



THE SIMONS FAMILY

JEREMY, WHITNEY, EVAN, JOSIAH, COLIN

*"My mom became saved after someone visited our home and shared the Gospel with her," shared *Rajeev, a Deaf man from South Asia. "She asked him to pray for me, that I would be healed of my deafness. I remember him praying over me but I had no idea what was going on."*

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pray with us

- As the new school year begins, please lift up our children. Evan (9th grade) will be in public school half-day and homeschool half-day. Josiah (8th grade) will be in homeschool full-time. Colin (2nd grade) will be moving to a newly built public school near our home. Please pray along with us that they would continue to grow in knowledge and wisdom of Him.
- Please lift up Jeremy as he will be traveling for work again this fall. Pray that God would give him good health as he trains translation teams in video editing as well as helps set up equipment for new translations.

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Rajeev is the only Deaf person in his family. He

was born into the Hindu faith, but after his father's death, his mother became a Christ follower. She put Rajeev

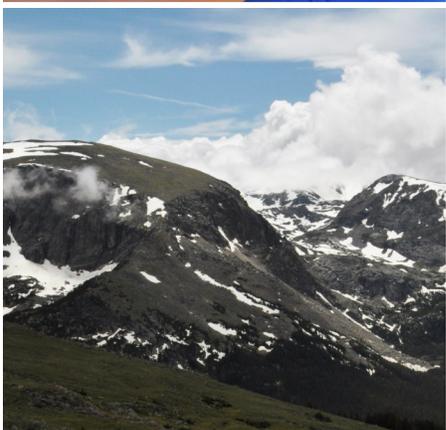
into a hearing school so that he could get a good education. After graduation, he taught in a Deaf school near the border for a while. Finally, he returned to the big city and met *M, a DOOR 2-by-2 member, who invited him to Bible classes to learn more about Jesus.

He started attending Bible classes regularly, and he started to realize what was truly important in his life. He recognized that many other Deaf people in his country were wasting their lives on sinful pursuits. One day, he went home restless because he felt a new zeal burning in his heart.

That night, God spoke to him, and he showed up at the fellowship saying *"I want to do God's work."* A few days later, a translation recruitment team from DOOR showed up looking for workers willing to work on a sign language Bible translation project.

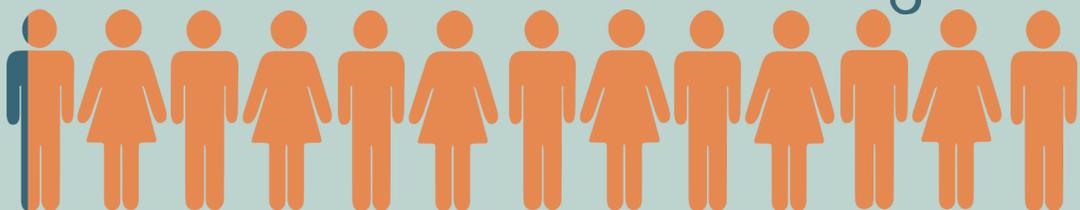
Rajeev was selected to be part of the team after an interview. He is eager to start working, and is planning on teaching God's Word to the Deaf in his country after he finishes work on the translation project. *"I want other Deaf people to know that life is worth living for Christ."*

Pray for Rajeev as God starts to use him in a powerful way for His Kingdom.



From the Badlands of South Dakota to the Rocky Mountains of Colorado, from warm, sunny skies to snow in July, from old friends from around the world to newly forged friendships, we had an incredible summer traveling through the United States. **Not only did we get to experience the stunning artistry of God through the ever-changing landscapes but we also had the opportunity to “declare His glory among the nations, His marvelous deeds among all peoples” Psalm 96:3.**

The Lord arranged several divine appointments in which we were able to share God’s heart for Deaf people to know Him. **We created a graphic so that you too can easily share the vision and mission of DOOR with people in your sphere of influence. Join us in sharing His mission in reaching the Deaf.**



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 LESS THAN 2% OF THE WORLD’S DEAF PEOPLE KNOW JESUS



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