

The Townsley Times

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Dear Friends,

Have you ever started a neighborhood kids Bible club in your garage? Together with the Phillips family, the help of a group from Central Baptist Church, Southington, CT, and some other Christian friends, we passed out flyers and invited children (ages 4-12) for a short series of Bible lessons. The children had a great time, and we believe that we planted some valuable seed and made some great contacts. We intend to follow up that series of lessons later in the summer with a week of vacation Bible school. We are praying we will be able to see some children saved through that effort.



As a result of the Kids' Bible Club, we have met and spoken with a number of parents and are excited about the interest shown in what we are doing. The first week we were out inviting kids, parents expressed an interest in studying the Bible in three different homes. What a blessing to see how the Lord is using the kids' club in order to reach the parents! It was a special thrill to see a 6 year old boy get up and explain the wordless book after only three weeks of attending the Bible club.

Needless to say, we are excited to be in the Lord's work and to see God's hand putting His work together. Continue to pray with us for wisdom in each phase of this new ministry.

About next March and April, we are planning a short furlough of 2-3 months. As many of you may have realized, due to our unique deputation experience in that we were married on the deputation trail, there are very few of our supporting churches that Hannah and I have both visited. We believe it is important that we make an effort to keep in touch with them. Also, we would like to visit some new churches to seek to raise some additional support. We definitely plan to be in Indiana and Missouri and will consider visiting churches in other areas as we can. If you would like to have us come for a missions conference or other service, you may contact us at town1@tricom.net or 1-809-616-0193.

In His Service,

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