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"And...they rehearsed all that God had done with them, and how He had opened the door of faith unto the Gentiles." -Acts 14:27

Starting A Church Planting Training Center ... Pray That God Will Be Glorified Here ...



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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,
June 10, 2014

This month I have included a picture of a rather unassuming and unimpressive room. This room is located on the edge of town in Kitale, on the second story of an unfinished and unimpressive looking building. Why have I included this picture of this small and easily forgotten room? Because I have leased it and want to use it to start the Kitale Baptist Church Planting Training Center (or some other appropriate sounding name). This room will have two main purposes as I see it.

1. Teach people, who have never received good Biblical training, about Jesus and the gospel and 2. Train and model for disciples of Jesus how to start, organize, maintain and reproduce new Baptist churches in Kenya.

For those of you who talked with me or saw my video during our recent time in the States, you know this is a slight alteration to my plans. My original thinking was to open such a training center in a mud house out in a village and then pursue the above objectives there in that house. After much prayer and thoughtful consideration, we have decided instead to open a church planting training center right in town. Without wanting to bore you with details, I

would like to try and explain why we think this is the better option:

It would be centrally located and easy to find. Everyone will be able to get to it from just about anywhere close to town. It would be easy to direct people to its location whereas directing people to a "mud" house in a village would be challenging.

We would be accessible to many more people if we were in town than we would be out in a village (where we would be accessible pretty much only to the people of that village).

It can be small and stocked with Kenyan furniture (much like we would have stocked the "mud" house) so that it can be used exactly as we would have used a mud hut in a village to model for the students/disciples/church planters our approach to church planting.

We could do some evangelism in and around town (and encourage some of our students to do the same). People who are interested in learning a little about the Bible and what it really means to be a Christian, but who do not want to be a church planter, could come to the center where we could teach them a Basic Christianity course. Again, in town it would be much more accessible and more people could come. Even if 99.9% of these people would be coming because of what they hope to get from the missionaries, at least they would also be receiving some good Biblical teaching about what a Christian really is as opposed to what they normally hear at the majority of the national churches.

As we come up with different kinds of community help ideas that will actually work, I think it will be much more suitable and work better in town than elsewhere.

We could always set up satellite training centers in villages if there was need or desire to do so.

The bottom line is that using this room in town keeps intact our model and approach to teaching Kenyans how to plant churches while keeping us centrally located and easily accessible. God can use this unimposing little room to start a church planting revolution here in Kitale if He so chooses. This is what we are praying for and that God would be glorified in this place.

Until next month, beloved. May God's peace and joy be with you.

For the glory of God in East Africa,
Roger, Julie, Emily, Amy, and Josiah Tate

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PRAY AND PRAISE! in this issue...

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June 2014—PRAY & PRAISE in this issue...

• **ODALI AND KATHY BARROS**—PRAISE GOD for the work in Ubim going well. PRAY for their Monday night services and childrens classes in Ubim. PRAISE GOD for the way He has worked in Odali's life and for making a lasting generational change that also affected his family.

• **MIKE AND BEV CREIGLOW**—PRAISE GOD for growth in Pé da Terra and plans for a new building in Porto Walter. PRAY for the church in Santa Rosa who has just called a new pastor from First Baptist Cruzeiro do Sul. PRAISE GOD for recent baptisms in the mountain works along the Moa River.

• **JOHN AND ALTA HATCHER**—PRAISE GOD for a blessed time in Lexington and for providing a place for them in Florida. PRAY for them as they transition to Florida. PRAY for the works in Brazil that are continuing as they are away.

• **JOHN MARK AND JUDY HATCHER**—PRAISE GOD for the nine committed believers in Mazere who are sharing their faith! PRAY for patience as they wait while God grows potential leaders. PRAISE GOD for how He is working in the lives of adults and children in Tournefeuille.

• **PAUL AND WANDA HATCHER**—PRAISE GOD for leading, guiding, and providing a place for them to rent in Florida. PRAY for Pastor Adolfo Escote who is having eye problems. PRAY for the new church plant in northern Brazil that is getting ready to incorporate. PRAISE GOD for church plants that are growing!

• **AJ AND BARBARA HENSLEY**—PRAISE GOD for starting to soften the heart of the chief of the Indian village. PRAY for those in the Indian Village, that they would come to know Christ as their Savior. PRAISE GOD for the team from Georgia who helped with a VBS and accomplished lots of projects on their list.

• **NATHAN AND CARRIE RADFORD**—PRAY for their return to Kenya. PRAY that the Lord will direct them to the work permits and paperwork they need to complete. PRAISE GOD for those who "hold the ropes."

• **ROGER AND JULIE TATE**—PRAISE GOD for the room Roger has leased to start a church planting training center. PRAY for the Lord to start a church planting revolution in Kitale and that He will be glorified in that place.

• **BOBBY AND CHARLENE WACASER**—PRAISE GOD for one repaired Projeto Vida motorhome and the privilege of sharing the Gospel in 9 schools! PRAY for the mission team coming from Phoenix who will be presenting the Gospel in 6 schools and 3 parks. PRAISE GOD for faithful family who serves and shows the love of Christ.

CHANGED DATES FOR THANKSGIVING CONFERENCE

The New Hope Missionary Baptist Church will be hosting the Thanksgiving Conference again this November – but it will not be during Thanksgiving week this year. The new dates will be Monday-Wednesday – November 10, 11, 12. Please note and mark these new dates.

Thankful For Those Sharing Their Faith ... God Is Working In Adults And Children ...



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Dear Brothers and Sisters, June 5, 2014

Seventy years ago Americans along with others of the Allied Forces were embarking on the mission to recover Europe from the clutches of Hitler. Both Judy's father and mine were a part of this massive operation. God used the involvement of our parents in the retaking of France to speak to our hearts about the spiritual needs of France.

In the Fall of 1997 Judy and I visited the beaches of Normandy during a trip to celebrate our wedding anniversary. This was our first trip to Europe together and we had no idea that God would ever place us here as His witnesses. During the week we spent in France, we saw no evidence of Biblical Christianity. This led us to start researching about the spiritual condition of France. It was the first of many sign posts

that God used to direct us to France as missionaries.

