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Dear Pastor, church, and praying friend,

There is an expression that can sum up the last two months of ministry here at Yokota: "Teamwork makes the dream work." How has teamwork made the dream work in July and August? Let me share four cases:

Case # 1—Vacation Bible School was a success!

We had a great VBS this year. Folks came together to make the stage for VBS as well decorate the different classrooms. Others came together to make delicious food for lunch. Others volunteered their time to teach a class or to be a helper in moving the children from station to station. The theme was Down on the Farm and the kids learned about Jesus and His great love and marvelous salvation.

Case # 2—Takashi got saved!

Takashi is a local Japanese young man. He is a taxi driver in downtown Tokyo. Another missionary couple lived close to him and had been working to bring him to Christ. He had gone to church with them a few times and the Lord was opening his heart. Then, one Sunday morning, he came to YBC and was ready to accept the gift of eternal life by faith in Jesus Christ. Haruna had the opportunity to speak to him in his language and we rejoiced that Takashi prayed to trust Christ. He wanted to be baptized so we baptized him the following Wednesday evening.

Case #3—Josh & Naomi got saved!

Josh and Naomi had just PCS'd to Yokota Air Base and were looking for a church to attend. They commented such on a Yokota Facebook page and several of our church ladies reached out and immediately invited them to YBC. They began attending and after a Sunday night service we sat and talked about salvation. That night they both called upon the Lord to be saved. They were baptized and are faithful in their attendance.

Case # 4—Kayla got saved!

Kayla had been coming to church with her boyfriend, Edwin. I had the privilege of leading Edwin to the Lord and baptizing him about a year ago. Kayla and Edwin hung around after a Wednesday night service and wanted to talk about spiritual things. I shared the gospel with Kayla and she was excited to call upon the Lord Jesus and place her trust in Christ's perfect atoning work. I was privileged to baptize her that following Sunday.

So you can see that teamwork really does make the dream work! The great Bible truth is clear: "So then neither is he that planteth any thing, neither he that watereth; but God that giveth the increase... For we are labourers together with God:" I Cor. 3:7, 9. Thank you so much for all you do for us.

Thank you for your prayers and please keep them coming. God answers them all the time!











Vacation Bible School

Takashi, Naomi, Josh & Kayla's Baptism

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