Being Love with No Strings Attached

God called Dan and Kelli Magan to rural Nelson County, Virginia. He gave them a vision to Be Love to their community with no strings attached, so that they might know the free gift of salvation that God offers.

Dan envisioned The Well as a community center where a church happened to meet. Two days after they signed a lease on an old repair shop, they received word that the BGAV was giving them a grant that would enable them to pay for the materials needed to update the space.

Surprisingly in 2018, many rural communities still rely on slow, expensive satellite internet connections. Getting the fibers run to The Well was no small undertaking, but it met a tangible need in Nelson. Now The Well is running an internet café where job seekers can create résumés and kids can complete their homework.

Nelson County is 435 square miles and has no public parks. The Well is seeking to fulfill the vision of a young lady who tragically lost her life in a car accident—a vision to build a playground for the community that will provide a safe space for people to connect.

People are taking notice and responding. The Well has gone from 15 people meeting in a basement one year ago to just recently renting additional space for an Easter service that topped 115 attendees. Recently, a sweet little boy gave his life to Christ and was baptized there.

Pray that The Well may continue to receive the resources needed for its ministry and services to the community. May God grant them the vision to seek out and provide answered prayers in Nelson.

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