

# THE SHERGALIS FAMILY

MISSIONARIES TO BULGARIA



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What a joy it is to serve the Lord. I want to start with a blessing that just happened tonight and then continue on with what the Lord has done over the past month. In preparation for our trip east, I needed to get three vehicles washed today. All was well when taking the first two vehicles, but when I took the third vehicle my debit card got stuck in the machine. I tried to get it out, but to no avail. It kept my card but wouldn't let me purchase a wash. I had to call the attendant out to assist me. He apologized and rescued my card. I said, "No worries, I have cash." He just smiled and said, "Its okay, I have a complementary wash for you, sorry for the trouble." He then waved me into the car wash. It turns out that he gave me the top level package that included wax and Rain-X (normally \$10). That may seem small to you, but I couldn't help but say "Thank you, Lord!"

In other news, we now have a minivan through Baptist Missionary Transportation Ministry ([www.btm.org](http://www.btm.org)). On November 27th I flew to Kansas City, MO, picked up the van, and then drove back to Madison, WI the same day. It was a long day and I had to drive about three hours through a snow storm at the end of the drive, but the Lord brought me safely home.

We also had the opportunity to spend Thanksgiving with my wife's family in Northern Wisconsin. They have had snow almost everyday and the trees were just beautiful to behold. It's amazing what God's paintbrush can produce. This is a picture from one of the roads in Ogema, WI.



Another huge blessing this past month was the opportunity we had to visit with one of the young ladies from the church in Varna, Bulgaria. She is a student at Hyles-Anderson college and her roommate is from Prairie Du Chein. They were taking a bus from school up to Madison and then were going to be picked up by her roommates father. The timing worked out for us to be able to pick them up and drive them over to Prairie Du Chein for their Thanksgiving Service. It was such a joy to spend a few hours with Illiyana again and to try out some of the Bulgarian I have been working on :) She was a huge help to us when we stayed in Bulgaria

and it was good to fellowship and see how the Lord has been working in her life.

The past month we have been able to stay in our home state, but tomorrow we begin a trip to the East coast. We will be in Ohio, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland and North Carolina. Please pray for safety as we travel. There will be many miles but we know that the Lord is able to watch over us.

In Christ,  
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