

REMEMBER WHEN WE ASKED YOU TO PRAY IN DECEMBER 2006?

BEFORE

TODAY



Rev. Jackson, Dean of the Theological Seminary received a mosquito net for his wife and infant. Their month-old child is a surviving twin, their only living child so far. The Jacksons have previously lost eight babies, including this infant's twin. Nutritional supplements were also left for the mother and child. Keep this family in your prayers.



The smiles on the faces of the Jackson family are a *Thank You* to all of you who help us do what we do in these very remote places. Their baby daughter is growing and healthy because of the care you were able to help us provide.

Warren's MISSION NEWS

Touching Lives by Telling and Teaching the Good News of Jesus

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A HALLELUJAH REALITY: RADIO BEAMING ACROSS AZANDE LAND



The Warrens thank you for your help.

Praise God, "GOOD MORNING AZANDE LAND" went out across the airwaves in May 2008. The radio is heard in this part of Africa known as Azande Land, which includes South Sudan, D.R. Congo, and Central African Republic (C.A.R.). "Thank you" from EMI to all of you who prayed and helped make this project a reality. Physical and spiritual battles have been fought for this *victory* with all praise to our Lord Jesus Christ. You have helped us trust Him for this radio station through your prayers and financial support. Work will continue to be done at the radio station on Bangani Hill **with your help**. EMI is directing and training national leaders to run the project. Please know it will take your continued support to keep the radio on the air proclaiming the Gospel throughout Azande Land. The station has email capability through the radio, allowing better communication with the team on the ground, as the broadcasting continues.



Because of you, a highly unlikely project in a highly unlikely place is up and running. But we still need you!



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Upcoming Travel

Please pray as Don travels from July 9-September 15, 2008 in India and Africa.

Pray for Suzy as she travels to teach in Chicago in August.

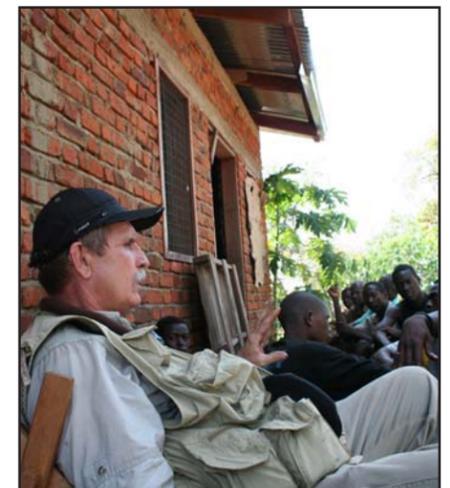


We are committed to be willing to GO into all the world to preach the Gospel. To teach those who will reach others with the Good News. To help those who will reach the next generation for Christ.

We are only able to GO because of you who faithfully support this work with you prayers and financial gifts.

Thank you for helping us make a difference in these difficult areas.

Please help us continue to GO.
Matthew 28:19



Resting after a hard day's work, Don and his crew enjoy the satisfaction of bringing new technology to this remote area.

Going in... GOD GIVES GRACE



Meeting Grace helped Don put one more piece of the puzzle together for the needs of the radio station.



Breven filming from the cockpit put Don in just the right place at just the right time.

After teaching, preaching, and filming, Rev. Paul Hurst, Don and his daughter Breven were finally in route to South Sudan from Kampala, Uganda. Don was especially weary and just wanted to take a nap on the 3-½ hour MAF flight. Breven had asked to sit up in the cockpit to film and that meant Don had to move to the back of the plane for weight distribution. In the rear of the plane there was only one seat open. Unfortunately for Don's desire to take a nap, the open seat was next to a woman, requiring him to share polite conversation. The MAF plane isn't pressurized although it flies at 12,000 feet to avoid sniper fire from the ground. Don knew that with sleep deprivation and limited oxygen, trying to stay awake to fellowship was going to be tough. Seated next to Grace, Don politely, although somewhat reluctantly, began to share pleasantries. He learned that she worked as a radio programmer for Sudan Radio Service. Her services were just what he needed for the radio station in Ezo. Don later found out that she was from an area where he had ministered when he first began working in South Sudan. He asked if she might know Stephen Dokolo, a young man whom he had mentored some years ago, but with whom he had lost contact. Grace's face lit up as she said, "Stephen is my brother." It was all in God's Providence, moving his seat, not taking a nap and meeting a radio programmer named Grace.

Wide-eyes watched as Breven shows the children at this Leper Colony her camera after filming. She was the first Western woman many there had ever seen. Previously when Don had traveled to this area, he was the first outsider



they had seen in 24 years, but most had never seen a woman. An astounding 2% of here are infected with leprosy. Ministry was conducted with an effort being made to return with medical supplies along with the Good News of Jesus Christ.

BUILDING BRIDGES ACROSS BORDERS

What do two Kings say to each other when they meet for the first time? God allowed the EMI team to orchestrate a historic meeting between Chief Becomolomo and Chief Tule. These two chiefs are the respective Kings of their land. They are both from the Azande tribe. Their tribal lands join at the border of DR Congo and South Sudan. They trade at the same market place. Yet they had never met! This was a first in Azande Land in this generation. Now the bridge has been crossed for these Kings to build a relationship for their people to help one another.



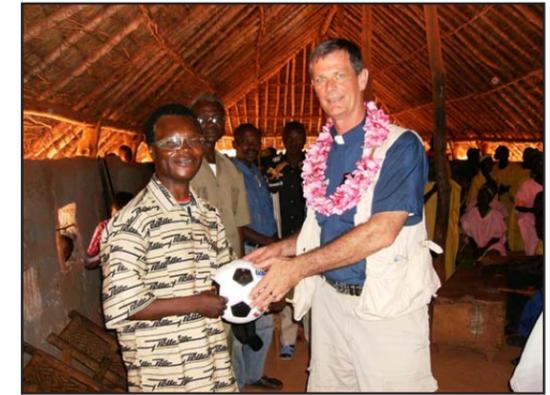
A first - A historic and peaceful meeting of the tribal chiefs.

BEAUTIFUL ARE THE FEET OF THOSE WHO BRING THE GOOD NEWS



Eye Glasses for Missions

EMI trained local technicians and distributed glasses along with the Good News of Jesus Christ in Sudan and DR Congo.



A gift of soccer in Congo.



Back and forth in Sudan and Congo.



EMI provided tools for gardening. They gave back a gift of fresh vegetables.

Coming out...WEEVILS TAKE A RIDE



Breven puts her camera down for the long, bumpy ride to Yambo.



The difficult ride home is made easier by the mission work accomplished.

The truck arrived in Ezo. It takes twelve hours to travel the 105 miles to the airport in Yambio to begin the journey of plane rides back home. The truck seemed a welcome relief from the motorbike caravans they had been on. Breven was asked to sit in the front but decided to stay in the back of the truck with her Father and Pastor Paul. The truck was already quite full, so they chose the only available space left in the very back, a bone-crushing spot to ride in this heavy transport vehicle. An hour down the road it appeared that the ride would be a bit more comfortable as bags of corn were loaded in the back. Maybe now they would have a place to sit after all. So they settled down on the bags for the rest of the journey. After a few minutes and several hard bounces of the road, the bags began to turn black as the weevils made their way out and covered them, crawling in their clothes and shoes for the next eleven hours. The good news was that the weevils didn't bite, but it was quite an unpleasant ride, squishing these bugs all the way to Yambio!