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“As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God’s varied grace: whoever speaks, as one who speaks oracles of God; whoever serves, as one who serves by the strength that God supplies—in order that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ. To him belong glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.” 1 Peter 4:10-11

Hello, my name is Jeremy Kunkel. I am originally from Kutztown, Pennsylvania. My parents were hard working dairy farmers and they still live on the farm I grew up on. As a kid I worked on the family farm along with my younger sister and brother. I made a decision for Christ soon after I started going to my home church, Grace E.C. in Kutztown, with my family when I was 12 years old. Since then, God has worked through many events in my life which drew me closer to him and stretched in ways I would never have imagined.

After high school I attended Pennsylvania College of Technology, where I earned my associates degree in Architectural Technology. It was during my last year there that I sensed God’s leading to spend my summer serving Him. I wondered if there was a way I could use the skills I had been learning to benefit the building of God’s Kingdom. After an online search for mission opportunities I came across engineering Ministries international (eMi). eMi is a Christian development organization that provides Engineering and Architectural services to Christian ministries serving the poor in developing nations. So the summer after graduating from Pennsylvania College of Technology, I went on a three month internship with eMi. I spent three weeks in India and the remainder of the time in Colorado Springs at eMi’s headquarters office. It was through my life changing internship that I felt God’s call to do this type of work full-time. So in preparation for full-time ministry I went on to Bible college and earned my Bachelor degree in Bible.



Since my internship I have done three short term project trips with eMi. Two were to Uganda and one was to Haiti. It is always a great blessing to be able to serve my brothers and sisters around the world with the skills and gifts God has given me.

At EMI I will hold a Drafter / CAD Standards Coordinator position in the Colorado Springs office. I will help draft project drawings and help maintain and improve eMi’s CAD standards. Even though I will be stationed in the States, all the projects I will work on will be located in developing countries. I look for to see where got will take me as I serve Him. To God alone be the glory!