

TANNERS 2 MISSIONARY ACRES

Serving God's Servants



Hello,

Many of you may recall our move to Missionary Acres a few years ago, when we shared our two-phase remodel plan for our current home. We completed Phase 1 in 2021, with the hope of eventually adding a basement expansion, including a much-needed storm shelter. However, with the ongoing demands of ministry at Missionary Acres, the timing for such a large project never felt right.

Recently, the deadly storms in our area brought the need for a safe space back to the forefront, prompting heartfelt discussions about our family's safety. As we prayed for guidance, God provided an unexpected solution.

The staff has been diligently preparing Lot 70, a house here at Missionary Acres, for a new family. Interestingly, the last three potential residents who toured it found it too spacious for their needs.

After prayerful consideration, our team felt led to an exciting opportunity: we could redirect the funds saved for our basement project to cover the reassignment fee, allowing our family to switch houses and move into Lot 70.

This house has:

- A finished basement with a room that works perfectly as a storm shelter
- A larger pantry
- Two living spaces
- More storage

It's also a lot further away from the highway, which will be a blessing. It truly is an answer to prayers, and we're so thankful for how God directed here.

There are still a couple of repairs that need to be completed, and when that work is finalized, we'll begin the moving process. We hope to be settled by the end of summer.

Praises

- We're down to our last weeks of homeschooling for the school year.
- Jayme graduated from College of the Ozarks and started her new summer job.
- Lisa's parents made it safely down to the Acres for Jayme's graduation and a quick visit and arrived back in Washington without incident.
- Work on Lot 15 is progressing well.
- We can move into a larger house with a basement.
- It's been a year since Owen was hospitalized with septic shock, and he seems to have mostly gotten his strength back.

Prayer Requests

- Salvation for our children who aren't yet saved.
- Spiritual growth for the family.
- Safety for volunteers who are traveling to the Acres soon and for safety as they work.
- The kids to finish their school year strong.
- Opportunities to share the love of Christ with those around us.
- Health for the residents and staff at the Acres.
- Wisdom as we begin working with Owen's pediatric care team to plan for his transition to adult care when he turns 22.
- Jayme for her summer graphic design job at Eagle Sky.
- Jeffrey as he prays about college and the next steps in his life after high school in a couple of years.
- 2 new resident families in 2025

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Let's Keep In Touch



Missionary Acres Update

We recently had the water system here at Missionary Acres inspected and cleaned. Unfortunately, the estimate to do the necessary repairs and maintenance (which includes sandblasting and painting the tank) came in much higher than expected at \$29,371. This was a big surprise to the management team, but we are praying that we would be able to schedule these repairs for this fall.

Our recent volunteers made so much progress over at Lot 15. We're thrilled with how that remodel project is moving along! It won't be long, and that house will be complete, and we'll be able to take applications. Then, the plan is to move over to Lot 65 (the new build) and finish it up. We'd love to see residents in both houses by the end of 2025, but we recognize that this is an ambitious goal and would appreciate your prayers.

Tanner Family Update

Praise God, we have a college graduate! Jayme earned her bachelor's degree in graphic design and computer art. She recently started a summer graphic design job at a camp near us, and we know she'd appreciate your prayers as she tries to figure out God's will for her next steps.

The other kids are doing well. Our homeschool year is ending soon, and everyone is looking forward to summer break. It's been a productive year; it's always neat to see how much they all grow over the course of each school year. When we start again in August, we'll have another preschooler (Ezra) and a high school junior (Jeff) with several grades represented in between the two.

Jeffrey is currently praying about colleges. He's been able to visit a couple of different ones and is trying to decide which one would be the best fit. It's hard to believe that in just a couple more years he'll be graduating from high school.

Thank you so much for your faithful prayers, we are so thankful for you.

With love,

Bryan & Lisa Tanner & Family