

Holding the Rope  
Missions Prayer List  
August, 2008

ANS'D PRAYER Ed & Cindee Richards (Windward Islands) Late 2007, we prayed for the people in the aftermath of Hurricane Dean, which had destroyed their crops. E & C thank you for your prayers as the people have recovered and are selling their crops again. Pray for George that he will accept Christ soon. E-mail: [richardse@cwdom.dm](mailto:richardse@cwdom.dm)

ANS'D PRAYER Todd & Amy Witte (Sweden) In April we prayed for their housing/schooling needs while in the U.S. on furlough. The Lord has provided a place in Boston that is "a great fit." Praise Him! E-mail: [toddwitte@mac.com](mailto:toddwitte@mac.com)

CHILE Doug & Heather Amundson (in language school, Costa Rica). Heather has received a diagnosis of Addison's disease. Pray her medication will be properly adjusted. Also, pray that D & H will remember the rules and words of the Spanish language; for their ability to teach Sunday school classes; that they will create and maintain the right balance in family life; for opportunities to share the Gospel; and for additional support needed. E-mail: [dhamundson@abwe.cc](mailto:dhamundson@abwe.cc)

AUSTRALIA Timothy & Melanie Koon. Back on the field after furlough, T & M are in a new work. Pray that the Bagby's, who have accepted the Lord, will grow spiritually; that the Sunday school kids will be saved; that many of the 1 million people in a 20 mile radius would accept Him; and that God would supply the funds to pay for Koon's moving costs. E-mail: [Timothy@TheKoons.com](mailto:Timothy@TheKoons.com)

KENYA Terry & Barbara Childers. A news article revealed unimaginable atrocities being committed against children and their families in the Mt. Elgon area, about 20 miles from T & B's ministry area. Pray God will restrain this great evil and bring conviction to the hearts of brute men as well as protect and give healing to the children. E-mail: [bwanaterry@yahoo.com](mailto:bwanaterry@yahoo.com)

BRAZIL Kelly & Debby McMaster are flying back to the field August 12, to start a work in a new area. Pray for God's guidance and blessing; that additional monthly support will be provided and \$6,000 for expenses when they arrive; for son Kaleb and his bride, Erin, as they begin married life; and for the other four children still in school. E-mail: [mcmasterbrasil@yahoo.com](mailto:mcmasterbrasil@yahoo.com)

USA/CANADA Dan & Carolyn Hall. Dan is helping with construction of a church building in Illinois. Daughter, Kari, recently gave birth to Lena, then became ill. Carolyn is helping care for the family. Pray for C & D as they miss each other; that God will provide \$450 for a needed washing machine part; for improved health for Jewel and Dan's mother; and money for fuel for their vehicle. E-mail: [justworkers@hotmail.com](mailto:justworkers@hotmail.com)

ECUADOR Tom & Ennie Bowen. Ecuador's coastal region has been flooded, making food scarce and the people in great need. Mission groups are sending aid and the Gospel is being distributed along with the aid. Pray! Also, pray that a man, an outspoken opponent of the church, will be saved and that \$10,000 will be provided to build soccer and basketball areas on church property to help reach the youth. E-mail: [tbuio@hotmail.com](mailto:tbuio@hotmail.com)

WBF Tommy & Linda Raley. Tommy is recovering from hip replacement surgery and Linda is having some health issues also. Pray for their health E-mail: [wbfrale@earthlink.net](mailto:wbfrale@earthlink.net)

LATVIA Andy & Linda Briggs. Pray for the hundreds of children who heard the Gospel during ministry in schools; for believing school teachers; and continued freedom to share the Word in school. Pray for the young men reaching out through soccer games; for summer Bible clubs; camp; that Sunday school teachers will not be discouraged; and for money to complete the church building. E-mail: [briggs@parks.lv](mailto:briggs@parks.lv)

SOUTH AFRICA Dan & Rachel Smither. Pray for the family as they adjust to life in Africa and for efforts to reach children whose lives "have been bruised and battered by the raging AIDS epidemic" there.

