

# CLARK FAMILY UPDATE SEPT 2010

**Touching the World  
By Sending Workers  
Into God's Harvest**

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## GOD IS FAITHFUL TO US!

### WE'RE BUYING OUR HOME!

Just after we got back from our summer visits with ministry partners in California, we got some great news! The bank accepted our offer to buy the home we have been renting for the last 2 years. We are excited about buying our



first home ever as we serve the Lord in Florida! We are praising God for His provision of funds through several dear partners for the down payment and closing costs. Please pray that all will go well through the closing on **Sept 17th. Thanks!**

### KIDS UPDATES

Andy went on a mission trip to Japan in August. He helped a Japanese church with their Vacation Bible School. The kids LOVED this giant American who speaks Japanese fluently! He extended his trip to attend a friend's wedding and visit with his girlfriend's family for a while.

Ben has recovered almost completely from his jaw surgery, so the orthodontist will start his finishing touches soon. This year he is a junior studying Sports and Fitness at the University of Central Florida.



Melissa started her senior year at our local public high school. She is also taking 1 class at Valencia Community College. She loves working with little kids and is taking an Early Childhood Education class.

Josh is in second grade, making some new friends, and getting back into Little League.

## COACHING NEW LABORERS

Rochelle has been coaching young women who are preparing to serve the Lord overseas. One woman left for Budapest in August and another is preparing to serve the Lord in Slovakia. It's exciting to see God call them, provide for them, challenge and build their faith and send them to the mission field! Rochelle is grateful for the chance to come alongside them in their journey of faith.

## PROGRESS ON SUPPORT NEEDED

Thank you for your prayers for us this summer! We were very blessed visiting with family and friends and our church in CA.

We thank God for providing us with some new financial partners and leading others to increase their giving! Now we are trusting God for the additional \$1725 of monthly support still needed to be fully funded.

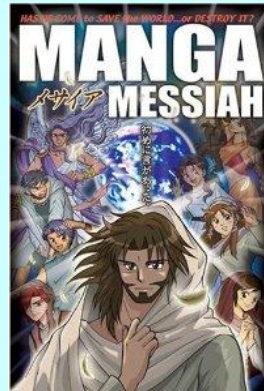
Please continue to pray for us that God will lead us to those new partners, so that the world may be reached with the Good News of Christ. We are very eager to get back to our full time work sending laborers into God's harvest fields.

Your prayers and support mean so much to our family. We are so encouraged by God's answers to prayer, and by your faith!

*With love and thanks,  
Steve, Rochelle, Andy, Ben,  
Melissa and Josh*

## ENCOURAGEMENT FROM JAPAN THE SEARCH

During our last few years in Japan, Steve was helping develop new materials for evangelism. He was very excited about producing the Gospel message in a Japanese manga (comics) format. One of the partner missions he was working with started to develop a series of 6 books to communicate the New Testament in the Manga style. The story director for this series, known as "Manga Messiah", was a man who had helped create "Pokemon" years ago! So far 3 books in the series have been produced and dis-



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tributed in various languages. Also, this group partnered with Japan CCC to produce a manga version of the 4 Spiritual Laws tract, called "The Search." Since April, 40,000 of these booklets have been distributed, and our staff are seeing students believe in Christ as a result of reading "The Search." We praise God for this culturally relevant tool to reach Japanese young people!



**Sample pages from The Search**