

October 27, 2017

Dear brothers, sisters, partners and friends,

Thank you for the love and support that you have shown to me and both the believers and unbelievers on the continent of Africa by your past prayers and financial support. I remain grateful to you for how you have allowed God to work through and in our partnership for the advancement of His Kingdom here and abroad.

God's eternal, merciful, loving, gracious, perfect plan from past eternity is to return the lost to Jesus, the only true Savior of the world!!! It is exciting and a true blessing that our Lord has drawn us together into partnership for times and unprecedented events such as these. Our God, through our partnership with each other, Lifeway Mission International (Nairobi Kenya- <http://www.lifewaymi.org>) and Emmanuel United Church (Ethiopia- <http://www.ethiopiaemmanuel.org>) is reaching, saving and making disciples of unprecedented numbers of Muslims, Secularists, and various followers of false and deceptive religious movements. I encourage you to visit our partner's web sites to be informed, maybe convicted and definitely blessed.

The time draws near for the return to various regions of Kenya and Ethiopia to provide progressive leadership training in November 2017. This year Dennis Kimball, a member of Crossway Christian Church, will be on mission with us. I will continue to develop and train indigenous leaders in all aspects and levels of life transformation movements for Jesus amongst various unreached people groups, often including Radical Islamist Terrorist. Dennis will be using his skills as a tradesman to assist in the building and maintenance of various schools and orphanages. We are scheduled to depart the U.S. on Friday 11/03/17 and arrive back in U.S. on Saturday afternoon 11/18/17.

Please continue to pray for the following:

- The Lord's provision, protection and perfect plan of peace with Him be granted throughout the entire "Greater Horn of Africa," whose people are suffering from draught, famine, terrorism, civil war and persecution of various types from various perpetrators.
- Miraculous Holy Spirit filling, empowering and enablement for the Lord's harvesters and His harvest.
- Specific discernment from the Lord, as while in Africa I will be learning, discussing and assessing how the Lord may or may not be calling us to partner with Him as He brings justice and loving mercy to the people of South Sudan who are suffering unspeakable atrocities at the hands of North Sudan's terrorist's regime.
- The Lord would multiply our efforts and bring radical transformation through our partnerships.

If you are led of the Lord to pray, please let me know that you are doing so, as it always is a great encouragement to know who is praying for me. If you desire to give your financial support, checks may be sent and made payable to **Crossway Christian Church, PO Box 363, Saco, Maine 04072: Attention Church Treasurer. Please note on the memo line: Africa 2017 and Paul "Chico" Parker.**

I thank God and pray His constant blessing upon you all for your faithful and continued partnership, support and encouragement in ministry.

Sincerely Yours,
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