It hardly seems possible that we have now been in France over 14 years in the service of the Lord. He has given us the opportunity to minister to French and Germans as well as many other nationalities during this time. The Good News of Jesus Christ, the Prince of Peace, brings peace between us and God as well as between us and former human enemies. To God be the Glory.

But, make no mistake about it, we are still in a battle. However, we fight "not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places." An this country is certainly living in darkness. Though followers of Christ in France are a very small minority, the light of God that shines through us is "mighty through God to the pulling down of strong holds". So, we give God all the glory and seek to be used by Him.

I am encouraged by the spiritual growth in the men of our congregation. Sometimes I get impatient because we so desperately need leaders who know God's Word and are mature in Christ. So, you can pray for God to enable me through His Spirit to be

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Praise God For Plans For New Building... Please Pray For Church In Santa Rosa...



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Dear Brethren, June 12, 2014

Today is a big deal any way you look at it. Today is "Valentines Day" in Brazil. Today is the opening game of the World Cup soccer tournament, which is being held in Brazil. The tournament returns to Brazil after our loss in the final match in 1950. The really big deal today though, is that Bev and I have now been married for 44 years! Time flies when you are having fun and boy are we having fun.

Last month I made two river trips and two road trips visiting our works in the interior. The first trip was to preach a couple of times at Pé da Terra. The church there has really picked up since Aésio took over as pastor. This church is on the road to Máncio Lima. They are having an attendance over 100 in a very rural setting.

The next trip was up the Juruá River to work with the congregation there on their plans to build a new building. Their old wooden building is shot. They have such crowds that the floor is starting to sag. Even so they are going to shore it up and add another 12 feet to the length of it until they can get the ball rolling on their new facilities. We came to the consensus that they should build a 2 story brick building with 8 classrooms and other rooms on the lower floor and the second floor will be their new auditorium. They will have access to the auditorium directly from street level via a ramp, since the property is on a slope. Upon my return home I drew up the floor plans and virtual views. Last week I took those up to present and explain to the congregation. I will include a picture with Pastor Alexandre and me holding up one of the sets of drawings. They don't have much money, but they are excited.

My next visit was to Santa Rosa. They called one of our guys from First Baptist to be their new pastor. They had been without a pastor for a few months and we had been helping them by sending someone every weekend and sometimes during the week,

too. They called Alquimar, nicknamed "Guima". He and his wife, Isabel, have a little boy called Douglas. Their building is very nice and even has AC! It was packed for the Sunday night service when we officially "installed" him in the pulpit.

Somewhere in there Hudson and I made it back to the mountains on the Moa River. There was still quite a bit of water in the river, so the trip was long but a breeze. We didn't even get rained on! We had the congregations from República and Serra together for the weekend. On Sunday morning we held a baptism and 14 were baptized.

Last week Hudson and I went all the way back up the Juruá River to the Peruvian border where we gathered 4 of our missionaries and had a 3 day visit with our congregation, too. The river is now very low. We went in my 16' shallow water boat with 25HP outboard. We managed to get there with the prop drive. However I took the jet drive, just in case. Well it was the case. The river went down another 12 to 18 inches during the days we were there. On Sunday afternoon it took us a couple of hours to switch out the prop drive for the jet pump. We got it all checked out and tested before the last service that evening. We got up at 4 something in the morning and were already on the river by 5:00AM. It was still pitch dark, but that is not a problem for the jet drive as long as you can keep the boat between the river banks. It took us 15 hours to come down stream. It is over 455Km (284 miles) from the border to Cruzeiro do Sul. After we got past the last set of rapids we stopped and switched back to the prop drive. It took us only 28 minutes to make the swap. Otherwise we would have been on the river for 18 hours. By 8:00PM I had the boat out of the water. That was an ordeal, which I am trying to forget. We still have no boat ramp in the largest city on the Juruá River! Beverly was waiting to make me some supper after the 24 hour fast.

Thanks for all of your prayers and support. God bless you as much as He has us.

In Christ,
Mike Creiglow



Laying on hands on Alquimar at Santa Rosa Church.

Moving or Getting A New Address?

You can help keep our cost down and assure that you do not miss any issue of the "Mission Sheet" if you will notify us of any change of address. When writing please include your old and new address.

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If you would like to help BFM through donations of appreciated real estate, stocks, bonds, mutual funds and avoid capital gains taxes, please call BFM for detailed information.

Pray For Us As We Transition To Florida... Pray The Works Continuing In Brazil...



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Dear Brethren and Friends; June 5, 2014

We (Alta and I) want to thank all of you that made our short visit to Lexington so pleasant and happy. Especially, we want to thank Brother Dave Parks and the people of Thompson Road Baptist Church for all the preparation of the Mission house. We lacked nothing and had more than enough. Thank you, Brother Parks, and your people!

As you know by now, our son Paul and his wife, Wanda, are caring for us in our traveling and housing. (It is not a sin to grow old, but sometimes it shows our weaknesses and disabilities.) Thank you, Paul and Wanda, for your care and love.

We are sorry that there was not enough time to visit churches as we have always done. We thank the New Life Baptist Church and their pastor, Steve Wainright, and his wife for the special fellowship they shared with us.

MOVE TO FLORIDA. The Lord willing, we will spend the rest of our furlough in Florida where Paul arranged living quarters. Our address for a couple of months is: 615 Key West Ave, Davenport, FL 33897-3600.

The plan is for us to be at this address for about two months. Anyone desiring to write us can use this address. We will notify you of any future change of address.

INVITED TO PREACH. Brother Dave Parks invited me to preach on the next Sunday before we left Lexington. He did not think Paul would arrange our move before the end of that week. I had two sermons prepared, but we traveled on that Friday, and I did not get to bring the message. However, I decided to include one of the outlines in this letter. I hope it will be a blessing to someone.

