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Dear Friends in Christ:

I am getting excited about our journey into Africa once again. We leave August 13th and return August 27th. We will be extremely busy with pastoral teaching and evangelism outreach. My Cree friend, Paul Moses, will be joining me on this trek once again. Paul did an excellent job last year. We will be preaching 12 times between Saturday, August 17th and the following Wednesday, August 21st. We will then have one day off before beginning a series of meetings in other parts of Malawi. Our schedule ends the following Monday, August 26th. The bulk of this will be open air preaching. We will also be showing the Jesus video at night. The main open-air outreach is during the day. At night the Jesus video will be shown on the side of buildings with large crowds coming out to see.

There are a few highlights during the trip:

- We will be dedicating the 10th new church building to the Lord.
- We will also be dedicating the new piece of land which we purchased. We will disclose the name of the farm at that time. We will get to see the new wells which have been drilled through your faithful support.

Last year there were more than 500 professions of faith. Please pray for even more this year. We are indebted to the many people who have invested in this project. We are grateful for all who have prayed. Your notes of encouragement have lifted us in the midst of the battle. I pray that our information and our pictures will help you to be able to sense and feel the excitement that we feel. The people in that area are calling it a miracle. I'm enclosing several pictures for you. I'm going to give some captions to help you understand what is taking place in Africa recently.

Also, it was about five years ago we purchased a vehicle for Pastor Pyton. I rode in that vehicle over roads where the bottom was dragging. It has carried the gospel of Jesus Christ over some rough terrain. When we were there last year, the car failed us a few times. It is still running, but will not make the long treks which we will be forced to make.

I began to pray over this plan yesterday. We will look to purchase a newer vehicle. It would appear that a half ton truck with a cap would be the best option. It certainly would be greatly used to service the small farm that we have now. It would also be great for transporting people. I saw half ton trucks while I was there with so many people in the back, it was scary. It is going to cost around \$20,000 Canadian. We would consider selling the old car and providing motorcycles for some of the pastors with the proceeds. Please pray that we will have clarity from God on His direction.

Some are asking how they can be involved in the Africa Project. Prayer is key to the success of all we do in Malawi. If you would like to make a financial donation to the Africa Project, you can do one of the following. Please ensure you mark your donation as “Africa Project”.

- **Cheque or Money Order** – please make payable to Furtherance Ministries.
- **E-Transfers** – donations can be transferred directly from your bank account to Furtherance Ministries by using email address furtheranceoff@gmail.com.
- **PayPal** – You can go to our website furtheranceministries.com and click on ‘Make A Donation’. If you are using your own PayPal page, please use furtheranceoff@gmail.com.

I just returned from a three-week tour of Quebec and Ontario. We witnessed the blessing of seeing souls saved and a stirring amongst God’s people in several areas. I travelled 5,000 kms or more than 3,000 miles. We were ministered to by great shepherds and their people. The kindness of these men and their churches will not be soon forgotten.

As most of you know I got smitten with kidney stones about three days into the tour. The pain was unbelievable by times. However, I never felt pain while I was speaking or singing. It would many times return when I was finished. I knew people were praying. I kept pushing on until the tour was completed without any cancellations which was only by God’s grace. I returned home to face kidney surgery. The stone was too big to pass on its own and caused some damage to my kidney, which the surgeon believes will heal. I seem to be on the mend now.

I also was bitten by a tick while away on my tour to Quebec/Ontario. It has proven to be only a dog tick. There is no danger of Lymes Disease.

We just baptized four people in the Meduxnekeag River on June 22nd. Two of these are destined to preach the gospel.

There is much excitement and anticipation to what God has instore. We will continue to keep you updated.

Keeping on keeping on for Christ,
Ed, Theresa and Eloise

AFRICA PROJECT



They struck water!



Water for crops.



Solar panels to run pump.



Water tank to store water.



Brick tower to store tank.



Planting begins on the farm.



Chinese Cabbage



Watching the crops grow. Praise God for this miracle.

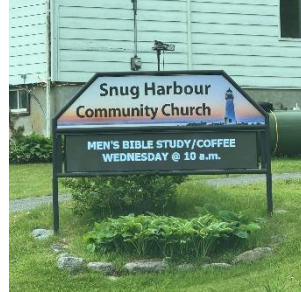


Crops they are currently growing – Chinese Cabbage, bananas, cassava, tomato, oca, paw paw, beans, maize, mpiru.

QUEBEC/ONTARIO TOUR



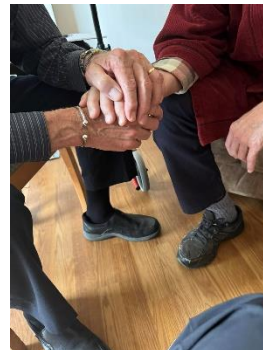
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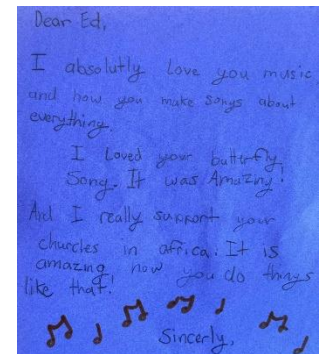
Spragge Bible Church



Ready for the service



Praying with new convert



Encouragement from a young child

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