

The LOWEDOWN

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A monthly newsletter from Dave & Jennifer Lowe

God Provides!

Well, summer is back in Fresno. Over the last month, we've had some pretty wacky weather. During May, we had several thunderstorms which were more typical of weather in the Midwest than California's Central Valley.

One thing we'll probably never be able to predict is the weather. Another is God's timing and His ways.

Last month, I wrote you about the deadlines that Jennifer and I were facing with our support.

Initially, the goal was to reduce our support goal to \$400 per month by June 1, with August 1 being the deadline to be completely done.

However, our first deadline was extended by two weeks because the person who monitors our progress was going to be out of the country on June 1.

When June 1 came, we were still about \$150 short of reaching the goal of our first deadline.

However, on June 13, the night before I spoke to our support coach, we received the last commitment that brought us to the \$400 level.

God does provide in his timing and in his own way!

Jennifer and I are now anticipating moving to Santa Barbara later in

the summer.

But first, we still need to see God raise the last \$400 of monthly support.



Jennifer and I appreciate all of you who have contributed to helping us reach our first goal and would ask that you continue to pray for God's provision in completing our support team!

PrAise

- God provided the support we needed in order to meet our first deadline!
- Our church in Fresno has a new full-time youth pastor!
- Over 30 kids made decisions for Christ at a recent White Heart concert here in Fresno.

PraYer

- Pray that God would raise the balance of our support by August 1, providing time for us to move and settle in before the start of the fall quarter.
- Pray that God would provide inexpensive, yet adequate housing for us in Santa Barbara.
- Pray for Randy & Roger, two jr. high brothers who made commitments to Christ at the White Heart concert. Currently, I'm leading them through some basic Bible study material to help them grow in Christ.

Personal Update

The last month and a half have been eventful to say the least.

We returned home from a staff conference at the end of April only to find that our bikes had been stolen.

This is the second time in a year that we've been robbed. Last summer, I had a small motorcycle (scooter) stolen.

Fortunately, our insurance covered the loss (after the deductible of course) and Jennifer and I were eventually able to get new bikes.

In May, Jennifer and I celebrated our first anniversary. Our wedding cake

tasted pretty good, even after being frozen for a year.

We were also able to visit my parents and attend my father's ordination ceremony.

Earlier this month, the monitor on my computer went out after only one and a half years. One technician estimated that it would cost over \$300 to repair. Fortunately, the problem was a lot less expensive than originally estimated.

The Lord provides in all circumstances.