

Hello Everyone,

It's that time of year once more. Betty and I are getting ready to make our annual trip to Kenya. Things are going very well at the mission. The school has been awarded the privilege of being the formal testing site for Vocational Students. This year our school has 60+ students who will be taking their first year (grade 3) government exams. We also have our first graduation class for the highest level (grade 1) students. Thank you South Eastern University for the ceremonial gowns. The students will be very excited for such a formal ceremony.

Friends asked for a list of our upcoming needs in Kenya because they wanted to give a year-end donation. When I prepared the list it occurred to me that others might want to help with new projects at the mission. The needs list fluctuates as we grow because God broadens the vision with each new accomplishment. Last year several major projects were completed because partners/friends were led by the Lord to help financially. This year we will be involved with several more major projects, some of which still need financing.

If you would like to help by partnering with us, feel free to choose one of the items below or you can make a donation to help with the day-to-day operation of the school. (All gifts are tax deductible)

- 1) Tool sets for compound and mechanics class - 10,000
- 2) Three new classrooms Electrician, plumbing, welding - 15,000  
(Mechanics class addition nearing completion)
- 3) Four used vehicles for the mechanics class - 20,000  
(Lori, van, pickup and car)
- 4) Convert current girls housing to team housing (adding four bathrooms)  
20,000
- 5) Formal administration and office building - 20,000

Thank each of you for your continued support for Betty and I. We pray that you have a blessed Christmas season as we celebrate the one who gave His life for us and has called us to be His children.

On a more personal note:

Betty and I were fulfilling a list for the Tuckers of things they need when we received a call that Stephanie, our oldest daughter, had suffered an asthma attack. She has been in ICU in Oklahoma City for eight days now so all our trip preparation has been put on hold. We believe that God is going to complete her healing soon. She has been taken off the respirator and will be out of ICU in a day or two unless she has a relapse. We would appreciate it if you will lift her in your prayers for complete healing.

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