

Harrison's Field Report for November 2010

Greetings ministry partners in the mighty name of Jesus Christ!

Isaiah 6:8 says "Whom shall we send, and who will go for Us? Then I said, "Here am I send me." Since God is still looking for people to go, we continue to be willing to answer that call.

Thus we are preparing ourselves to go again making our 19th annual team ministry trip to Cuba, and also a return to Southern Sudan and Uganda, Africa.

First, let us say that our time back in Alberta has flown by quickly. We have been able to catch up on many things left undone at home since this is the first entire summer we have been home for several years. We've been able to see family, friends, and do some ministry meetings. George has done a wonderful job of building a den onto our house. The den will give us much needed space for family and friend's visits.

We will leave for Cuba on January 5, for two weeks, with a team of eight. It's a good team and we are looking forward to all that God will accomplish in us and through us. As usual we plan on doing a lot of driving as we visit our network of pastors and their families. There are now just over 20 pastors that receive a small monthly support of \$50 to help them in their struggle against poverty. This financial assistance then frees them to focus on their churches and cell groups. These pastors speak very humbly of walking for miles to care for numerous cell groups. They ask only for prayer and pastor study materials. We love the Cuban people and the work God is doing in this very needy country. We thank Him for allowing us to continue to strengthen His precious pastors over all these years.

We plan, God willing, to return to Southern Sudan in mid-February. In addition to our ongoing ministry duties, there is a lot of hands-on work to do this year both at the main Sudan Christian Outreach base in Kanyara and at their Wudabi clinic site. A second school building will be built this winter at the main base and we have been given the job of renovating 2 rooms into staff housing at the clinic site. Both construction jobs are a big undertaking as there are little to no supplies to be found in our region of Southern Sudan. We have to buy and transport in almost everything from Uganda. We also have a second Solar Oven that has already arrived in Uganda and will need to be delivered and setup. All of this will take a lot of prayer, planning, and funds to accomplish.

So again we will leave the land of nice toilets, drinkable water, real showers, and peaceful streets and cities, returning to a plethora of bugs and creeping things, malaria and other illnesses, heat and ugly roads. Although we enjoy pleasant things when they are available, it is the lack of them that adds character and colour to our lives.

God is good... all the time.

Please pray for our travel arrangements both in Cuba and Africa, health, safety, wisdom, and hearts of compassion as needs and crisis come to us daily in the field.

Romans 10:14,15a says "How then shall they call on Him in Whom they have not believed? And how shall they believe in Him of whom they have not heard? And how shall they hear without a preacher? And how shall they preach unless they are sent?"

Your prayers and financial support have helped us to go... thank you for sending.

In His service

George & Madeline Harrison

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