

# MISSIONARIES TO JAPAN

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Dear Pastors, Supporters and Friends,

We pray that you are enjoying the goodness of God already during this new year of 2026. As we think about all that God has done for us during the past year of 2025, we are thankful for His continued protection and guidance in our lives.

I took a trip to Japan at the end of November to attend the funeral of a dear pastor friend who unexpectedly passed on to Heaven. He was the president of the Bible College and pastor of the Grace Kobe Baptist Church. We have been friends for over 30 years, and he was a great and godly person. We were sad to see him leave this earth, but glad that God welcomed him into His arms in Heaven.

We are continuing to travel to some churches. We have been in Ohio, Kentucky, Minnesota, and will soon be traveling to Wyoming for a meeting. In March, we will be heading off to Japan to be at the Bible College graduation and Bible conference. After that we will go to Okinawa to be in a couple of meetings then return to the USA.

My doctor scheduled me for an ablation in November and it seems like it is working well. I will have a follow up appointment February 6. Please continue to pray for our health, my heart issues and Terri's fibromyalgia.

Thank you for your faithful prayers and support for us to be able to continue serving and working for the Lord. Please be in prayer for: the Bible college and the new president that will be taking over soon; that we would see more students enrolling in the college; that the churches would grow, and we would see many more Japanese come to know Christ.

Thank you again for your faithful support and prayers for us. May the Lord bless you greatly for your sacrifice.

Sincerely in Christ,

Dan and Terri Gardner  
Psalms 73:26

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"Proclaiming the Risen Son to the land of the rising sun"