THREE PSALMS TO GUIDE OUR LIVES
1. The Secret of Personal Spiritual Success. Psalm 1; (Verse 3 has one of the greatest promises made to man); 2. The Secret to having a Happy Family and Their Children. Psalm 127; and 3. The Blessed Future of a Godly Home. Psalm 128. Every word in this Psalm offers future hope and blessings for the Godly family.

May our Lord Bless each of you is our desire and prayer. We love you and thank you for all you have done for our ministry in Brazil.

Sincerely,
John and Alta Hatcher

Serving In Brazil For Forty Years... In The United States On Furlough...

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Dear Friends, June 15, 2014

God is always so gracious and wonderful. We are all doing well; and, each new day we are glad and rejoice in our Lord and savior Jesus Christ. We continue to have great joy as we visit and renew our friendship with so many we have not seen by reason of our distance overseas.

Since we've been in the states we had the joy of visiting and sharing mission stories with the following churches:

Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church - Pr. Earl Thomas

Thompson Road Baptist Church - Pr. Dave Parks

New Life Baptist Church - Pr. Steve Wainright

We have also been blessed as we attended services and saw old friends at: Bryan Station Baptist Church, Ashland Avenue Baptist Church, Heritage Baptist Church and in Florida: Park Ridge Baptist Church, Jordan Baptist Church, Chapel Baptist Church.

We have found a place to rent in Davenport, Florida; and we are grateful as the Lord has opened up the doors before us. That which was difficult He has made clear and easy. Thanks to our wonderful Lord and Shepherd. We appreciate all those

who prayed for us as we were looking and moving.

We are in contact almost every day with our brethren in Brazil. Our family is all well and the churches continue to be blessed and grow with the adding of those saved. Final preparations are being made to help the church plant in Macapá, capital of the state of Amapá in northern Brazil to organize as a church and incorporate. Incorporation is a rather lengthy and complicated affair; but God always sees it through. It has been taking about one year to complete the governmental process.

I have a special prayer request to share: Pastor Adolfo Escote, pastor of the Second Baptist Church of Santa Etelvina, in Manaus, had retina displacement in both eyes and is in serious risk of losing most or all of his sight. Pray for God's grace to be richly and abundantly supplied to him and his family, as well as healing from the Lord Jesus Christ.

God bless each of you; thanks for your prayer and faithful support to the work of missions. May God be your great reward. We pray for you that your remembrance and knowledge of our Lord, the only true God, may abundantly increase, that your trust and faith in him may be steadfast in all things, and that the love of the spirit may fill and overflow in your every word and action with thanksgiving to God though Jesus Christ our only Lord and Life.

Love,
Paul and Wanda Hatcher

HATCHER

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patient. The congregation in Tournefeuille is doing well and we are thankful for what is happening in the various week day Bible studies connected to this congregation. We are also delighted to see how God is working in the lives of the children and young people who participate in the Sunday School and Youth meetings.

The meetings that we hold in Mazere, one hour south of Tournefeuille, are also a cause for rejoicing. There are now nine

committed believers who participate in this Bible study and they are sharing the Good News with family members and others with whom they contact.

In two days we will be having our yearly neighborhood dinner. There are a number of new families in our area and this allows us to start relationships with them. Pray that God will enable us to use these opportunities to effectively communicate the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Your fellow laborers in France,
John and Judy Hatcher



Pastor Alexandre and me with floor plans for new building at Port Walter on upper Juruá River.



Giving instructions to fourteen candidates just before baptisms at mountains of Moa River.

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Praising God For Repaired Motorhome ... Pray For Mission Team Coming From Phoenix ...



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host a youth group from a Baptist church in Phoenix, AZ. Jessie has such a passion for sharing God's word and love and she uses her dual language ability and network of friends to put together a wonderful team of volunteers to help us. I could not be happier... well, unless our son, Brennen, could be here too. But then again, only Heaven reserves the perfect life. We'll be missing you something fiercely, little Buddy. He just finished the 10th grade in the USA.

We have one of our Projeto Vida motorhomes repaired and back in operation and have begun the body work repairs on the Alpha motorhome. The Lord saw fit to raise up the funds to pay for these expenses and we are extremely thankful. During the month of May we were able to take the gospel message into 9 public schools and spoke to over 4000 students. We know many were touched by the Word and several shared with us that they had surrendered their lives to Christ. This week, with the arrival of the youth group from Phoenix, AZ we will be taking the gospel into 6 more schools and also presenting gospel skits in three public parks. We are praying and expecting the Lord to make Himself known through these efforts.

We just received a container full of gospel booklets to distribute during the World Cup Soccer games that begin this coming Thursday here in Brazil. Most of you know how much Brazil is enthused about soccer, so you also can imagine what a door of opportunity is open for us to share these booklets among the crowds that will be showing up at the stadiums and sporting venues. We will be leading our church members to seek to pleasantly offer these gospel booklets at these events and be willing to take a personal moment to answer any questions or more fully explain the Word of Christ.

Charlene and I are very grateful for your prayers on our behalf. We are also thankful to God for using your sacrificial offerings so that we may continue to carry on our outreach ministries here in southern Brazil.

Thank you,
Bobby and Charlene Wacaser

Founder's Day Offering Appeal From the BFM Directors

*"...Let us run with patience the race that is set before us,
looking unto Jesus the Author and Finisher of our faith..." Hebrews 12:1-2*

Dear Giving Friend,

Baptist Faith Missions is a work of faith. June is Founder's Month, a time in which we acknowledge the sacrifices made by missionaries that have faithfully served the Lord. Over the years dozens of BFM missionaries have gone by faith to the countries of Brazil, Peru, Honduras, South Korea, the Philippines, France, and Kenya, Africa.

By faith, some have died in their lands of ministry or have buried family members in a strange land. Others have suffered deprivations of all sorts. All have left behind family, customs, and comforts. They all went out by faith, having promise of nothing except "if you go, we will support you as God provides the funds." Many others at home have sacrificed by the same faith to give so these could go.

