REACHING RUSSIANS



To open their eyes, to turn them from darkness to light ... that they may receive forgiveness of sins... Acts 26:18

June 09



Prayer Needs

- Lisa's continued health
- To have a fruitful summer of street evangelism
- Moving our stuff from St Petersburg across the border
- Moving expenses
 - \$5,400 raised
 - \$600 still needed

Greetings from the Land of White Nights (sun 20 hours a day!),

We have received our 2 year Estonian residency! Thanks so much for your prayers. After getting our residency, we were able to get a van and apply for our Russian visas. We bought a 95 Volkswagen Transporter diesel van. You can't miss it going down the road, it's orange! See our web site for pictures. We got a diesel since it has better milage and it is cheaper than gasoline here, though it is still over 5 dollars a gallon.

On June 15, we received our 1 year Russian visas. We can now go in and out of Russia for the next year. We are planning a trip to St. Petersburg the end of June. We will visit our church there, do evangelism, see friends, and check on our belongings in storage. Our kids are most excited about bringing our dog, Winston, back with us. Our stuff is still in a container in St Petersburg. We hope to be able to bring some of it back with us and then try to arrange for the rest of the stuff to be brought over the border. Please pray that the paper work will go smoothly and quickly, the cost will be low, and that we get good honest border guards.

Summer is here so there are more people out and about in the parks and streets. It makes it a great time to go out and start conversations with people and present the gospel. I have had several opportunities to present the gospel and helped two drunks with food (see blog on our website). One man in particular I would like for you to pray for is Andre. He and the 3 guys that were with him were very attentive and seemed very open as I presented the gospel. Pray that God will work on his heart and that we will see him saved. Pray that this summer of evangelism will be fruitful.

For lost Russian souls,

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