

### December 2021

## At home...

#### WorldView Institute of India

Please pray for the Overton Family as they plan a short trip to India in January/February to interview potential new students for the 2022-23 school year.

All current multiple-entry tourist visas have been revoked by the India government. James has a business visa, but the only option for Toree is an online E-visa which is good for 30 days. They are planning to apply for a business visa for her. Please pray this trip will be safe and successful and that the business visa will be granted.

#### **Persia Project**

Nathan & Alicia are doing well on deputation and have set a Summer 2022 goal to move to the field.

# On the field...

Madi Project



In September/October, Anders Swanson traveled to Adjumani, Uganda, for several weeks. Sam Moss joined him there for a few days to host a Pastor's Conference that was very well attended.

He was also there to conduct interviews. We had lost a couple of team members and needed to replace them.

We are thanking the Lord that in addition to the two faithful men (Izama and Marchelo) who have been with us for 5 years now, we were able to add 3 new men to the team. Drani, Makuma and Vukowi are all pastors and will bring great value to the work.

#### **Lhukonzo Project**

In November the Overton Family traveled to Kasese, Uganda to train our newest translation team. They spent three weeks reinforcing previous Biblical language training and teaching a course on translation philosophy.

Working closely with the team every day was a blessing. The work has begun with the Gospel of Mark and they are already making great progress.



#### **Asang Khongso Project**

Despite the desperate situation in Myanmar, our Associate, Rama, continues to labor diligently. The team is currently working on some of the final checking stages for the New Testament.

#### **Pamiri Project**

Tim & Cara have finally been able to launch a business platform that will allow them to stay longer term in Central Asia. This is a great answer to prayer.

## **Family News**

In our last letter, I mentioned Linda's doublepneumonia diagnosis on June 20th. It turned into more than 3 months of recovery. She was not able to travel with me to any meetings during this time. Just about the time she began to feel like she could travel again, her 86 year-old mother was diagnosed with double-pneumonia. That began almost 3 months of in-home care for her. She is now doing better also. So this has been an unusual second half of 2021. Thank you all who prayed for us.

Thankfully, my fall schedule was still full of missions meetings and conferences. I was booked every week from the end of August until Thanksgiving. During that

time, I logged more than 12,000 miles behind the wheel. I am grateful for God's protection & blessing.

Emily's Christmas Choir Concert was last Friday night and it was a beautiful evening of music and drama.

We pray that all of you will have a wonderful Christmas and a blessed New Year!!



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