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Dear Friend:

As you may be aware, my wife Patti and I are in Tennessee, endeavoring to plant a church (Soultuary), here on Nashville's West End. As a part of this process, we have already been holding regular meetings in our home that are drawing an average of 20 people each week. We are working with 5-12 year old children at our "sending church", Vineyard Nashville in addition to serving as leaders for the youth group. Furthermore, I am serving on the church's Operations Team, and as Band Pastor for Christian Recording Artists "Kainos", but there is so much more to do!

Add to the mix that my source of employment ended on Friday, September the 9th. While this denotes the end of something, I wonder what it may mark the beginning of! As a result of these events and a conversation with Pastor Jerry Bryant, I have been presented with the opportunity to work an internship with The Vineyard Nashville, which will allow me to earn experience as Patti and I invest ourselves in this church plant.

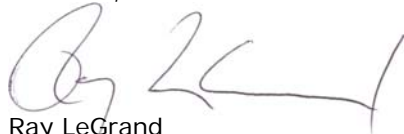
We are very excited about this opportunity, although we are also personally challenged as to how we should care for a family of six while working as an intern. So long as I can work a minimum of 20 hours per week, the church would be able to provide us with insurance benefits. But, we will need to raise financial support to afford us the ability to step out and seize this opportunity!

Please pray now and seek God as to how you might partner with us in this church plant; prayer, finances, time or other resources. As for the internship opportunity, we are seeking those who would be willing and able to commit to a monthly gift in the amount of \$20 or more for the next six months or longer. Because we need to jump-start this initiative, any one-time gifts that would enable us to get through these initial days until long term support is realized will be greatly appreciated! If enough support is raised to allow me to work the 20 hour minimum, I will be able to take the opportunity and supplement my income with a part time job. If your contributions warrant it, I may even be able to serve in full-time ministry!

Your Tax Deductible contribution can be made via check payable to Vineyard Nashville and earmarked as "Church Planting". Please send it to the address at the top of this correspondence for tracking purposes. Additionally, Vineyard Nashville is setting up a website that will allow you to donate online in the coming days. I will be happy to answer any inquiries you may have, as will Pastor Jerry Bryant of Vineyard Nashville at (615) 360-8463 or jerry@vineyardnashville.com

Please feel free to share this letter with anyone you know. Again, your prayerful consideration is greatly appreciated!

In Christ,



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