



Jesus Saves

"She will bear a son, and you shall call his name Jesus, for he will save his people from their sins." Matt 1:21

There are almost 2.5 million active duty, reserve, and national guard U.S. military people serving our country in various places around the world. Many of these servicemen and women are stationed in the central United States. They serve in places like Fort Hood, Fort Carson, Fort Leonard Wood, the Air Force Academy, Ellsworth AFB, Fort Huachuca, Luke AFB, and Fort Riley. In these locations Cadence missionaries are reaching out to military people by opening up their homes and their hearts and inviting them in.

For an 18 or 19-year-old who has experienced war, seen death, and is separated from loved ones --- a home-away-from-home can be a life-changing experience. For a mother and her 3 children --- a home-away-from-home can make a world of difference when her husband is deployed for the next year.

For those in boot camp, being broken down so they can be built up --- a weekend retreat is a welcome change and even a "life course changer" when they come to know the One who made them. For those prep-school students in a military academy who are still "wet behind the ears" --- having someone to talk to can bring them hope.

For the staff sergeant on the flight line whose life is falling apart or the airman sitting at the Coffee Bar needing somebody to tell her that she is loved by God --- a listening ear and wise counsel can make a life-changing difference. And for those battle-worn soldiers and marines who are confused and down trodden --- a personal retreat that offers conversation, biblical counsel, prayer, and a mountain get-away can be encouraging and a catalyst for personal healing and spiritual renewal.

God is using Cadence missionaries in the America Central Region to love military people and share with them the greatest news they will ever hear ---- Jesus saves! Please pray for these dear folks and for Kim and me as we provide leadership to this special group of people who love God and have committed their lives to serving Him in the military community.



Family News *by Kim*



Visiting the Coronado Cave in Arizona

The Jentinks have officially entered the middle school years! That is our big announcement. Craig and I had one go-around with them personally and now we are experiencing them from a MUCH different angle. The Lord has blessed us with great kiddos so it has been a good journey so far. We are enjoying watching them mature physically, socially, and spiritually. We have been blessed to see them thrive in our church youth group and are enjoying that new aspect of parenting as well.

Nathanael is in 7th grade, attending our local public middle school. He does well in school and has added

“Serenaders” (a school choir that he had to audition for) to his repertoire. We are happy to see him use his passion for singing here. We don’t have to force him to practice what he is learning in choir! We usually can hear where he is from anywhere in our house! He sure has a constant song in his heart!!! (Much like his father!!) He would like me to add that he is almost as tall as me—little does he know this isn’t much of a feat! He continues to devour books and share an interest in photography. We are blessed to see the Lord continue to mold his sensitive heart toward things of Him. What a blessing he is to us!



Our knight and knightess in shining armor

Karis is a 6th grader. She is a meticulous student with a flair for the creative. She too is growing and is becoming a beautiful young lady. She continues to pursue piano and is enjoying that. Also an avid reader, Karis loves a good animal story. We enjoy seeing her many creations—whether they are drawings, paintings or jewelry. The Lord is molding her heart as well. We watch her compassionate heart reach out to friends and be a light to them. We enjoy her so much!!

Craig and I continue along with the areas of responsibility to which the Lord has called us. We continue to minister with Cadence. Serving as America’s Central Regional Director, Craig enjoys shepherding Cadence missionaries on the field. He travels about 60 days a year. I am able to travel with him a little, but my job remains to be the anchor here at home. The kids and I love it when we are able to travel with Craig. We LOVE spending time with these precious people who have given their very lives to impact military men and women for the Lord. We were able to go to Arizona with Craig this past October. Each time we do this we see the Lord working in the kids’ hearts too. As they meet these soldiers, hear their stories, and interact with them, the kids’ hearts are burdened with their need as well. As they grow, this becomes more of a family ministry. We hope this trend continues!



I continue to do women’s ministry at our church. I am blessed with an incredible team of ladies and a wonderful staff to minister alongside. We just finished our Women’s Christmas Tea and were elated to have about 200 ladies attend and be blessed by the gospel.

Life in the Jentink house continues down its changing, adjusting journey. We rely heavily on the Lord as we grow personally, train our kiddos, and strive to faithfully serve those he has put in our path. Please pray for us as we continue on this journey that is so much like your own.

Because Jesus saves,

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