



JOHNSON FAMILY

TIM, JESSICA, LEVI, BRITTON & THEO

Church Planting Missionaries
to South Africa

OCT/NOV 2025 UPDATES

Deputation Trail

The last prayer letter we shared included our updates through September, and much has happened since then. October and November were our last 2 months of active deputation. During those months, we were blessed to present our ministry to 6 churches. We are excited to share that, in our 20th and final month of deputation, we reached our support goal! Deputation has officially concluded. Next stop...South Africa!

Exciting News

When we started deputation in March of 2024, one prayer request that we consistently shared was to pray that our 2 oldest sons, Levi and Britton, would be saved. As you might remember, one of those prayers was answered when Levi was saved on a Monday night after a missions conference service in December of 2024. But we were still praying for Britton.

The truth is, Britton actually made a profession of faith early in 2024 as well. However, we didn't celebrate or publicize his decision because we were unsure of his understanding, and we wanted to give him time to grow in his faith if he was truly saved. We can no longer deny his faith. Britton's profession of faith in Jesus has never faltered. Rather, he has grown in the Lord, developed a love for sharing Jesus with others, and even told us that he was ready to be baptized.

I am thrilled to share that I was able to baptize Levi and Britton on November 30 surrounded by friends and family at our home church! What a blessing! Thank you for praying for my children. Please continue to pray that they grow in their faith and that our 3 year old, Theo, would be saved at an early age as well.



A New Chapter

It's a surreal feeling to say goodbye to friends and family, to sell our home and possessions, and to board a flight as we move to our new home in South Africa. Although we are all excited to follow God to the mission field, I would be lying if I said the process of leaving is easy. But, I am reminded of the words Jesus shared in Matthew 16:25, ***"For whosoever will save his life shall lose it: and whosoever will lose his life for my sake shall find it."*** We must remember that, although there may be a cost to following Jesus, there is also a great reward. The only ones who truly lose in life are those who cling so tightly to temporary comforts that they never step out in faith and, as a result, miss the abundant life found in Christ.

Please pray for our family as we transition to a new chapter!



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