



# The Shirkmans

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## If Jesus could reach the world with 12 disciples, what wonders can he achieve with 17 disciples spread across Slovenia?

Last weekend marked the kickoff of our MyFriends training, where Slovenes from all corners of the nation (including Žan, whom we introduced last month) gathered. We came together to equip ourselves with the skills to reach out to those in our lives who are far from God. In Slovenia, attending a church service is a rarity for most, and genuine followers of Jesus are even more scarce. So, how do we bring Jesus to these people right where they are?

Nataša (nuh-tah-SHUH) expressed her enthusiasm about the training, saying, "This whole idea of sharing our experiences with God gives me a hunger to have those experiences with Christ on my own. I'm excited to share in a loving way, and actually put these ideas into practice."

Maruša (muh-rue-SHUH), another participant, shared, "I've never had training of how to do this—how to actually bring Jesus near to the people around me."

The day following our training, our group chat buzzed with stories of individuals taking courageous steps of faith and sharing about God's work among those in their circles.

We're eager to see how the Lord will use our group to help make disciples for Jesus throughout Slovenia. Over the next two months, we'll meet in small groups every week to discover what the Bible says about making disciples while also praying for and encouraging one another to share the hope of Jesus with those around us.

You're playing a pivotal role in reaching this nation for Christ. Partners like you are helping the Kingdom of God come near to people desperately in need of eternal hope and love.

*Jordan + Niki*



*Seventeen of us gathered together for our MyFriends training to learn how to make disciples of Jesus in our everyday lives. Together we're helping bring Christ near to our friends who are far from God.*

## A New Baby on the Way!

We're thrilled to share that Niki is pregnant and baby number five will join our family in September. Please pray for a healthy pregnancy, smooth labor and delivery, and continued grace as our family grows.

## Prayers + Praises

Praise God for the 17 participants from our MyFriends training. Pray the Lord would use each of us in great ways to help those around us begin taking steps toward Jesus.

Pray for groups of people who are open to Jesus to form and begin reading the Bible around the nation. Pray for boldness for Jesus followers to share with the people around us and for open hearts among those we share with.

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