Thousands have been saved from the darkness and doom of sin and idolatry. Scores of churches have been established. Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ has been glorified by the preaching of His Gospel and the conversion of many believers.



Your support for the BFM General Fund has relieved your missionary of many worldly concerns and allowed him to focus

on the spiritual tasks at hand. Because of your support, he and his family are less distracted by secular worries such as a regular salary, housing and ministry expense allowances, health insurance, travel expenses, newsletter/report expenses, educational scholarships, and retirement concerns.

Baptist Faith Missions could not do what we do without supporters like you, and we look forward to continued partnership with you in the future in our fellowship of missionary ministry. We, and those we serve, deeply appreciate and praise your generosity.

Last year's Founder's Day Offering enabled us to NOT have to reduce our missionaries' monthly deposits. Without this offering, it would have been necessary to do so.

We, the Directors of BFM, appeal to you to ask God what He wants you to do and then respond to the promptings of the Holy Spirit. In support of HIS work, as the LORD leads, please consider giving to the BFM General Fund.

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Sincerely,
Council of Directors
Baptist Faith Missions

Thankful For Safe Travels To And From States ... Please Pray For Our Health And All The Works Here ...



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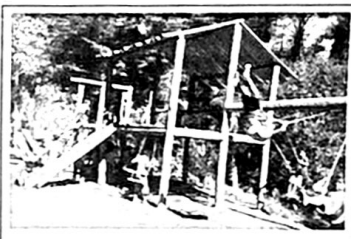
Friends and family,

June 76, 2014

This month has turned into a wonderful time of ministry in our area. We have, with the help of our friends from 1st Baptist Centerville Georgia, completed another drywall project in our Church building (this area we will be using as a storage room). What a blessing. We were also able to do a Bible School at our Church and there were 53 kids more or less. We also painted the lower half of the Church building dark blue, and it completely changed its appearance.

We put many months of planning into the projects that were accomplished and when the group arrived we hit the ground running. Everything turned out wonderful. After the work here at the Church building, we went to the Indian reservation in Parati to build a playground for the children. Now this playground area as it turned out was a monster of a project. It took three days of intense, muddy, hard work.

As we were working the children started to work with us. Helping carry logs, set up our tools and building their own things with our scraps. Needless to say the work slows down when children appear on the work site.



But it was just AWESOME!!! Now you might ask, 'Why did we build this playground for these children?' The answer is simple, we want to reach that village for our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

The Chief of this tribe is 95 years old and on our other visits he shows up to greet us and receive the presents that we bring him (usually I take a knife or a baseball cap or something personal for him) and he goes back to his home. This time as the construction began to take shape, he climbed up on a rise and began to watch (either the work or the children playing and us interacting with them). I think for the first time he began to see us differently. This tribe has a missionary working with them and we just work with him in these endeavors. We and he are allowed to witness

to these Indians only in their homes, but this time that was different also. As we gave them their food baskets (there were 25), we were allowed to pray with them where we were working. As we were taking the group picture, the Chief disappeared and then returned with the most beautiful bow and arrow. He then presented it to me as the group leader from him and his tribe.

Now that might not seem like much to you. However we were told later that this is the first time the chief or the tribe has given a present to an outsider. We are working toward the goal to open this tribe so that the Gospel can be preached there freely. In the 3-5 years that we have been going there, we only know of 5 people that have accepted the Lord as their Savior. That does not seem like much, but that is 5 that will not go to hell.

It is our prayer that you pray for them and the work that goes on there. There are around 250-300 people that are in this tribe. They ALL need to know our Lord and Savior as their personal Savior.

It has been just an AWESOME month of work here in Brasil.

On the other side, our truck has just gotten out of the garage getting the motor overhauled and back on the road. Thanks to Pastor Todd and Church for the financial help. Our bus got out of the garage last Saturday but went back in on Monday. As they were removing some parts to do some minor work, the brake drums fell out in their hands. So we will be without a bus until these repairs can be done. We have had the shocks replaced, broken springs replaced, and the drive shaft support was hanging on by one screw, and now the brakes. But God has protected us through all this. We could have had a big accident if any one of these things had finished breaking on the road. But God protected us. Is He not AWESOME!!! And through all these expenses, He is supplying our daily needs.

Keep praying for the Church as it is growing each week. Sunday night we had 82 in attendance. There seems to be 5 or more visitors each week. To God be the glory!

Keep in your prayers the seminary in September, the Indian village, the prison ministry, the rehabilitation center and the orphanage and our health. Thank you in advance for your prayers. And if you want to help with the expenses for the bus you can contribute through Baptist Faith Missions.

This month has also been one of celebration: Barbara and I have had our 48th anniversary and I am having another birthday. Thanks for all the well wishes.

In His service,
Aj and Barb Hensley

KEEP UP WITH WHAT IS HAPPENING AS IT HAPPENS!

You can keep up with what is happening in BFM as it happens by logging on to our website regularly, and especially the FaithWorks blog page. As our missionaries write their monthly newsletters, they are immediately posted there as we receive them.

