

## the COWN family **BBFI** MISSIONARIES TO JAPAN

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## THE LATEST NEWS FROM THE FRONT IN FAR EAST ASIA

MARCH - APRIL 2015

PRE-FIFLD MINISTRY IN FLORIDA AND VIRGINIA

## SOVEREIGN APPOINTMENTS

This past week we had an issue with our camper that stalled our travel for two days. Once it was repaired and we thought we were out of trouble, an outside door broke to the point where it would have been unsafe to

drive to our next preaching appointment. That stalled us for two additional days! The problem was beyond us so we had to call a repairman to come out and fix the problem. While the repairman was working God gave us the opportunity to share the gospel and a cold cup of water in the name of Jesus with him. It turns out he is Jewish and believes Jesus is the Messiah! How amazing is that! His name is Benjamin if you would like to pray for him to grow in his Christian walk. We're thankful that God set this sovereign appointment and others which can seem disruptive to our plans but in which God is actually using us for his glory.



## PREPARING FOR JAPANESE LANGUAGE SCHOOL

My wife and I believe the glorious message of the Bible is worthy of being preached to the Japanese in their own native language as fluently as possible. Therefore, we plan on continuing to invest our time and effort into the difficult task of learning the Japanese language. Right now we speak some Japanese but recognize our need

to improve in a more aggressive way. Jenelle and I are planning on going to language school for two years while we are in Japan. The language school we have chosen has taught other missionaries that have gone before us with great success. As we are getting closer to our departure for Japan, we have decided it is time to give you the opportunity to partner with us in investing in the up front costs of getting the gospel to the Japanese in their language. Would you consider making a donation through your local church to the McCown Japanese Language School Fund? Jenelle and I have both

made a significant investment into this fund already. If twenty-two of you who believe in the

importance of preaching the gospel to the

Japanese would join us by donating \$1,000 each through your local church we could start our first of two years of language study when we get to Japan. God will accomplish great things as we work

together. Thanks for your prayers and support! CONTACT US MISSIONS AGENCY

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58% of funds promised! Praise God!