



Blind Faith Ministries

"For we walk by faith, not by sight." 2 Cor. 5: 7

The Porterfields to South Sudan Prayer Letter Jan/Feb 2015 Update

First and foremost, we'd like to thank all of you for your many prayers for the Roscoe Harry John Elliot Bible project. The container has arrived safely in Africa, crossed the Ugandan border, and now all we have left to do is distribute the Bibles! What a huge answer to prayer! We'd also like to say a heartfelt thank you to Brother Bobby Lemons, Brother Sam Caudill with Bearing Precious Seed, and Brother Wayne Holder for their help personally with this project. Only heaven will tell what an impact this will make for the kingdom of God. Thank you for being involved!

I was able to take a two week trip into South Sudan a couple days after Christmas. The Lord allowed us to make some progress forward on our land project, as well as have the opportunity to distribute clean water systems given by Pure Water whose leader, John Hays, is a member of Marion Ave Baptist Church in Washington, Iowa. During this trip, we were also able to see more than 20 people saved, and hold a baptismal service at Kuri Baptist Church in Kajo Keji, South Sudan. What a blessing to see these who have called on the name of the Lord to save them follow Him in baptism.

We are also excited to share that we have received word of a few more churches who intend to start to support Brother Ramos! Continue to pray for him, as he's trying to raise about \$2500 for a bus for their church, and still needs about \$500 for a personal vehicle. He also was robbed and lost his computer and passport, so please pray for him as he gets the details all straightened out from this incident.

Our support has increased to a little over 80% thanks to a couple more churches who have agreed to partner with us monthly! We are encouraged and thankful for this progress forward! Keep praying that in the next couple months, we will see additional churches who feel led to take us on for support.

Continue to pray for laborers in South Sudan and our ASSIST program for supporting national pastors to grow. Also, we'd like to ask you to pray about a new potential opportunity that may open up in Cuba. We want to be obedient to the Lord and go through any doors He sees fit to open, so pray about wisdom of how to proceed. In addition, please remember to pray for the details of our land project to work out as we would like to eventually put a compound there if we can everything settled. We'd also ask you to remember Jerry Gibson, a faithful pastor of 40 years in Radford VA who had heart surgery on January 28. He's doing well, but please pray for a full recovery.

Thank you for your prayers and support. You are a blessing to us. May you spend this year continually drawing closer to our Savior.

In Christ,
Eric Porterfield



Answered Prayer!

- *Bibles delivered safely to Africa!
- *Eric's trip to S. Sudan went well
- *Carlos' increased support
- *Our increased support!

Prayer Requests

- *Funds for Carlos' bus and car
- *Laborers in South Sudan
- *Land project in South Sudan
- *Jerry Gibson-heart surgery
- *Increased monthly support

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