

... for the work whereunto I have called them. Acts 13:2

March 12, 2015 Dear Pastor,

I would like to heartily recommend Bro. Scott Poling as a missionary to Germany. For over 15 years, Bro. Poling has served faithfully as a school principal at our sending church, New Testament Baptist Church, Larimore ND. He is a dedicated servant of the Lord having great integrity and a strong work ethic. On several occasions he and his family have been with us on the mission field. The first time, they came to be with us during Christmas time. This was a personal sacrifice for them. They did it to be a blessing to us and he brought an excellent message for a very successful Christmas banquet. He also preached in our services and taught about Christian education, a topic of great need for our young families. They came a second time to help us prepare for a major outreach in a neighboring town. The Polings worked all day, every day, until the project was finished before they allowed themselves to do any "sightseeing" in town. Most recently, Bro. Poling and his family were in Berlin on their official survey trip. This coincided with our organization service in Prague. The Polings came down from Berlin for that weekend to assist with some practical needs related to the special services we had for our organization service. Once again, they proved their faithful dedication as servants in the Lord's work.

Bro. Poling's connection to Germany is quite interesting. In the late 1980's he served as an air traffic controller for the *US Air Force in West Berlin*. Two of his daughters, were born there. In 1989 he was on duty the night the wall opened up. The story is fascinating but I will leave that for him to tell you <u>when</u> you have the Polings in to present their field - **Berlin**, **Germany.**

Bro. Scott Poling has our utmost respect and as a missionary of 21 years, I highly recommend him to you.

Your servant in Christ,

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