

# MISSION BRIEFING

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*"Whether therefore ye eat or drink, or whatsoever ye do, do all to the glory of God." 1 Cor. 10:31*

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Finally, the repairs are complete on the Jeep and motor home. While waiting for the motor home to be finished, I received four calls for assistance.

A church member with an aircraft wanted to help during the Haiti crisis, but did not know who to contact or where to go. I linked him up with a missionary pilot who flies the area routinely and where he could get loads of aid to deliver.

A group of doctors and nurses were holding a conference in Texas when the Haiti crisis began. They called and needed help getting 14 doctors and nurses into Haiti sooner than the three week waiting period imposed on flights into the capitol city. I found a missionary aviation organization that was capable of getting a group that large into Haiti and put them in touch with them.

A missionary under a major denomination was having serious medical problems in Togo, West Africa. Two people had already died from what he was suffering. His denomination decided not to evacuate him by air ambulance but recommended flying on commercial airlines. Due to the nature of his serious condition, I recommended a different course of action in order to receive immediate medical treatment. The doctors were able to stabilize him, and after his recovery he returned to his mission station.

A Bible college senior on a trip to Jamaica suffered a rare blood disorder and was dying. Proper medical treatment was not available in Jamaica. His college sent an individual to Jamaica for a direct blood transfusion. The airlines would not allow him to fly back to the United States on their aircraft. While waiting for the college to arrange transport and treatment, the student went home to be with Lord. This reminds us that time is of the essence in situations like this.

We were able to upgrade our satellite equipment after getting our tax refunds. This modernizes our internet capability. Also, a gift was received to use toward a new lap top computer. As God would have it, after receiving the gift and looking around for a computer, we found one with the capabilities we needed for about half what it should have cost. God's timing is always right on.

We will be finishing up medical appointments and miscellaneous repairs on the vehicles this week and setting out for meetings in Arizona and New Mexico. Our schedule will take us through Utah after that and on to Minnesota, Wisconsin, Pennsylvania and Georgia by year's end.

One lingering problem to remember in prayer is the need for missionaries to carry some form of internationally recognized medical insurance in order to qualify for air evacuation by air ambulance. I am meeting with several individuals who may possibly have some recommendations in this area. Especially in need of some sort of coverage are those with serious pre-existing conditions that disqualify them from coverage, and, therefore unable to be evacuated by air ambulance.

In His Service,

*Paul & Anita McCauley*

## Prayer Requests

1. That our house will sell.
2. Traveling safety.
3. Meetings.
4. Wisdom to deal with calls for assistance.



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