

At this time of year we often reflect on the previous 12 months. Recently, in our review, we realized that 2017 was marked by change or, in our case, several changes. Each of our children is dealing with changes. Each of our grandchildren took on new roles as they mature into adults.

Joy and Duane moved to Colombia to work along with Colombian missionaries. Amy and David moved off base to regular residential housing. Faith is now engaged to Brad Kimble. They plan to be married on January 7.

Dax, our oldest grandson, entered the working world after graduation from the University of Florida. Alexia entered Florida International University in August. Mirabel has joined the cross country track team and enjoys the teamwork. Finnian is now in school after homeschooling through chemotherapy. He is cancer free and only goes in for periodic checks.

Even our mission has made a big change in taking a new name, Ethnos360.

For us, working in New Tribes Mission for 38 years, and now speaking and representing Ethnos360 has been challenging only because we need to work to say the new name. There were no policy or philosophy changes along with the name change.

We are thankful to serve the God Who never Changes. His truth remains the same. The command to go is still the same today. So many still have no knowledge of Jesus who left heaven to be our savior on that first Christmas.

Ethnos360 has become a part of IFCA (International Fundamental Churches of America) which has presented us with additional opportunities and responsibilities.

2018 Prayer Requests:

January: Faith and Brad will be married in January 7th.

February: Ethnos360 representatives meeting in Sanford, Fla

February-March: We fly to Colombia, S.A.

A SPECIAL THANK YOU to all who pray and support us financially, you are vital to this work.

For the unreached,

Dan and Kathy Stokes