Josh and Jenny Kidd & Family Serving God in Cape Verde, Africa



Josh & Jenny Anniv 6-24-00 Carissa 12-18-04 Elizabeth 9-01-08 Robert 10-16-09 Sarah 12-19-10 Natalie 3-09-11 Carver 5-02-12

Praises:

- -We are enjoying the summer with Carissa home.
- -New converts who are growing.
- -Good health within our family
- -Good spirit and fellowship within the churches.

Prayer Requests:

-More souls saved
-Requested meetings with
various government officials.
-More laborers, both
missionary and national.
-Perseverance for the men
studying in the seminary.
-Continued progress in the
school project plans.

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An Update From The Kidd Family

Dear Friends and Co-Laborers in Christ,

Near the beginning of May, I travelled to the northern island of São Nicolau to begin preparations for a school project. I met with both people who are responsible for all of the schools on the island and they were both very receptive to the project. While there, the local airline had some technical issues and all of the flights to/from the island were cancelled. Thankfully, the inter-island ferry was still operating. So, I took the 19 hour ferry ride back to our island. Praise the Lord, the sea was calm! I will travel to São Nicolau again in the next couple weeks to further those plans. Lord willing, we will distribute our "school kit" in the schools in the middle of September. Please be in prayer for the many aspects of this project.

While I was in São Nicolau, our oldest daughter, Carissa, arrived here for the summer. For those who don't remember, she is studying Elementary Education at PCC. To complete the requirements for one of her classes she has to do some teaching throughout the summer. She has a group of children in the community where the church is here in Praia to whom she is teaching English. She is doing well and the children are learning quickly. It is neat for us to see her sprout her wings and begin to fly on her own. She even drives the car to the church on the days that we do not need it. That has made my heart skip a beat or two. The driving style here is a bit different than it is in the US. In all seriousness, she does well.

We happily received a visit from our PREACH director, Phillip Pritchard, at the beginning of June. He stayed with us for about 3 weeks. While here, he gave some intensive classes to our seminary students. There was some good progress made in their studies and ministry preparation. Also, while he was here, Brother Phillip and I were able to meet with the Minister of Education. We were able to talk more about the school projects that the ministry completes but also we were able to discuss with him our desire to open a Christian school taught in the English language. There is a great desire here to learn English. The Minister was very receptive to our proposal and expressed his desire to have an English school here in Cape Verde...currently there is not one. Please pray with us that should this be God's will for the ministry here, that He would open the doors necessary for us to open a school.

The pastor of the church here in Praia is in need of new tires for his car. He has an older Nissan Pathfinder which is a good vehicle to have for some of the "off road" visits that he makes. He does not receive a salary as pastor as the church is not yet able to provide one. He works a job and also serves as pastor. His tires are to the point that he does not drive many places for fear that he will have a blow-out. If there is a church or individual who would desire to be a blessing to him, and in turn to the church, I know he would be extremely grateful. He would need about \$650 for 4 new tires. Please contact me with any questions. Thank you.

In His Service, The Kidd Family Josh & Jenny, Carissa, Elizabeth, Robert, Sarah, Natalie & Carver John 3:30

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