



Howdy Y'all

The last year has been one of the most difficult and most fulfilling in our lives. Jared feels spoiled in doing what he loves most: training people to follow Jesus. This year, Amy also brought forth a new life to share in this fun journey.

God has been revealing and teaching us so much while we have been here about Kingdom living and many other things. Jared would love to share with you so shoot him an email or phone call. We are also constantly overwhelmed with how much God spoils us- Our kids, friends, family and all the other little blessings that are given to us in abundance. The latest blessing he gave is our son, Job. He is such a blessing and we are so grateful that God continues to expand our family.

Amy is busy with educating our kids on all things from academics to biblical roles (with help from daddy). Jared has his hands full with teaching classes, recording audios, writing books, and raising up future leaders for when God moves us on from this place. We don't know how long we will be here but we do know once we have risen up leaders our job will once again be done and we will move on.

Introducing Job Phoenix



Feb. 6th 9lbs 14oz

Kid's Bits

Jared: Loves learning about history and different civilizations.

Isaiah: Has pretty much taught himself to read with little help from us.

Ivy: Loves her baby brother and really wants a sister now that Baby Job came.

Jedidiah: Is Potty Training! Yay!

Job: Is a monster; out wearing all his clothes and diapers.



Ivy and her best friend, Rapunzel



Jedidiah making a goofy face

Prayer Requests

- 1.) That God would continue to open the eyes of people so they can know Him fully.
- 2.) That God's will for us and others would come to fruition.

PRAISES

- 1.) Job was healthy and has been an awesome baby.
- 2.) God continues to teach us so much.
- 3.) People are wanting to follow Jesus at a deeper level.



Jared & Isaiah doing Origami while learning about Japan

Special Thanks to all of you involved in our ministry. We greatly appreciate it.

Ministry Update

Classes: Right now Jared has 4 Phase One classes, 3 Phase Two classes, and a leadership meeting. He is also training 3 teachers who are co-teaching with him. A couple people have also started the Phase One teaching with their friends or family.

Books: Both Book One and Book Two are *free* on our website under 'Resources'. Jared will be updating both of them soon. Right now he is writing Book Three, Obedience.

Audios: Jared has been recording the Phase One lessons and we have made them *available* on our website as well. He will be finishing them as the semester progresses.

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What's Ahead

Leadership: We are going to have a 6 week leadership teaching training at the end of this month. This class will help equip individuals in effective communication, ministry skills, and a greater connection with God.

Books: Once Jared finishes The DIO Trilogy, he has other books he wants to write about God's Kingdom.

Summer: Hopefully we will start Phase Three this summer instead of waiting until Fall along with doing more intense one on one discipleship with some men.

Testimonies

"The Discipleship Class has opened my eyes and heart to what God's Word really says. This is my second time to take the first class because I feel it's that important that I get it right! I will be eternally grateful that Jared and Amy brought God's message into the light and took the time to share it with me!"—**Summer Williams**

"Discipleship to Christ" is a teaching (having asked Christ into my heart 34 years ago while attending many churches) that I am hearing, understanding, and wanting for the first time. I thank God for the faith, Holy Spirit, and opportunity to "know" Christ and follow Him."- **Brad Williams**

"This study has truly changed my perspective about Christ, his teachings, and my motivation to follow Him. I'm amazed how all of these crystal clear instructions are drawn simply from the word of God. This one's a life changer."

-**Wolf Williams- Age 14**



Jared-7



Isaiah-6



Ivy-4



Jedi-2



Job

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