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Emmanuel BC, Irvine, KY.....	200.00
Estes, Jason, Lexington, KY (Giving Friend).....	50.00
Faith BC, Kirksville, MO.....	204.00
Faith Missionary BC, Leighton, AL.....	250.00
First BC of Buffalo, WV.....	100.00
First BC, Science Hill, KY.....	300.00
Foster, Peggy, Evansville, IN (Giving Friend).....	50.00
Friend In Virginia.....	550.00
Goldfloss BC, Winston-Salem, NC.....	25.00
Goodsprings BC, Rogersville, AL.....	354.80
Grace BC, Beattyville, KY.....	100.00
Grace Missionary BC, Wyandotte, MI.....	200.00
Hardman Fork BC, Normantown, WV.....	1,800.00
Hatcher, John & Alta, Urai, Brasil (Giving Friends).....	30.00
Hensley, A.J. & Barbara, Caraguatatuba, Brasil (Giving Friends).....	60.00
Heritage BC, Lexington, KY.....	1,378.00
Highpoint BC, Alexandria, KY.....	28.00
Immanuel BC, Riverview, MI.....	200.00
Isbell Chapel BC, Tusculumbia, AL.....	75.00
Jones, Michael, Cincinnati, OH (Giving Friend).....	50.00
Jordan BC, Sanford, FL.....	200.00
Kahut, Donald, Xenia, OH (Giving Friend).....	100.00
Kangas, Donald, Murfreesboro, TN (Giving Friend).....	10.00
Kentucky Giving Friends.....	600.00
King, Doug & Ramona, Arcadia, FL (Giving Friends).....	160.00
Kirkman, Paul, Fairborn, OH (Giving Friend).....	100.00
Lake Road BC, Clio, MI.....	367.00
Lauffenburger, Fred & Mary, Youngsville, PA (Giving Friends).....	300.00
Lear, Margaret, Lexington, KY (Giving Friend).....	50.00
Liberty Missionary BC, Mt. Zion, WV.....	125.00
Mansfield Bap. Temple, Mansfield, OH.....	50.00
Matthews Mem. Church, Stevenson, AL.....	50.00
Morris, Byron & Alma, Wichita, KS (Giving Friends).....	110.00
Mount Calvary BC, Charleston, WV.....	700.00
Mt. Pisgah Baptist Assoc., Normantown, WV (Dawson BC).....	250.00
New Hope BC, Dearborn Heights, MI.....	385.00
Oak Grove BC, Normantown, WV.....	100.00
Oliver, Mack & Elizabeth, Stonypoint, NC (Giving Friend).....	200.00
Park Ridge BC, Gotha, FL.....	658.56
Redding, Warren & Barbara, Cumming, GA (Giving Friend).....	200.00
Rocky Springs Miss. BC, Gray, TN.....	50.00
Rosedale BC, Rosedale, WV.....	2,000.00
Seventh Street BC, Cannelton, IN.....	120.00
Sims, James, Rock Hill, SC (Giving Friend).....	350.00
Storms Creek Miss. BC, Ironton, OH.....	3,049.29
Tabernacle BC, Mims, FL.....	200.00
Thompson Road BC, Lexington, KY.....	764.00
Union BC, Russell Springs, KY.....	50.00
Valley View BC, Richmond, KY.....	10.00
Whaley, Lois, Winston-Salem, NC (Giving Friend).....	210.00
White, George, Pueblo, CO (Giving Friend).....	50.00

Wood, Neree, Columbia, SC (Giving Friend).....	100.00
Total.....	24,556.21
IN MEMORIUM	
Orrick, Jim, Pewee Valley, KY In Memory Of Irene Orrick.....	50.00
Overbey, Dale & Doris, Valparaiso, IN In Memory Of J.F. Brandon.....	350.00
York, Doris, Princeton, KY.....	200.00
In Memory Of Wallace York.....	200.00
Total.....	600.00
THANKSGIVING OFFERING	
Baker, Karl & Rebecca, Georgetown, KY.....	100.00
Total.....	100.00
SPRING CONFERENCE OFFERING FOR GENERAL FUND	
At Thompson Rd. BC, Lexington, KY.....	1,000.00
Total.....	1,000.00
H.H. OVERBEY SCHOLARSHIP FUND	
Storms Creek Miss. BC, Ironton, OH.....	100.00
Total.....	100.00
BIBLES FOR INDIA (Louis Maple Memorial Fund)	
Beech Grove BC, Lancaster, KY.....	50.00
Blake, Stephen & Eva, Lexington, KY.....	25.00
Grace BC, Mt. Vernon, KY.....	10.00
Grace Missionary BC, Wyandotte, MI.....	20.00
Head, Anthony & Mary, Lawrenceburg, KY.....	100.00
Knight, Steven, Harrisburg, IL.....	500.00
Ojibwe Baptist Church, Rosebush, MI.....	125.00
Ojibwe BC, Rosebush, MI.....	140.00
Ransom Baptist Mission, Richmond, KY.....	30.00
Reese, Patty Lou, Mount Vernon, KY.....	80.00
River City BC, Louisville, KY.....	50.00
Sucharski, Francis & Debra, Wyandotte, MI.....	10.00
Todd, Larry, Chattanooga, TN.....	5.00
Total.....	1,145.00
ODALIBARROS	
Adams, William & Arbia, Lexington, KY As Needed.....	50.00
Addyston BC, Addyston, OH.....	100.00
Battlecreek Ind. BC, S. Pittsburg, TN.....	100.00
Bible BC, Harrisburg, IL, As Needed.....	225.00
Calvary BC, Richmond, KY Alpha & Omega.....	140.00
Concord BC, Leesville, SC, As Needed.....	80.00
Heritage BC, Lexington, KY Alpha & Omega.....	15.00
Hillcrest BC, Winston-Salem, NC.....	50.00
Liberty Missionary BC, Mt. Zion, WV Alpha & Omega.....	25.00
Total.....	785.00
MIKE CREIGLOW	
Addyston BC, Addyston, OH New Work.....	100.00
Bible BC, Clarksville, TN, Boat Gas.....	105.00
Bible BC, Harrisburg, IL, As Needed.....	200.00
Bible BC, Harrisburg, IL Andrew Creiglow.....	175.00
A Friend, Travel Expense.....	500.00
Calvary BC, Richmond, KY Andrew Creiglow.....	100.00
Concord BC, Leesville, SC, As Needed.....	80.00
Elliott BC, Grenada, MS, Food Pantry.....	191.57
Emmanuel BC, Bellbrook, OH.....	50.00
Faith Missionary BC, Leighton, AL.....	200.00
Faith Missionary BC, Leighton, AL Special Offering.....	250.00
Grace BC, Fairborn, OH, As Needed.....	50.00
King, Doug & Ramona, Arcadia, FL Andrew Creiglow.....	20.00
Lake Road BC, Clio, MI Andrew Creiglow.....	32.00
Pleasant Ridge BC, Lexington, KY Personal.....	300.00
Proctor, Evelyn, Clermont, FL.....	50.00
Seventh Street BC, Cannelton, IN.....	50.00
Total.....	2,453.57
JOHN A. HATCHER	
Addyston BC, Addyston, OH Building.....	100.00
Anonymous.....	110.00
Bible BC, Harrisburg, IL.....	100.00
As Needed.....	100.00
Concord BC, Leesville, SC, As Needed.....	80.00
Dowell, Carolyn, Crab Orchard, KY.....	200.00
East Keys BC, Springfield, IL.....	25.00
Emmanuel Missionary BC, Oldtown, KY Personal.....	100.00
Friendship BC, Bristol, VA.....	50.00
Grace BC, Fairborn, OH As Needed.....	50.00
Spicer, Keith & Dee, Matthews, NC As Needed.....	400.00
Storms Creek Missionary BC, Ironton, OH Maria.....	150.00
Wood, Neree, Columbia, SC, As Needed.....	100.00
Total.....	1,465.00
PAUL HATCHER	
Addyston BC, Addyston, OH SEMINARY.....	100.00
Concord BC, Leesville, SC SEMINARY.....	80.00
Emmanuel BC, Bellbrook, OH.....	50.00

