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### **Teaching in Kazakhstan**

Fred recently traveled to Almaty, Kazakhstan to teach Global University's <u>New Testament as Literature</u> course to the students at the Central Asian Theological Institute.

Some of these students are graduates of the Teen Challenge Drug Rehabilitation Program, some came from other Central Asian countries and from local churches. All of them are hungry for God's Word and want to use what they've learned to reach their countries for him.

Some of the students relayed stories of how their families have stood for our Lord in tough places; while others told of how they left their countries to be in Almaty. Please pray

for these students as they work towards their degree and pursue God's call on their lives



The Students of the Central Asia Theological Institute with Fred on the last day of classes. We met in a former Communist hall.

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**Above**: Fred had two opportunities to preach to local congregations while there.

Right: This television tower was erected by the Soviet Government. While you still see the Soviet influence in Kazakhstan, new construction is all over the city. Materialism is exercising it's influence spiritually there. Please pray for the people of Central Asia to come to know Jesus



As we continue our work, we face challenges with our ministry account balance being low due to increased field expenses and decreased support offerings. If you are able to help with this urgent need with a new or increased commitment or one-time offering, you can give to our ministry account at:

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## **Kovach Praise and Prayer**

- † Praise God for a good time of ministry in Kazakhstan and safe travel to and from there.
- † Please pray for the students of the Central Asia Theological Institute in Almaty, Kazakhstan as they prepare for ministry in their countries.
- † Please pray for God's provision for our ministry.

# **Stephen and Hope's Corner**

Happy Summer! Hope you're enjoying some summer activities.

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Stephen flew in to visit us over Mother's day weekend and as you can see he was well dressed! He's continues to fly with American as a first officer and has flown over many places including Ontario, Canada (so jealous!!!). With his little bit of free time Stephen has started volunteering at a local cat shelter where he gets his share of kitty pets and cuddles.

I am still coaching and recently took one of my skaters to a competition in Kansas City where it was my first out of town competition as a coach. At the competition I got the chance to meet and talk with Olympic pairs skater Ashley Cain who was there coaching as well. I will also be working a camp over the summer sharing my passion with young skaters. And hoping to build up my coaching career over the summer and fall!

I think that about wraps it up! We will continue to keep sharing our adventures and enjoy your summer!!

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