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Dearest Family of Supporters:

As we pause to reflect on the work done through B2N in the first half of 2022, we are overjoyed with the fact that lives were changed through this ministry. Many thanks to you, our partners, for providing the financial and prayer encouragement. With your help, this work will be accomplished. In this newsletter, we will give an overview of the work we are accomplishing around the world through your continued encouragement and support.

The great thing about being Kingdom-Minded is that all who belong to Jesus have the hope and assurance of glory. We know this because of the

training, educational supplies, and encouragement to pastors and leaders. We know God is calling us to return to train many so that the "Great Commission" will be fulfilled. Training is "making disciples!" I had this thought recently: There must be Christians in countries like Cuba praying that God would send evangelism ministries like B2N to bring the life-changing message of Jesus Christ. It is our great joy to announce that B2N will be answering that call next month! I am humbled to have been invited back to Cuba for our fourth visit to do an evangelism campaign on bringing the fresh fire of the Holy Spirit and evangelism training to their country. We will begin in a village that was completely wiped out due to the retaliation by the regime. Every able bodied male was rounded up and shot, the regime annihilated them. B2N has been invited down to do an extensive door to door campaign. The Lord had given us a desire to start a pastors association, as the average pastor only makes twenty US dollars a month.

Because we are counting on your continued support, we are confident we will be able to change lives for Jesus Christ. Think about what a ground-breaking opportunity this is! After 50 plus years of being closed to the gospel, the door to Cuba has opened to us!

Can you imagine the thousands that will soon come to Christ?

DONATE TODAY

This quarter has allowed the work of B2N to continue to work in Panama, Guatemala, Ghana, Zambia, Kenya, South Africa and the Caribbean. Also, this quarter and next, B2N will be witnessing at three county fairs, here in the States. With your continued encouragement, we have helped plant a new start-up church in South Africa, B2N's second church plant is almost finished and we will partner with a local Guatemalan church to start our 6th church plant there. We continue developing a pastors association in Cuba.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Seminar and conference in Guatemala October 20 through 24 October
- Evangelism campaign to Cuba working with our new pastors October 31-November 7th
- Continue regular teaching on Zoom for the Wednesday Warriors

GUATEMALA

The work in Guatemala continues as Miguel is doing a wonderful job. We now have six churches under the umbrella of B2N and Miguel's ministry. I will return in October to continue encouraging the churches and I'll be doing a large seminar to build up the faith of the new pastors coming in under our umbrella. Most of the churches are fairly local, however when I was there this summer during the rainy season a few of the roads were washed out and it was impossible to attend their churches. Our desire is to equip all of our pastors with a part-time vocation with which they may supplement their income. Paul was a tent maker when he wasn't traveling. Miguel brings cars down from the United States to sell for a profit, Pastor Yurman works in his father's upholstery shop to supplement his income and pastor Diego has a food cart that he uses to sell food in his village to help support his family.

Pastor Gary working with children in mountain village.



Training future leaders for our 6 churches in Guatemala.







ZAMBIA

Our pastors in Zambia:

All five of these pastors crisscrossed Africa with me in the early days of our ministry. I can attest to their faithfulness to the work of the Lord. **George, Matthew, Charles, Kafwanka** and **Brian** tirelessly are dedicated to preaching, teaching, evangelism outreaches and working with many of the small poor churches that never had anyone come to encourage the body of believers.

George and his mentoring partner **Stanley**, have a plan for outreaches for the year, and have completed two of those and will be doing another one in September. They reach the really poor villages providing beans and rice and the word of God. Many times they find displaced people and they search diligently for an answer to help them in their homelessness.

Matthew has a tremendous preaching ministry to go along with his local church where he pastors. He has got a grasp on teaching healing for today using the word of God. He also is diligent in finding displaced women and helping them secure a safe place to move to.

Kafwanka has a regular teaching ministry and goes about the countryside teaching the people to believe the word of God, to read the word of God and to encourage others to get into the word and believe the word.

Brian he also is a tremendous word man who teaches regularly rotating between village to village. All of our guys have been trained in what to do

Charles is our newest addition but I traveled with him extensively in 2002 in the backwoods of Zambia. Charles is an amazing soul winner and he continually works hard to set up evangelism outreaches and he's very good at reaching the lost. B2N is so fortunate to have such faithful men and women working for this ministry. I've always heard that a ministry is only as good as those that are in the field doing the hard work and I certainly agree with that statement.

