

# The Bensons

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CAMEROON WEST AFRICA



Dear Supporters, and Praying Partners,

The last two months have been a time of Reflection, Change, and Goal Setting. We have seen the Lord do some wonderful things during this time.

**Reflection** – At the beginning of June we attended Church Planting School at the BIMI home office in Chattanooga, TN. This is a week of classes preparing the missionary men with how to plant and grow indigenous churches on the field God has called them to. This was a great week, and it gave me a greater desire to see God do a great work in Cameroon. There are so many villages and towns, which still have no Gospel witness. They need someone to go and tell them the truth. As we thought about that, we began to think of all the churches we have visited since starting deputation. What a blessing each one of you has been to our family. Thank you for allowing us to share our ministry with you.

**Change** – No one really likes change. We, as a family, have recently been through a very difficult situation. The Lord has given Grace, and guidance through all of it. We love the Sierra Hills Baptist Church, Pastor Billings, and the church family, which made this one of the most difficult decisions we have ever made. But because of some unforeseen circumstances, it has become necessary to change our sending church. The Lord led us to join the Longview Baptist Temple, under the leadership of Pastor Bob Gray II. Both pastors are in agreement with the change. We are very excited to get to know our new church family, and look forward to continuing to serve the Lord together. If you do have further questions feel free to contact us at the numbers listed below.

Along with this change we also had to change some tires. During June we were getting ready to leave Fresno, CA and head to a meeting in Montana, when we noticed one of the rear tires was flat. A church in the area went ahead and put 4 new tires on the rear. We then went up to our meeting, and on our way from Montana to Oregon, one of our front tires threw all its tread, but Praise the Lord we did not have a flat, and we were close to a tire shop. So now we have all new tires on the motor home.

**Goals** – We have currently raised close to 70% of our needed support. As we draw closer to our time to leave, if you are considering adding us to your Missions Family this would be a good time. We are looking at leaving for Cameroon in February or March of 2015. We have set some goals for the next 6 months. 1- Raise the final 30% of our support. 2- Raise \$8,000 more for airline tickets. 3- Make sure the girls are up to date, and have all necessary vaccinations. 4- Prepare and pack our entire luggage.

Thank You for your prayers and financial support,

Caleb Benson ~ Missionary to Cameroon,

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