ROMANIA Paul & Paula Pierucki. Many cases of John and Romans and New Testament have been distributed. Pray that those who received them will receive the Author as Savior and Lord. Pray the village of Petris will understand the message that the depth of God's love and what Jesus did was enough to save forever. E-mail: [ppierucki@yahoo.com](mailto:ppierucki@yahoo.com)

INDONESIA John & Marjorie Malanowski. The national pastor of the church has been ordained and the church organized so that it is on its own. J & M are seeking God's will for the direction He would have them go as it's time for them to move on. Pray for them and for Mrs. Damaris and Mrs. Yola, saved and baptized, without their husbands knowing (life can become very difficult for the ladies). E-mail: [johnlm@dps.centrin.net.id](mailto:johnlm@dps.centrin.net.id)

CHILE Larry & Barbara Koehn asked prayer for the works in Las Condes y Maipu and for salvation for Gonzalo, a man who has been to Bible studies and services. E-mail: [lkoehn@vtr.net](mailto:lkoehn@vtr.net)

INDONESIA Dave & Carole Ross. Pray for Mr. Daniel, who broke his toe at a church outing; that the Bible institute will receive accreditation so it can stay open; for a new program to provide SS kids \$5 a month for school needs; that the church in Sala tiga will be allowed to meet as a church on Sunday mornings; and for Andrias and Murnie a young couple that want to be used of God. E-mail: [rossd612@yahoo.com](mailto:rossd612@yahoo.com)

AT LARGE Shelby & Stella Mayo. After 38 years as missionaries, their health is such that they can't work full time. Pray for their health. God is still using them in the S. Pacific Rim. E-mail: [ibmao.com@verizon.net](mailto:ibmao.com@verizon.net)

BRAZILIANS Sandra Henderson will be in Belem, Brazil, with a church group of Big Spring, Texas, early this month and in Salvador, Brazil, in October to help Pastor Tome Lopes and his church. Pray for opportunities to witness and minister. E-mail: [saundrafh@aol.com](mailto:saundrafh@aol.com)

GUATEMALA Doyle & Wanda Whaley. A mission work has been started in a new area of Quezaltenango, lead by Juan and Mari Morales, and the church in Huehuetenango has started a work in the high mountains, lead by Pastor Luis Batz. Pray for these outreaches that many souls will be saved and turned from false religion.

BRAZIL Mark & Dana McCutchen. The work in Paraisopolis is in desperate need of a roof and third floor on their building. Pray the Lord will provide \$5,000 for the project. E-mail: [mdmccutchen@terra.com.br](mailto:mdmccutchen@terra.com.br)

BRAZIL John & Rebecca Hawkins. It seems the problem with the authorities taking the church land is nearly resolved. Continue to pray that they will not take the land and that the church will be able to build on it. Also, pray J & R will find a car that runs well and fits into their budget. E-mail: [jhawkins@argo.com.br](mailto:jhawkins@argo.com.br)

KENYA Terry & Barbara Childers (temporarily in U.S.) Pray for Kenya's leaders, Pres. Kibaki & Prime Minister Odinga, and their advisers that their hearts will turn toward God and that true peace will come to the nation; for the staff and students of Western Baptist Institute to grow in grace and reach their own people; for strength, grace, and God's power to be upon Brother Charles; and for T & B as they seek God's guidance on when they should return to Kenya. E-mail: [bwanaterry@yahoo.com](mailto:bwanaterry@yahoo.com)

BRAZIL Joyce Bohlman. Pray that Nellie and other ladies at the quilting Bible study will accept the Lord as Savior. E-mail: [jbohlman@terra.com.br](mailto:jbohlman@terra.com.br)

CANADA Andy & Kim Rynsburger asked prayer that Kim will be granted Canadian citizenship, which has been delayed for the past three years. E-mail: [arynsburger@baptistworldmission.org](mailto:arynsburger@baptistworldmission.org)

BRAZIL True & Diana Hawkins. Pray for Francivaldo and Valcides and their families, as the men take the Gospel up and down rivers to the tribal areas of the country. E-mail: [hawkinstjdr@hotmail.com](mailto:hawkinstjdr@hotmail.com)

BRAZIL Don & Linda Leaf. Pray the Lord will bring someone who plays an instrument to the services to improve the music service. E-mail: [don@donleaf.com](mailto:don@donleaf.com)

IRELAND Stephen & Katie Finley. K needs prayer as she is in her sixth month and is having a difficult time keeping up with her responsibilities at church and home. Pray for a safe delivery. There is a "nice little office building" that could be used for church. Pray the Lord will keep this building for the church until His right time for them to lease it. E-mail: [finleysinireland@hotmail.com](mailto:finleysinireland@hotmail.com)