Guthrie, Larry, Athens, GA Michael Samples.....	100.00
Life Church Of Athens, Athens, GA Michael Samples.....	250.00
Mount Calvary BC, Charleston, WV Mission Team.....	100.00
Trinity-Northbrook BC, Cincinnati, OH SEMINARY.....	40.00
Total.....	720.00
JUDSON HATCHER	
Addyston BC, Addyston, OH.....	70.00
Friendship BC, Bristol, VA.....	50.00
Total.....	120.00
JOHN MARK HATCHER	
Addyston BC, Addyston, OH.....	100.00
Anonymous, Personal.....	50.00
Concord BC, Leesville, SC As Needed.....	80.00
Emmanuel BC, Evansville, IN Personal.....	450.00
Evans, James & Carolyn, Evansville, IN Personal.....	100.00
Gerg, Galen & Tamara, Columbus, OH.....	50.00
Grace BC, Fairborn, OH, As Needed.....	50.00
King, Doug & Ramona, Arcadia, FL As Needed.....	20.00
Mount Calvary BC, Charleston, WV.....	100.00
Webb, Norman, Newburgh, IN, Personal.....	50.00
Shofner, Frank & Sylvia, Evansville, IN Personal.....	180.00
Trabant, Michelle, Chandler, IN Personal.....	130.00
Warren, John & Vickie, Evansville, IN.....	50.00
Total.....	1,410.00
A.J. HENSLEY	
Ashland Avenue BC, Lexington, KY.....	125.00
Bible BC, Harrisburg, IL As Needed.....	50.00
Concord BC, Leesville, SC As Needed.....	80.00
Elliott BC, Grenada, MS.....	191.57
Gerth, Author & Brenda, Versailles, KY As Needed.....	30.00
Heritage BC, Lexington, KY.....	15.00
Immanuel BC, Monticello, KY School.....	70.00
Joiner, Charles & Kandace, Centerville, GA SCHOOL.....	50.00
Lear, Margaret, Lexington, KY Personal.....	25.00
Mt. Eden BC, Hawesville, KY School.....	150.00
Pleasant Ridge BC, Lexington, KY Personal.....	300.00
Poe, Dane & Connie, Lexington, KY... New Work.....	50.00
Rightway Drywall Inc, Macon, GA Personal.....	600.00
Second BC, Warner Robins, GA.....	79.32
Suburban Christian Church, Virginia Beach, VA SPECIAL.....	417.00
Thompson Paul & Virginia, Winchester, KY... Feed The Kids.....	100.00
Union BC, Cynthia, KY Personal.....	300.00
Total.....	2,632.89
NATHAN RADFORD	
Addyston BC, Addyston, OH.....	100.00
Addyston BC, Addyston, OH Carrie Radford.....	25.00
Anonymous, Support.....	300.00

Bakker, Jason & Julie, Chambersburg, PA.....	50.00
Bible BC, Belva, WV.....	100.00
Bible BC, Harrisburg, IL As Needed.....	75.00
Black, Gary & Sandra, Scott Depot, WV.....	300.00
Bush, Dale & Pamela, Richmond, KY Where Needed.....	150.00
Calvary BC, Hurricane, WV Special Offering.....	170.00
Concord BC, Leesville, SC As Needed.....	80.00
Cullen, Tom & Laura, Letart, WV.....	50.00
Danielson, Betty, Titusville, PA.....	20.00
Danielson, Rodney & Anne, Plano, TX.....	75.00
Elizabeth BC, Bancroft, WV.....	326.00
Emmanuel BC, Bellbrook, OH.....	100.00
Emmanuel BC, Bellbrook, OH As Needed.....	200.00
Fairview Bible Church, Letart, WV.....	100.00
Faith BC, Wilmington, OH.....	133.00
First BC of Buffalo, WV.....	60.00
Furnas, Grant & Linda, Crestwood, KY.....	40.00
Gaal, Stephen & Martha, Hurricane, WV.....	75.00
God's Lighthouse Ch., Cross Lanes, WV.....	50.00
Grace BC, Lima, OH Special Offering.....	834.00
Grace BC, Lima, OH.....	00.00
Grace BC, Minford, OH.....	165.00
Grace Missionary BC, Surgoinville, TN.....	50.00
Grace Missionary BC, Wyandotte, MI.....	150.00
Harper, David, Concord, NC.....	25.00
Hugenin, Ben & Lisa, Mt. Airy, MD.....	40.00
Johnson, Danny & Cathy, Deland, FL.....	20.00
Jordan BC, Sanford, FL.....	92.50
Kibby, Bart & Frances, Pittsfield, PA.....	150.00
Kincaid, John & Jane, Scott Depot, WV.....	50.00
Lear, Margaret, Lexington, KY.....	25.00
Lewis, Lowell & Sue, Milton, WV.....	25.00
Lloyd, Billy & Sharon, Letart, WV.....	200.00
Lloyd, Billy & Sharon, Letart, WV Hospital.....	100.00
Lloyd, J.T. & Heather, New Haven, WV Support.....	240.00
Loosenort, Kurt & Virginia, Grand Rapids, MI.....	100.00
Matheny, Charles & Betty, New Port Richey, FL Personal.....	40.00
Matheny, Charles & Betty, New Port Richey, FL Hospital.....	10.00
Messing, Jacqueline, Grand Rapids, MI.....	700.00
Mitchell, Matthew & Holly, Ossian, IN.....	150.00
Nizio, James & Victoria, Dearborn, MI.....	30.00
Parker, Steven, Burlington, IA.....	10.00
Phalen, Larry & Naomi, Concord, NC.....	200.00
Rawley, Philip & Sarah, Rockwall, TX.....	200.00
Ripley Tabernacle BC, Ripley, WV.....	50.00
Rollins, David & Patricia, Hurricane, WV.....	50.00
Sahlberg, William & Janet, Coopersville, MI.....	50.00
Seventh Street BC, Cannelton, IN.....	50.00
Sheriff, Richard & Laurie, Clarendon, PA.....	100.00
Smith, Doug & Anna, Hurricane, WV.....	30.00
Teays Valley BC, Hurricane, WV.....	100.00
Wade, James, Abingdon, VA.....	50.00
Wells, James & Jill, Nitro, WV Where Needed.....	50.00
Wright, Randy & Teresa, Hurricane, WV.....	138.00
Total.....	7,353.50

