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Missionaries to the Maasai & Warusha

27 July 2006 prayer letter

I pray that everyone is doing well. I thank you so much for your prayers and support.

Debi and Michelle are doing well. Debi is still waiting to hear from the state dept. about being sworn in as a US citizen. She passed the test and everything. She is really antsy about getting back to Tanzania. There are a lot of things that she wants to do here.

Michelle is getting anxious about college. She says she will be fine without Mom and Dad. Boy, that's not what you want to hear. Debi took her down to the DMV the other day and she passed the test and got her drivers license. If you see a black Isuzu coming, you better pull off the road. No, she is doing well with her driving -- even passed the parallel parking.

I've been busy with the mission work in Marurani and the Bible studies. I have also taken on a new role. I am now playing medic. I have been spending my days off working in Dr. Raza's office learning a little. I bought about \$200 worth of medicine through him and have been having clinics out in the bush. I am not much and do not know much; but, I am more then these people had. I can only treat minor illness and injuries. I text the Dr. if I come across something I do not understand and take any thing real serious to him. The worst I have had is a man that had second degree burns on his arm and hand. I cleaned it up put the meds on and gave him an injection of strong pain killer. Most of what I see is Malaria, chest, throat, and stomach problems. This has given me another avenue to share the Gospel with people and if I can save one little kid from dying of a treatable sickness, it is worth everything. I will be glad when Debi gets here and can take over the medic stuff. She really enjoys it and I just do it because it needs done. By the way if anyone would like to donate some money to help buy medical supplies, please send it to the BBFI mission office in my name marked special for medicine. If anyone knows how I might be able to get some medical supplies sent over let us know.

I have not had a flat since the new tires were put on the Land Rover. It has been running OK, just need to get the front windshield put back in and the turn signals working. I do not really use the turn signals a lot out in the bush.

The mission work in Marurani is going well. We had one more saved last Sunday. I was real happy about this. I had typhoid again and could not get to Sunday service, but they went on without me and won one soul to Christ.

It is so nice to see the people continue to grow and be willing to be used by God. On Wednesday evening, the man that was saved Sunday came and told me that his neighbor, who is one of our faithful men, was telling him about baptism and he would like to be baptized.

I believe I told you that I had brought back a bunch of the WWJD bracelets. They have been a big hit. Everybody in the fellowship wears one all the time. Many people have asked them about them and they have been able to share Jesus with them. I had one man flag me down. I was driving down a dirt track and he was taking his cows to water. He said that he wanted to

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talk to me about being able to do things the way Jesus would do them. One of our people had explained the bracelet to him. He said that he wants to be saved and will bring his wife to church Sunday so she can decide to get saved as well.

I still have not been able to get out to any new bomas. With the new church in Marurani and the Bible studies, I am just too busy. Because of the distances, I can only do one Bible study a day and Sunday and Wednesday are church days. I want to get some of our men to the point where I can teach them the Bible lessons and let them go out and do the Bible studies. Please pray about this for me.

Again, we thank you so much for all you do for us.

In CHRIST

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P.S.: Our April 2005 letter included some photos from the Maasai Mara and we left them on the site via http://bbfi-africa.org/Williams_Ron/Wms-Apr05-Ltr2.dot so our valued supporters may still view them. Please be patient while it loads due to document size.