



"And He will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace."

Isaiah 9:6b

December 8, 2022

Dear Friends,

Thank you for your participation with us in assisting our international partners to do the work to which they have been called. We are so grateful for your prayers, words of encouragement, and financial support which made it possible for us to continue "serving those who serve" during 2022.

It has been a challenging year for most as inflation, shortages due to the war in Ukraine, natural disasters, illnesses, and civil unrest have all taken a toll. But despite these issues we have learned of much church growth, many new churches planted, many graduates entering ministry, and hundreds of children being cared for and educated.

Some highlights include the following: One mission has planted at least 11 new churches this year. Another was able to reopen his children's home following the slowdown of the pandemic and take on additional pastors to assist with evangelism and church planting. Our partner in Kenya has had the privilege of leading more than 30 teenagers to Christ in the last few weeks. And one of our seminary partners wrote to say how important the books are that he received and added, "You may never know the full impact of these books you sent until we get to heaven."

This is the time of year that we make an extra effort to assist those who provide annual gifts of clothing for children, pastors, residents of leper colonies and for hundreds of widows. We also assist those who distribute food to the poor, and who hold special holiday programs that provide an opportunity to share the gospel with those who might not otherwise hear.

It is a privilege for us to continue partnering with those who are making Christ known in some of the least evangelized parts of the world. Thank you, too, for your critical part in this work.

Wishing you a very Merry Christmas and a New Year filled with His peace, joy, and love.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Annette L. Jones".

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