

Commission International: Prayer

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Not to us, O Lord, not to us, but to Thy name give glory
because of Your lovingkindness, because of Thy truth. (Psalm 115:1)

Praises & Answered Prayer:

- Thank the Lord for provision of apartments in Cordoba for Scott Jackson and the Fulfer family.
- Thank the Lord for the safe arrival in Cordoba last week of the college mission team.
- Thank the Lord for all of our prayer partners and for the Lord's answers to prayer.

Commission International Ministry Requests:

- David, Kristen and Coen Fulfer have been on the field for a month now. Please continue to lift them up in prayer as the work of planting a church in Cordoba begins. Pray specifically for:
 - 1. Romans 6:4 to be a daily reality in their lives; that they would walk in newness of life, be transformed daily by Christ and be so consumed by Him that others would ever see Jesus in them.
 - 2. Their passion to be making disciples, not just converts. Pray for discernment and fruitfulness in developing relationships.
 - 3. The development of small group meetings in their apartment where unbelievers could be evangelistically loved and confronted with the gospel, and believers would be discipled.
 - 4. The remainder of their support, approximately \$400 a month.
 - 5. Visa issues. A strong relationship with a group or church there is needed in order to be sponsored and allowed to stay in the country legally.
 - 6. Care of their property here in the States.
 - 7. Coen: the transition has been difficult for him, so please pray for provision and protection both physically and spiritually; growth in Christ at an early age in the midst of an evil place.
 - 8. Continued cultural adjustments (late night culture, language barriers).
 - 9. David as the overseer of both his home and family, and the ministry. Pray for him to be the man described in 1 Timothy 3. Pray for God's direction in his preaching opportunities.
 - 10. God's provision of a meeting place, a near-future need as the team is believing God for a quickly growing ministry.
- Pray for Scott Jackson as he and David begin the work of church planting. Pray for his language studies and for open doors for ministry.
- Pray for Dan & Millie as they anticipate Ana Carleton's birth in August. Millie has gestational diabetes – pray for their peace in the Lord.
- Pray for Jaclyn Lyles as she continues to raise support. Ask the Lord for peace and patience in trusting the Lord's timing for her departure for Cordoba.
- Pray for our college team that is in Cordoba from June 20 – July 21: Allison Albani, Jessica Blakewood, Shawn Bohanan, Adela Guerrero, Meghan Kiel, Justin Leftwich, David Lyles, Kevin McCreary, Rick Miller, Shannon Neffendorf, Blake Williamson. Pray specifically for:
 - 1. Cultural adjustment to be smooth and language barriers to be minimal.
 - 2. Team unity and energy. God's great glory through their work and witness.
 - 3. Their devotional times - that they would minister out of the overflow of their time with Christ.
 - 4. Protection in spiritual warfare.
 - 5. Open doors of ministry and wise stewardship of those opportunities.
- For Mary Gabarov, our coordinator in Cordoba, who is dealing with epilepsy.

- Pray for Linda Smith as she continues to transition into the position of Office Manager.
- Pray for Ron Franks who is battling colon and adrenal cancer. His daughter Jessica is planning to intern with CI in Argentina in the near future.
- **Pray for these Argentines who have been exposed to the Gospel in recent days. Pray for relationships to be developed that would lead to their salvation:
 - Gabi, the Fulfer's next door neighbor
 - Santiago, the cell phone guy
 - Cecilia, the cell phone girl
 - David, his wife & 2 ½ year old girl, the kiosko store owner
 - Lucas and the Ana's who work at the Wi-fi café
 - Diana and Mario, who run a shop near the Fulfers
 - Atilio, Scott's building manager
 - Mario, the Fulfers' building manager
 - Fernando, the Fulfers' upstairs neighbor, who is a medical student & his 2 brothers
 - Lucas and Pedro, two guys from the province of San Luis
 - Victor and Eugenia, two people who work at the hotel
 - Pamela, a girl who lives at the hotel
 - Ivana & her sister Sofia, two girls who have met the Siloam mission team and have offered to teach them Spanish
 - The guys who work at the Patagonia Hostel
 - Belen and Hugo, the administrators of the Fulfers' building
 - A friendly café owner on Buenos Aires Street
 - The two guys at the hardware store
 - Other neighbors that Scott and the Fulfers are meeting with glances & greetings
 - A group of guys that play soccer on Wednesdays at midnight
 - Guellermo, the neighbor in 7b – he wants to learn more English and “talk about whatever I want to talk about”
 - Noelia and Mika, the neighbors in 4b
 - Nicolas, Fernanda, Belen & Laura – people we met at the park
 - Jose Luis and Carolina – two students of English that we met on July 3rd.
 - Eduardo, Emilio, Maria and Jorge – friends of David Buckenmyer
 - Nicolas, Fernanda, Jonatan, Javier, Lorena, Romina, Jose Luis, Maria Laura, Vanesa, Lucas, Eugenia (who works at the hotel), and Gabi (our neighbor) – all who desire to be in a Purpose Driven Life study in English or Spanish

A final thought...

“The great need of our world, our nation, and our churches is people who know how to prevail in prayer. ... We need great answers to prayer, changed lives and situations – answers that bear upon them the stamp of the divine. We need mighty demonstrations of the reality and concern of God and of His activity and power, which will force the world to recognize that God is truly God, that God is sovereign, and that God is involved in His world today. We need mighty answers to prayer that will bring new life to the church and new strength, faith, and courage to faint believers; that will silence, dumbfound, and convict evil men; and that will thwart, defeat, and drive back the assaults of Satan.” (Wesley L. Duewel, *Mighty Prevailing Prayer*, p.20-21)