

# Loren & Kathy Falzone ♥♥ A Couple With A Mission

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## 👩👧 VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 🎵🎶



Kathy worked with our church Vacation Bible School last month. Notice her airborne excitement! We had 32 children, many of them unchurched. Kathy loves working with children and creates opportunities at our Coatesville Neighborhood Center for them to have a safe and fun atmosphere. She has also engaged many adults in activities typically associated with children, such as forms of artwork / drawing. These simple but authentically profound ways relationally connect us with others... with eventual conversations about them, their life and where they are relationally with God. Missionaries have no ministry tricks up our sleeves; we just focus most of our time into ministry. However, every one of us has gifts from God to minister to others with throughout our entire life.

## 👩👧 CITY PRAYER MEETINGS 🎵🎶

Besides our monthly First Friday Coatesville Prayer Meeting (a.k.a. the Furnace), more people here are realizing how crucial prayer is. Jesus Christ Himself found it vital to pray, and so do we... to hear the Holy Spirit direct us in God's work here in real time. The local church we belong to has weekly prayer meetings, and another church just finished a concerted 52 day prayer effort (picture ✓ below).



We all lead local Christians & curious others in the relational intimacy and intercessional value of a 2-way communication lifestyle with our loving Creator, Savior and Lord. Coatesville is actually changing!

## 🇺🇸 SPECIAL NEWS 🇷🇺

Our son-in-law and daughter, Josh and Bethany Wannemacher, met in a YWAM DTS (Discipleship Training School) almost 5 years ago and both have a missionary heart for Europe. This winter they plan on going to Romania for a 2 year ministry commitment with YWAM. More information soon but for now, please pray for them as they prepare to go. Local and international missionary work is Biblically taught, as is supporting such missionaries. What is worth being reminded of is the eternal rewards both for the missionaries and for their supporters... it's all part of reaching the lost for God.

This has mixed emotions for us, yet we rejoice greatly with them. We remember leaving family and friends with our 1-way tickets to our first missionary work and mission field 6,000 miles away. Now as parents, we get to experience what it is like to be on the other side of such an event. Pray for us, too!

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## 🔥 IMPORTANT MINISTRY ADJUSTMENT ✂️ THIS IS PAGE 2

We will soon celebrate five years ministering in Coatesville, PA with Youth With A Mission. This YWAM ministry started in 2002 and accomplished much before we arrived in 2013. From our start, God prompted Loren's heart that change was coming, and everything would work out. In 2014, this YWAM location changed from a full YWAM base with training schools, outreaches, and local ministry to just local ministry. 950 of YWAM's 1700 locations worldwide are ministry only, and the other 750 have training schools including the massive University of the Nations in Kona, HI (where we lived and ministered with YWAM in 1986). After 27 years out of full time missionary work, we returned to YWAM once our youngest child graduated high school (who is the one going to Romania (see Page 1)).

By God's grace, the two of us have done most of the ministry here for the last four years, and God continues to bless it. This city is noticeably changing, numerous ministries and churches collaborate, and God is clearly up to something. With decades of darkness in its history, Coatesville also has had immeasurable intercessory prayer happening all along. We have the privilege of carrying that mantle while on the front lines of this inner city ministry with 40% at or below poverty, 36% unemployment, and 63% of the homes rented out. This adds up to many challenges, including encouraging unhealthy mindsets in its marginalized population. Yet, the move of God continues to spread and accelerate.

English translations of the Bible often use one word to cover numerous Greek or Hebrew words, thus reducing the original meaning. One example is the word "**poor**": read our flier↓ in the box below:

This was a huge lesson for us recently. Years ago the phrase Relationship & Discipleship became our ministry description. We reach out to everyone and seek to find those ready to be disciples among them. This is the known cost all Christians, not just missionaries, embrace in grateful obedience to Jesus' great commission. The **problem** was the **mendicant** poor exhausting us who minister, and our ministry resources due to our lack of Biblical distinction of the types of poor people. We just heard about a local church which recently also discovered this 🔥 firsthand.

**YES**, we help those in need; **YET** at the same time, **through relationship** we have to learn and choose where to invest which resource(s), or ✂️ not to. Ignorance was subtly stressing out God's workers... us. So we are adjusting some of our ministering... to the disappointment of some but to the glory of God, whose mission field it is anyway. **Please pray with us on how to optimize ourselves and resources in God's mission field.**

### THE BIBLE SAYS THERE ARE 2 TYPES OF POOR PEOPLE:

*English Bible translations lose this important difference*

- 1. MENDICANT:** "publically begs to address poverty"  
New Testament Greek pronounced **PTO-khos**  
**John 12:8** "you'll always have the mendicant"  
*because begging keeps beggars dependent.*  
Old Testament reference:  
**Psalm 37:25** "God's people never need to beg / choose mendicancy, and are never forsaken."
- 2. INDIGENT:** "privately works to address poverty"  
New Testament Greek pronounced **PEN-ace**  
**2 Corinthians 9:9** "God gives to the indigent"  
and His righteousness never changes.  
Old Testament reference:  
**Psalm 112:9** - where **2 Corinthians 9:9** quotes

### GOD HAS A WAY TO HELP BOTH TYPES OF POOR OUT:

Become a Christian, grow with God in Christianity, and read and ask for help understanding these Bible verses:

**Matthew 6:1-34**  
**Matthew 7:6-12**  
**1 Timothy 5:3-16**  
**2 Timothy 2:11-16**  
**2 Thessalonians 3:3-16**

Thank you!! ♥♥ Loren & Kathy Falzone P.O. Box 3, Lyndell, PA 19354.