George teaching leadership class in Zambia.



SOUTH AFRICA

Apostle Simon South Africa:

Simon Chabinga is continually organizing evangelism outreaches amongst the local schools and he also shows the Jesus film and is very effective for winning people to Jesus. In May Simon came for visit and we were able to strategize what needs to be done for our teams over there. The first suggestion was I travel there to do some teaching and training but then Simon suggested making sure all the team members have decent phones and start doing Zoom calls. Since a trip to Africa would cost about \$7000. We are going to try the approach this year of setting up zoom calls to train our pastors there. Simon has been very busy trying to complete his mission house. When completed it will be a comfortable, affordable, temporary housing for visiting pastors. It will also serve as potential supplemental income to rent out weekly or monthly. Simon diligently works with orphans in his village, and continues traveling, teaching and training on evangelism.

Simon is so close to finishing his mission house.







GHANA

Our dream for a community bathhouse with a bathroom and shower facility for both male and females.



Our church in Ghana continues to grow.



Pastor Fredrick sharing the gospel with the new church roofers.



PANAMA

Betty in Panama

On a very sad note Betty's mom died this month due to the government shutting down all medicine being shipped into the jungle villages. Her diabetes got out of control and the hospital could not even save mama. Mama Carlotta as we called her was my witnessing partner and she would go anywhere I wanted to go. She has won many people to Jesus and she has a great legacy and we know that when she steps into heaven she will hear those awesome words well done my good and faithful servant.

B2N has been promised by the government of Panama that we could have the vacant lot next to our mission house that was completely destroyed by the three hurricanes, the termite damage and finally the black mold deemed it impossible to repair. While we waited on the government to decide on the piece of property we don't want us to start building until we know what our capabilities are land wise. We did bring in 75 truckloads of massive river rock and built our property up so that when we do rebuild we never have to worry about any kind of backwater coming in from the canal that backs up behind our property. B2N's AWANA Program was severely hampered during the Covid and Betty and her team are just now able to travel into the indigenous areas to restart our Bible programs.

Mama Carlotta owned some property on one of the prestigious Islands of Panama. Betty wants the staff and board members at B2N to consider starting a ministry to the islanders. Betty wants to begin with building a small structure for her to stay in while she's there and then eventually plant a church on the Island. I personally will be looking into the feasibility and cost of this project. It's only about a 10 minute water taxi ride from Betty's present

On a sad note we buried Betty's mom who was always my witnessing partner in the harshest environment's.



We brought in 75 dump truck loads of river rock to assure no future flooding when we rebuild our mission house.



KENYA

B2N purchased a fish farm set up to help feed the 50 widows.



Kenya:

The investment in the fish farms and the beehives are still too early to determine how successful they will be. Last year we did a small fish farm. We netted \$1600 profit using the entire \$2800 including \$1200 of our original

still had the fish farm container and with \$400 we invested in more fish for another season. There is a potential it could net another \$2800. Pastor Joshua located another ministry in America that would partner with us to invest in a larger fish farm. The cost of that farm is \$2500 with an expectation of a \$6000 return. One of our donors leads a small group and they gave B2N \$500 to invest in a beekeeping farm. it is too early to determine those results. Hopefully they will earn some money and have ample honey to eat. We anticipate this farm should keep returning a small investment for 10 years. B2N continues to feed 50 widows a day and their children so we believe these investments could eventually eliminate part of the \$600 a month we spend to feed to feed the widows and orphans.

Part of the orphans that B2N feeds daily.



Two of our widows have been trained to keep the bees and gather the honey.



Thanks to B2N this village now has fresh flowing water!!



LOCAL MINISTRIES

I continue to teach locally.



Its almost County Fair season! I am looking forward to the people that God puts in my path and the lives that will be changed for JESUS!



In closing I just want to reiterate how valuable your connection is to this ministry. We have officially completed 20 years of full-time ministry and yet there is so much more that needs to be done in the Kingdom. Thanks again for your encouragement, prayers and financial support as B2N continues to impact the world for Jesus Christ. I told our team members today that I know how hard the work of the ministry is because I walked those same places they walked and drove to those same villages. I know the conditions are difficult and the work is hard work. I also told them I am so proud of what they have accomplished in all these places. We still have even more work to do and they're doing an excellent job. The reports are coming in from the field regularly and I tell them just to continue what they've been doing. We give glory to God for the work that has been accomplished thanks again to you, our faithful partners.





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