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PRAY FOR YOUR MISSIONARIES...

IN BRAZIL:
John and Alta Hatcher
Michael and Beverly Creiglow
Paul and Wanda Hatcher
Robert and Charlene Wacaser
A. J. and Barbara Hensley
Odali and Kathy Barros
Judson and Raquel Hatcher

IN PERU:
Sheridan and Anita Stanton

IN KENYA:
Nathan and Carrie Radford
Roger and Julie Tate

IN FRANCE:
John M. and Judy Hatcher

“BRING AN OFFERING . . .” Psalm 96.8

How to contribute to the missionaries who receive their support through BFM

1 - You can write and mail your checks to Baptist Faith Missions | George Sledd, Treasurer | P.O. Box 471280 | Lake Monroe FL 32747-1280 - grsledd@hotmail.com.

2 - You can contribute online via debit or credit card. Go to our website: www.baptistfaithmissions.org and click on DONATE/SUPPORT page. Click the appropriate button and follow the prompts.

3 - You may also enroll in an automatic recurring contribution program by going to the same DONATE/SUPPORT page on our website and follow the prompts.

If your contribution is for a specific missionary or project, you should so designate it. The greatest need we have each month is for the General Fund to provide the essential commitments We have made to our missionaries to maintain their ministries.

SHERIDAN STANTON

Adams, William & Arbia, Lexington, KY	Calvary BC, West Branch, MI.....375.00
As Needed.....50.00	Concord BC, Leesville, SC
Addyston BC, Addyston, OH	As Needed.....80.00
Building.....70.00	Covenant BC, Dayton, OH.....300.00
Addyston BC, Addyston, OH	Emmanuel BC, Bellbrook, OH.....500.00
Work.....70.00	Emmanuel BC, Bellbrook, OH
Ashland Avenue BC, Lexington, KY.....125.00	As Needed.....460.00
Bible BC, Harrisburg, IL	Emmanuel Missionary BC, Oldtown, KY
As Needed.....200.00	Personal.....100.00
Concord BC, Leesville, SC	First BC of Buffalo, WV.....60.00
As Needed.....80.00	Geister, Robert & Marian, Alger, MI
Durum, Tony & Linda, Winter Springs, FL	Personal.....25.00
As Needed.....100.00	Grace BC, Fairborn, OH
Elliott BC, Elliott, MS	As Needed.....50.00
Personal.....191.57	Hillcrest BC, Winston-Salem, NC.....50.00
Emmanuel BC, Bellbrook, OH.....50.00	Jordan BC, Sanford, FL.....92.50
Emmanuel BC, Bellbrook, OH	Liberty Missionary BC, Mt. Zion, WV.....25.00
As Needed.....200.00	Messer, Jason, Dayton, OH
Emmanuel Missionary BC, Oldtown, KY	Personal.....50.00
Personal.....100.00	Mount Calvary BC, Charleston, WV.....100.00
Grace BC, Fairborn, OH	Richland BC, Livermore, KY
As Needed.....50.00	As Needed.....100.00
Grace BC, Oneco, FL, Building.....150.00	Rosedale BC, Rosedale, WV
Grace Missionary BC, Surgoinsville, TN.....50.00	As Needed.....400.00
Grace Missionary BC, Wyandotte, MI.....150.00	Seventh Street BC, Cannelton, IN.....120.00
Mt. Calvary BC, Belleville, MI.....100.00	Skidway Lake BC, Prescott, MI.....50.00
Old Mount Zion Church, Wayne City, IL	Total.....4,312.50
As Needed.....100.00	
Restoration Church, Dickson, TN	
As Needed.....100.00	
Richland BC, Livermore, KY	
As Needed.....150.00	
Rocky Springs Miss. BC, Gray, TN.....50.00	
Shawnee BC, Louisville, KY.....100.00	
Victory BC, New Salisbury, IN.....100.00	
Total.....2,336.57	
ROGER TATE	
Addyston BC, Addyston, OH.....100.00	
Anonymous, Personal.....200.00	
Avram, Sharon, West Branch, MI.....30.00	
Bethany Regular BC, McDermott, OH.....50.00	
Bible BC, Harrisburg, IL	
As Needed.....100.00	
Black, Gary & Sandra, Scott Depot, WV.....300.00	
Calvary BC, Hurricane, WV	
SPECIAL.....170.00	
Calvary BC, Piqua, OH.....50.00	
Calvary BC, West Branch, MI.....375.00	
	Grand Total.....52,545.24

WILL YOU GIVE AT LEAST \$1 A DAY FOR WORLDWIDE MISSIONS?

