



**The Lemon Family**  
Missionaries to those scattered throughout...  
Korea and Beyond  
1 Peter 1:1...Acts 15

**Special update 2025**



**Pastor, family and friends,**

We did want to send out a **special update and address-change request**. As we enter a new year of family, life, and ministry, we felt it was important to share a clear picture of where the Lord is leading us and note a needed financial address adjustment.

**Health & Family Update**

As many of you know, I have been diligently working with the VA regarding a traumatic brain injury (TBI) that occurred many years ago during my military service. Throughout 2025, I completed eighteen appointments and evaluations. We have made significant progress, but additional follow-up and monitoring will still be required in the coming year.

For those who desire more detailed medical information, please feel free to reach out to me personally...

**Ministry Opportunities & Direction**

As we mentioned in our previous prayer letters, we had planned to return to Asia this past year. However, while in the States, my father was diagnosed with cancer. After much counsel and prayer, we postponed our return in order to spend meaningful time with him during his final months. God richly blessed those days, and we are thankful for His grace in that season.

With these family developments, along with ongoing medical considerations related to aging and old military injuries, we will be based in the lower 48 for at least the next year.

That said, the ministry continues forward. We will be spending the early part of the year in Asia as we prepare to officially transition the Asian Mission Church plant. Our original plan was to continue that work with them for another two years, but the Lord made it clear that the time has come to fully turn the ministry over to the national pastor. We plan to complete this transition during the first half of 2026.

During the summer months, we will return to the United States to explore neurosurgical options and continue VA-related follow-ups. Even with these adjustments, our ministry to Korea and Beyond with our focus on Restricted Access Missions will continue. Our calling and direction have not changed; the structure of how we carry out the work will simply look a bit different in this season as it has so many times before.

During this time of **health needs and transition**, we **humbly ask for your continued prayers and support—now more than ever**. Your partnership enables us to remain faithful to the work God has entrusted to us, even while navigating these necessary medical steps. We are trusting the Lord, day by day and deeply value those who stand with us in this journey.

**Financial Support Transition**

Because we will be spending more time in the lower 48 for neurological therapy etc., we will be transitioning our financial support handling to **New Life in Christ Baptist Church** beginning in January.

**If you would please make note of this change and/or pass it along to your missions finance team, we would be greatly appreciative.**

**A Word of Thanks**

As we close, we want to express how deeply thankful we are for your love, prayers, and support over the past twenty years of ministry. Your faithfulness carries us through seasons of joy, difficulty, unexpected turns, and God-given opportunities. Many of you have stood with us for years, and your encouragement continues to mean more than we could ever express.

Thank you very much and as usual and please contact me for more information if needed. Text/call 907-987-2486

With gratitude,  
**The Lemon Family**

**NOTE: New church support address.**

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