



# Josh & Alyssa Clay to MALI

## December Prayer Letter

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**Goals:**  
**Evangelism**  
**Discipleship**  
**Church Planting**

Go ye therefore,  
and teach all nations,  
baptizing them  
in the name of the Father,  
and of the Son,  
and of the Holy Ghost:  
teaching them to observe  
all things whatsoever  
I have commanded you  
Matthew 28:19,20

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We normally send out a prayer letter every two months to keep you updated about what the Lord is doing in our lives thanks to your prayers and support. Even though I just sent that letter last month, I am going to break the pattern with this letter for two reasons. First of all, it will put us on track for the new year in sending a letter every two months. Mostly though, I just cannot wait another month to testify of God's power and goodness in our lives.

This Christmas season is a wonderful time of year where we are able to spend time with loved ones and most importantly remember how Christ humbled Himself to leave His heavenly throne and be born in a lowly manger. We get to focus on how Christ came to this earth so that He could take your deserved penalty of death and freely offer us a way of salvation. We serve a wonderful Savior.

Our last letter mentioned we had 5 meetings to finish out the year, but we actually added a 6<sup>th</sup> meeting in December. We ended up driving another 1,600 miles but all of our meetings were in Ohio so we got to stay close to home which was a great blessing.

I had also mentioned in our last letter that God has brought in 25% of our support in our 3 months of deputation. This is where I get to praise the mighty God we serve because in the month of December we had 5 churches decide to partner with us. A family member desiring to send us monthly support as well allowed us to see God bring in 14% of our needed support within this one month. That brings our total support level to 39%.

This end of the year time is also a great time of reflection. I hope you look back over this year and are able to see God's mighty hand throughout your life because it should be evident. We can go into 2020 praying for opportunities in which God can use us to bring honor and glory to His worthy name.

We are so grateful for your prayers. We most definitely realize your prayer's importance in this deputation journey. May God bless you greatly going into this new year as He has blessed us.

**-Josh and Alyssa Clay**