I know that many of you are giving much more than that - but if you are not giving a personal offering each month to our GENERAL FUND to help maintain our missionaries' essential needs, will you ask the Lord to supply you with a regular monthly offering of \$30 to our GENERAL FUND? Together we can provide them with the funds by which they can continue their daily ministries.

\$50,000.00 MONTHLY GENERAL FUND GOAL

Please continue to concentrate your giving to the General Fund which supplies the monthly commitments we have made to our missionaries. Without sufficient General Fund offerings, the base support for our missionaries' essential needs is deficient.

JUNE IS FOUNDER'S DAY OFFERING MONTH THE IMPORTANCE OF THE FOUNDERS DAY OFFERING TO THE CONTINUING SUPPLY OF YOUR MISSIONARIES' ON-GOING NEEDS

We are appealing to you to give an extraordinary offering to our Founder's Day Offering to supply our missionaries' Essential Maintenance needs.

Seventy-two years ago, Hafford Overbey began appealing for and receiving offerings to assist in the support of a missionary who had returned to the Amazon Valley in Brazil. Baptist Faith Missions has been assisting Baptist churches in sending their missionaries to the nations of the world for the purpose of church-planting missions ever since.

We recognize that many of you do not remember Hafford Overbey or Z. E. Clark, the first Treasurer of Baptist Faith Missions. But, what you do need to remember is that your missionaries who are currently serving the Lord in the nations of the world are

carrying on with the same missionary vision and ministry that prompted the very first missions offering in 1942.

So, will you please help us? Last year [2013], it was the Founder's Day Offering that enabled us to NOT have to reduce our missionaries' monthly funds. We devote the Founder's Day Offering to supplying our missionaries' monthly Essential Maintenance Transactions. What that means is: we will supply any deficits in our Monthly General Fund Offerings with Founder's Day Offering funds.

So, by giving to the Founder's Day Offering, you are helping your missionaries receive the full commitments of monthly funds they must have to maintain their living and ministry needs.

Please Pray For Our Return To Kenya ... Thankful For Those Who "Hold The Ropes" ...



Nathan and Carrie Radford
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Kitale, Kenya, East Africa 30200
email: naterad@yahoo.com

Dear praying friends, June 2, 2014

As I type this letter, it is so hard to believe that we board a plane later this week and begin our journey to Nairobi, Kenya. From Nairobi, Lord willing, we will then travel to Kitale after a few days of busyness and government paperwork. This is certainly a hectic week with much to do. Please pray for my wife as she has the massive job of deciding what to pack, leave, etc., for our term in Kenya. Please also pray for our daughters, as they will be going through transitions in the days ahead. They seem excited to be getting back, for which we are thankful. They are excited to get back and settled into Kitale and miss our animals. It is always nice to reunite and get back with our friends, missionary family, and others. I hear that Kitale has changed some since leaving, so we are excited to see what the changes are.

Thanks so much to each one who has been interested in the hospital ministry and also for those who have donated blankets and other supplies. We really appreciate your heart for the babies and the mothers and the Lord will bless you for your generosity. Proverbs 22:9 states "He that hath a bountiful eye shall be blessed; for he

giveth of his bread to the poor." We appreciate each of you so much.

Please also pray for us as we apply for the hospital work permit for my wife. As I said before, she now needs her own permit. I also will most likely need to apply for a permit for the Annex prison upon returning. The Lord knows all of this and we trust Him for the necessary permits and paperwork. We need to trust Him and remember He is in control of all things. A quote I liked said "He is calm who believes God is sovereign." How true this is. Proverbs 16:9 says "A man's heart deviseth his way: but the Lord directeth his steps." How we need the Lord to direct our steps and wisdom from Him. Please keep these things above in prayer as well.

I will do my best to keep each of you updated who are interested, pray for us, give sacrificially, or are involved in any way in the Lord's work in Kitale. We cannot thank each of you enough for your heart for missions and your assistance in any way. You are such an important part of the work. The famous missionary, William Carey, said "I will go down if you will hold the rope." Thanks to each of you for "holding the rope" for us while we are in Kenya. May the Lord bless you abundantly for all you do. Please pray for our flights ahead, that they will proceed without any issues, and also for our transitions to Kenya and ultimately, Lord willing, Kitale. We will keep you updated. Please note and use our mailing address for Kitale, Kenya.

Serving in Kenya,
Nathan and Carrie Radford

"THANK YOU! THANK YOU!" GIVING FRIENDS

Never a month goes by without our thanking God for all our faithful Giving Friends who contribute so regularly and sacrificially to our General Fund offerings. Also, hardly a month goes by without my speaking personally with some of you and having the opportunity to thank you personally for your participation in this missions ministry.

I was speaking with one of our dear supporters recently [you shall remain anonymous -but you know who you are]. She is a widow of very modest means, but she continues to live modestly on purpose so she can continue to give to missions.

And, when I thanked her for her long-time financial support for BFM, she told me, "I'll do without something else before I will NOT give to Baptist Faith Missions." May God increase her tribe!

God has blessed her - and God will bless her. And I pray also that God will use her example and testimony to challenge all of us to follow suit.

**1 Samuel 25:17: Now, therefore, KNOW and
CONSIDER WHAT YOU WILL DO.**

PERSONAL NOTE OF APPEAL

From Giving Friends Who Wish To Remain Anonymous

To All Churches and BFM Contributors:

The Lord has laid this burden on our heart. We appreciate all the support the churches and individuals do for the missions. But we are asking each church and individual to go \$1.00 farther - that is - on a weekly basis add this \$1.00 more to your mission contribution. If a church with fifty members would do this, it would mean \$200.00 more per month and \$2,400.00 more per year.

Imagine what this would mean to the General Fund if sixty, seventy, eighty or one hundred members added the extra \$1.00 each week: **OUR GENERAL FUND COULD GROW BY \$120,000!**

Please pray and try to meet this goal over what you now contribute. If we each sacrifice something small, then God can do something mighty.