

Good News For Africa

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Adam & Jennifer's Wedding

On the 27th of July we arrived in the USA for the soul purpose of helping our son Adam Sharpe



with his wedding to Jennifer Melvin. I, Jacob, will have to confess that Jaynie did so much more than I. I officiated the marriage ceremony but Jaynie, altered the bridesmaids' dresses, made bows, made decorations for the sanctuary, made all the bouquets, boutonnieres, and corsages, helped decorate the reception hall, prepare food, and much more. What a joy to be included in this monumental day!

It was a beautiful wedding and the weather was lovely. We praise God for bringing a wonderful Christian girl into our family. We pray that Adam and Jenni will be blessed with all our Father's goodness and mercy.

Meanwhile back on the Mission Field



JW and Johnie Ragsdale from Durango, CO visited and taught about having a Christ Centered Marriage



Johnie Ragsdale, Dionisio (our Evangelist) and his wife, Rabia



Walking by faith was an important lesson that JW taught.



In June Dale Mason visited us from Summit Christian College, Gering, NE. and taught many valuable lessons to the local pastors and church leaders. It was a miracle that Dale was able to travel. Last year he under went back surgery and this was his first overseas trip. Thank you Dale and Huey (his wife) for your encouragement and teaching.



Dale Mason



The beginning of our guard's house. So our guards don't have to find shelter in a tent that leaks when it rains.



Jacob's workshop was finished the day prior to our departure.



A Swarm of Bees in the peak of the roof inside our new home! Yikes!!!



One of our 6 foot Neem Treas



Jacob built the shelves in our walk-in pantry



Jacob removed them....MY HERO!



Jaynie teaching at the ladies' bible study

Prayer Request and Praises

1. Praise the Lord for our teammate Velma's miraculous recovery. At present she is visiting Mozambique although doctors have told her that she should never live in a malaria infested area.
2. Thank you Celebration Christian Church, Marion, Ohio for your thoughtfulness in giving us the funds to travel home for our son's wedding.
3. We will be returning to Mozambique August 30. Pray for our safe travel and God's blessings on Eden Farm. Dionisio, Rabia and Al Corson have been overseeing it in our absence.
4. Pray for the new projects we are going to initiate and financially support. A. Assist with the building of the local primary school. B. Opening up our second well so the local people can have free, clean drinking water. C. Purchase a grinding mill so the local people don't have to walk 6 miles to have their corn milled.
5. Praise the Lord for Jacob's cousin, Susan Shower, who gave our mission the funds to initiate these projects. She went home to be with our Lord this pass Spring. We will certainly miss her encouragement and smiling face.
6. That the local Bible Study, which includes biblical application and life skills, that Jaynie is leading will produce much fruit.
7. Pray that Jacob's teaching will continue to be received by the leaders throughout the country of Mozambique.

In His Amazing Love.

Jacob and Jaynie Michael



Horticultural Project for Dionisio and Rabia to enable them to sell vegetables and become self supporting.



Our evangelist, Dionisio, and his bull, which he named Boa Nova . The bull is a gift from the Carl Eltzroth family in honor of him, Carl Eltzroth, from Xenia, Ohio