The Shirkmans

Jordan, Niki, Raegan, Everett, Griffin & Adler Cru | Ljubljana, Slovenia



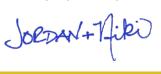
"Without the MyFriends training I don't know if I would have been able to share with Gašper (GOSH-per) about my faith. I just took the steps we talked about," Žan (like Jean in French) told us as he described how he had a chance to share his faith with his friend.

Over the last two months, we've continued to meet weekly with those who have gone through our MyFriends training. We're continuing to equip them as Christians to make disciples of Jesus right where they are. MyFriends draws principles from the Bible and applies them to our postmodern world, which is increasingly full of people who have no Christian background and no experience reading the Bible. It helps answer the question, "How can I reach people far from God with the message and love of Jesus?"

One major emphasis in MyFriends is that following Jesus is a lifestyle of faith to live, not just a technique or program. When we are personally experiencing the love of God in our own lives, we are far more effective in sharing it with others. Additionally, the training helps participants know what practical steps they can take to begin conversations about Jesus with family, friends, coworkers, and others around them. God has been using it in great ways to help believers take steps of faith. Žan's conversation with Gašper is just one of those stories.

"Sharing about Jesus is one of the biggest steps of faith I've taken. My anxiety before God was through the roof. But when I came to faith, I can say with confidence there is a God and I can share about Him. It's awesome what He has done," Žan shared.

We continue to see the Lord at work in great ways through simple steps of faith. People far from God are hearing of his love and Christians are growing in their faith as they seek to make disciples around them. We are continuing to trust that God will use his people to impact this nation for Jesus.





We celebrated the birthdays of Gal (GAH-I) and Žan (right) the night before our midterm check-in during our MyFriends training. Both guys have been taking great steps of faith as a result of God's work in their lives.

See Us In Ohio This Summer!

We will be in Ohio this summer for our home assignment to reconnect with family, friends, and ministry partners like you.

Stop by on Tuesday, June 11 from 5pm - 7pm at the Boettler Park pavilion in Green for light refreshments.

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Prayers + Praises

Praise God for the steps of faith Žan, Gal, and others are taking to talk about Jesus with those around them. Pray the Lord would continue to draw people to himself and use us to help them experience the love of Jesus.

Pray for a fruitful two months in Ohio for our family. Please continue to pray for a healthy pregnancy for Niki and a healthy baby girl who is due to arrive in mid-September.