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Prayer Requests:

- Church plant: Bible
 Baptist Church East
- People: Ivo, K & I, P, I and S
- Elin Pelin outreach

Dear Friends and Prayer Partners,

It seems like the month of January just flew by and here we are already into February. We have seen several answers to prayer over the past month and so let me just jump right in and share them.

Firstly, thank you for praying about our permanent residency application. Around the middle of January it was approved. We paid the fees and are now just finishing off the administrative paperwork that must be done before they will issue our new ID cards. What a relief to have the yearly visa process behind us now. At this point all we need to do is renew our ID cards if we move or renew a passport. Praise the Lord!

Secondly, I wanted to update you on one of the I's that we have asked you to pray for. He had not been to the church for a little while, but thankfully we still were in contact via FB Messenger and he came over for dinner this past Saturday along with another family. The fellowship was good and after everyone left Grace and I talked about how maybe "I" would be open to doing a one on one Bible study. Sunday morning he was in church and so I had the opportunity to talk to him about it. He seemed agreeable to the idea and on Wednesday night we had our first study together. It all went very well, he asked some great questions and it was a joy to see that the pages of his Bible had notes, underlines and highlights throughout. I am not sure about the state of his soul, so please do continue to pray for him. I am excited to see what the Lord will do through this Bible study.

Thirdly, while I have not said much about this in our prayer letters, while we were on furlough I spoke repeatedly about my burden for Macedonia. While preaching about that in one of our supporting churches, the Lord began to burden the hearts of the pastor and some other men within the church. They have been praying and we are planning to try to organize a survey trip into Macedonia this year. The Lord is really opening some doors for them and we are excited about what is going to happen there. Please be in prayer that we can make that trip.

And finally we just want to ask you to continue to pray for the outreach in Elin Pelin. We are going to have to start looking for a new meeting place and we are planning to canvas the town and surrounding villages with new flyers and tracts once we have found one.

Thank you for Praying! Jeff and Grace Shergalis

To open their eyes, and to turn them from darkness to light, and from the power of Satan unto God - Acts 26:18a

