

The Bensons

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CAMEROON WEST AFRICA



Dear Supporters, and Praying Partners,

May/June 2017

Thank you for your consistent prayers for our family, and ministry. We have definitely seen the Lord working through your prayers. These last couple of months we have been through some trials in our family and in the ministry, but we have seen God working in each situation.

I wrote about our car having trouble in our last prayer letter. After 2 full weeks of working on it, and fixing everything I could find, it was still running rough. So I consulted with a local mechanic, and we both agreed that it was something with the valves. So I paid him to replace the head gasket, and check the valves. So after about 3 weeks our car was back up in running condition. We thank the Lord that we are able to have a car, and one that runs well.

In the month of May, Ghari began to struggle with several things. First his boss decided to sell the business, because he wanted to retire. So Ghari took money he had been saving to buy the business. Ghari melts aluminum to form cooking pots, and lids. The money he had been saving was for the purpose of moving his wife and children to Buea. His wife became very discouraged from this, and even Ghari became discouraged. But we know God worked this out for good. During this time his cousin also confessed to having used witchcraft to bring evil upon his family. What was amazing was Ghari's response to this news. He immediately forgave her, and told her she needed to seek God's forgiveness through believing in Christ. He told me that if this news came to him, before his salvation, he would have been very angry, and would go off drinking for days. God has truly been doing a great work in Ghari's life. In just 3 weeks of buying the business, he has recovered what he had saved before. We are praying that his family would be able to move down here to be with him in about six weeks.

At the beginning of July, Sarah began not feeling well, and had the symptoms of malaria. So we treated her, and thought she would improve, and she did a little. After one week, she was still not even able to get up without feeling dizzy, and nauseous. So, I took her to the clinic, and they diagnosed her with severe malaria, and typhoid. They had to admit her to the hospital for 2 days in order to give her the medication she needed through an IV drip. We are thankful for all those who were praying for her! She is now doing very well, and almost back to normal. She still has to take it easy and rest throughout the day, but each day she is getting stronger, and able to do more. Thank you for your continued prayer for health and safety as we serve here in Cameroon!

Thank You for your prayers and financial support,

The Benson Family

Caleb Benson ~ Missionary to Cameroon,

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Memo: Benson Family #1459

Building Fund!

Current Balance: \$2,850

Balance needed: \$22,159

Please put "#1459 Building Fund" in the memo line of any donations to be used for this fund.

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