am, our plane departs Tulsa international airport. 8,600 miles and almost 24 hours later we will arrive in Manila, PI. Elder and Sister Wheeler will be there already and we look forward to them helping us settle in.

We feel very good about what God is allowing us to do for His kingdom in this country. Thank you for joining us as Laborers Together in this harvest field.

In His service,

James, Sandra, Carter and Avalynn

