

The Smith Family

Missionaries to Argentina



Joshua, Jennifer, Joel, Amelia & Logan

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Dear Praying Friends and Family,

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Thank you for your prayers for us.

We pray that God strengthens you as you serve in your area.

I have been reluctant to write these words, due to the finality of writing it out in black and white. Jennifer's mother, Janine Hicks, after a battle with colon cancer, has gone on to Glory to be with her Savior and to be reunited with her husband, Alton. Jennifer's parents were a great example of what lay church members should be. They weren't perfect, but they were faithful--faithful to pray, faithful to give, faithful to witness, to help the church, and to help missionaries. I will always be thankful for their part in making my wife the person she is.



Janine & Alton Hicks

Jennifer recently had to go to the ER and have some tests run herself. Those results require follow up to see if she needs a simple in-office procedure or a more serious surgery. I ask that you pray for her and the doctors. We hope that the treatment won't interfere with our schedule, especially our upcoming Mission Conference in Arctic Canada.

At the end of the month, we will be leaving the kids with family and going to a conference in Canada (This time on purpose, with our passports!). We desire to be a blessing, and know that the trip will be a blessing to us, but it is hard for a Mom to leave her kids behind for the first time for that long. Please pray for extra grace.



Joel Amelia & Logan
They are growing up fast!

To keep in line with Argentine school year (March- December), we are starting to homeschool Joel and Amelia this month. This is a challenge in any circumstance, but with Joel being autistic, it requires extra effort. Please pray that we transition smoothly into this stage of our life.

We are very much looking forward to returning to Argentina to start our first church, train national leaders, expand the radio ministry and continue teaching in the Bible College. We are making preparations on all fronts. One area of special concern for me right now is the radio ministry. A key man in this, Rodolfo, is going through a very hard time right now in his family and spiritual life. I have assured him that people in the U.S. will be praying for him. Please pray that God strengthens him, and encourages him to be what God wants him to be.

Thank you for your prayers!

For the furtherance of the Gospel,

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