

Email from Mickey, the pastor at The River Church that we helped in Lyons, CO:

Being Jesus' hands and feet to those affected by disaster

As most of you know, Curt and Mary Jo Hencye with Calvary Relief (disaster relief missionaries) have been serving here in Lyons and at our church since last September when the flood hit. They have been exactly what their mission statement says: "Jesus hands and feet to those affected by disaster."

As a church we were hit hard by the flood and many individual families either lost their homes or have been displaced for many months. In the middle of all of that we have seen how wonderfully God works in the middle of the storms of this life! Curt and Mary Jo have been His hands and feet to us.

They have come along side of Kim and I personally to handle "everything disaster" so we could focus on Pastoring hurting people. They have organized and ran volunteer teams from all over the country to come and serve our town and our church. Our heart as a church has always been to love God, love our town, and make His name great. Curt and Mary Jo have done exactly that — made the name of Jesus great in our community.

They have been faithful to serve "anyone & everyone" in our town and bring glory to His name! They have planted seeds that will produce fruit for generations to come. There is still a church called the River (that's us!) that will remain in our community to faithfully serve our town, teach His Word, and bring glory to His name because of their faithfulness.

Curt & Mary Jo are no longer "the missionaries from Florida" but part of our family. Their home church is Calvary Chapel Sarasota, but they are now our missionaries, too! With the tornados that have recently hit in Arkansas, Alabama and surrounding areas, God is calling them to go and be His hands and feet to those who have now experienced their own storm.

I would ask that you consider supporting them in a couple different ways. First and most, pray. We have seen once again in our storm the power, direction, comfort and miracles that come through prayer. We serve a God who still works miracles in the middle of the storms of life! We have watched His hand at work in the middle of our circumstances. So please pray for His direction, protection and provision for Curt and Mary Jo as they go to be His hands and feet in another storm.

Secondly, I would ask that you prayerfully consider supporting them financially on a monthly basis. I am much biased at this point, but we have seen the fruit of their ministry first hand. God opens hearts and doors in the middle of disasters like I have not seen before. It's easy to think that all missionary work happens in another country, but there is as great a work being done reaching out to those who have been hit with disaster in our own country as I have seen anywhere.

Curt and Mary Jo are self-supported missionaries, raising all of their own funds. We have watched as God has miraculously provided for them, for us and materials and funds for us to help and bless our town. The costs of recovery and rebuilding peoples homes and lives are much, but we have watched as God has supplied all of our needs through His people from all across the country.

As Curt and Mary Jo head to their next assignment, their living expenses along with the costs of rebuilding will be great. There are many ministries that raise money for disaster relief. I cannot recommend one more highly than Curt and Mary Jo.

Serving Him with you,
Pastor Mickey & Kim Lohr

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