Joseph & Sheri Haden October 2019 Update African Outreach of Zambia

Thank YOU for PRAYING!

Wow!! It is inconceivable that it is already October.

THE END OF HARVEST SEASON IS DRAWING NEARER EVERY DAY. SO THANKFUL GOD HAS INVITED EACH OF US TO JOIN HIM IN HIS HARVEST FIELD TO MAKE A FINAL PUSH BEFORE THE FIELD IS WASTED (JOEL 1:10). WE THANK EACH OF YOU FOR WORKING ALONGSIDE OF US IN THE FIELD THROUGH PRAYER AND FINANCIAL SUPPORT, AND THROUGH PERSONAL ENGAGEMENT AS WELL. WE WERE BLESSED BY SEVERAL TEAMS THIS PAST YEAR LABORING ALONGSIDE US. CAN'T WAIT 'TIL THE FRUITS OF YOUR LABORS ARE FULLY REALIZED.

THINGS ARE GETTING' REAL FOR US AS WE DRAW CLOSE TO OUR JANUARY DEPARTURE FOR THE FIELD.

WE ARE TRYING TO FINISH UP OUR HOUSE, AND SELLING OFF OTHER THINGS. PLEASE PRAY FOR GOD'S BLESSINGS ON THE SALE OF THESE ITEMS, ESPECIALLY THE HOUSE AND VEHICLES.

God has been doing some AWESOME things. We have been blessed with some great new relationships in our travels! God has also been teaching us a thing or two about trusting HIM. Please pray as we travel that God will help us to keep "the main thing" as the main thing, that all may know Him. As we prepare for our move to Zambia in January 2020, God has blessed us with an opportunity to make an agreement to buy one BUSH WORTH vehicle for a reasonable price (\$18,000), and pretty much everything we will need to setup household, including a generator and some air conditioners, plus a street and trail motorcycle for a reasonable price (\$12,000).

*This is not the actual vehicle. It is just an example of the TERRAIN!

GOD HAS ORCHESTRATED THE TIMING OF THESE BLESSINGS IN A WAY THAT ONLY HE CAN! Some missionaries have finished their assignments and are returning stateside. This will allow us a much quicker transition into life and ministry in Zambia if we are able to purchase these things, plus allow those missionaries to get re-established stateside.

> Please pray with us for funds to cover these needs. God has already begun His provision and We are SO THANKFUL!!

> > How shall they hear without a preacher?

How shall they preach except they be sent?

If you know churches or individuals that are seeking missionary partners to invest in, please let us know.

As the famous Jerry Reed would say, "We have a long way to go and a short time to get there." BUT GOD is able to do exceeding abundantly above all we ask or think.

What would the Lord have you do? Would you please ask the Lord how He would have you to be involved? We need your help. Maybe through a partnership, maybe through a personal investment of time coming for a ministry trip to Zambia, or maybe all of the above?

We are praying for the Lord's direction and blessing on your lives as you seek His leadership

in these areas.

God continues to bless with spiritual fruit in Zambia Africa. Fruit that may abound to the account of every partner in this ministry.

"Thank You" for enabling the work of God to move forward through your praying and giving.



Salvations and Baptisms:

In June through September, we have received reports of 4,542 salvations and 2,207 baptisms in Zambia AND Mozambique combined. Please, pray with us that we will be able to get on the field as soon as possible to encourage and facilitate follow-up efforts with these precious new babes.

God is so Amazing! Just think, He has called US to partner with HIM in ministry, Not just Sheri and I, but YOU TOO!

CHURCH PLANTERS AND NATIONAL PASTORS UPDATE

Despite the economic struggles they are facing this year, our national partners, the church planters and pastors have been laboring tirelessly for the glory of the Lord these past few months. There have been a few that have strayed from the work of the ministry seeking provisions for their family, but most have remained steadfast and faithful. We desire to restore those who have strayed and minister to the needs of their families. Please pray for these faithful servants and their families as they are in very difficult circumstances with food shortages, many eating one meal a day and some even less.

PRAY for God to bless with a good RAINY SEASON this year.



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