

Dear Friends and Family,
July 30, 2019

Hope this email finds you enjoying the longer days and memorable moments made with others! This summer has flown by and I feel like 2020 will be here before we know it!!

Larry is at the Tucson airport as I write this, waiting for his flight to Canada to assist in a “pre-buy” inspection of a helicopter for ministry-use in the country of Brazil, S.A. God is providing finances for this purchase for Ethnos360 Aviation and it is exciting to watch His hand at work. 😊

Larry has also been “ocupado” busy with producing special tools for the field of Papua New Guinea (PNG). After engineering the Propeller stand, he then began building a new instrument panel for the Cessna 206 that we use here in McNeal for training. The mission has determined to upgrade the old panel to a Glass Panel. That involves buying aluminum Sheet metal .100” thick and cutting out the holes for the new G500TXI’s and backup instruments. Larry has become the “CNC” machine! This last week, he and 2 other mechanics finished an inspection on our trainer helicopter. And his next task endeavor was to operate heavy equipment for grading the airstrips as the monsoon rains began and in preparation for the new trainee pilots coming next month, he doesn’t consider that work. 😊

An item of prayer concern is that our Village Mission’s Pastor of our small little church of Valley Bible Church, that Kim and Larry attend and are a part of, has decided to move on to another ministry in California. Since Larry was the last standing deacon on the board, the solemn responsibility has fallen on his shoulders to share the Word of God from the pulpit and rally the men of this body of believers to participate in this commitment. Praise the Lord that other men in the church have stepped up and agreed to contribute for the time being till God provides another Pastor. It is a reminder to all of us who are believers and attend church that God uses all of us and we should not place all the obligation on the Pastor for all the duties of the body of believers.

I, Kim, am doing well and continue to “Flip houses” with my hostess team, as some would word it 😊 or preparing housing for the trainees and the guest house as a variety of visitors pass through each year. Larry and I anticipate with joy the arrival of five new families that will be coming here next month, August, to further their training as pilots and mechanics to go to the mission field. Larry will be walking them through rebuilding a helicopter R44 overhaul. The students will eat, drink, live and sleep the Robinson R44 till it is all done!

Prayer Requests:

- This week, insight for Larry as he checks out the helicopter the mission would like to buy.
- Visas for Indonesian personnel who need flight and mechanic training so they can enter the USA to begin the Moody aviation program then proceed to McNeal, AZ as they would like to join ETHNOS360 Aviation. Indonesia requires us to train Indonesian nationals for the flight program if we have a presence in the country.
- Visas for Brazilian families who need to come stateside for training, as well.
- Daily wisdom for Larry and Kim as they divide their time and energy between ministry, church and family.
- Prayer for Alicia & Austin for a desire to walk close to the Lord and not get sidetracked by the world and what it has to offer.

Thank you for continual support of our ministry and for loving and caring for us! Come and visit us here in McNeal, AZ!

Blessings, Kim for Larry, too.