

Evangelism Partners International

“So then Faith comes by hearing and hearing by the word of God.” Romans 10:17

Dear Friends,

As we move into our 7th year of ministry, Sharon and I stand in awe of all that God has done and is doing. Almost eight years ago we had re-read the little book *The Prayer of Jabez*. As we came together for a time of prayer after reading this powerful little book, we simply asked God to expand our borders. Little did we know how He would answer that prayer. Working with our coordinator in Zambia, Iwell Phiri, God has raised up 20 missionaries who are being trained and are committed to moving their families to the various districts of the Eastern Province of Zambia and Western Mozambique. So far we have planted eight missionaries in four districts of Zambia. We will soon be halfway to our goal of planting 20 missionaries as we make plans to plant, during the month of May, George and Agnes Phiri along with their four children. George and his family will be moving to the Chipata District which is about 150 kilometers from their home in Sinda. Please be in prayer for this family as they move all of their earthly possessions (which is not that much) and trust God to make a fresh start in a new area where they most likely will have no friends or family. When we interviewed George and his wife back in October of last year, one of the questions that we asked them was, “Why would you be willing to move your family to a new area where you do not know anyone?” Their answer was because they wanted to fulfill the Great Commission as stated in Matthew 28. These missionaries all answered the same way. We marvel at their commitment to getting the gospel to the un-reached villages in their country. Even as we prayed that prayer almost 8 years earlier, God was already working preparing the way for His work to be expanded.

Besides having two bicycles and a motorcycle, each missionary couple will have some of the latest technology available for sharing the gospel with people who have not heard. Each couple will have a solar powered Jesus Film System in a backpack which can reach groups of up to 2500 people at one time, as well as, 4GB SD Cards that contain the entire Jesus Film and the entire audio New Testament. These SD Cards fit into a CELL PHONE and we have discovered that even in the most remote areas of Zambia and Mozambique, some people have cell phones. Because files can be passed from phone to phone through blue tooth and WiFi, there is great potential for getting the gospel to the uttermost parts of the earth. The following are some pictures of this new technology.



PRAYER REQUEST.....WATER WELL NEEDED FOR EPI TRAINING CENTER PROPERTY.....\$3500

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