



**The Sanderlins to
CAMEROON
with
WINGS AS EAGLES**

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Dear friends and family,

We hope that this letter finds you well as you begin this new year. Our ministries have only increased since January first, and we are amazed at all the opportunities available to serve the Lord. It is not humanly possible for us or our co-laborers in the gospel to preach in all the open doors just in the two English speaking regions of Cameroon. What about the 8 French regions? We pray for the Lord's enablement in all that we are endeavoring to accomplish for Christ in Ndop town, the Ngoketunja division, and the Northwest and Southwest regions. We would love to show you around this great country should you feel led to come and help!

I began teaching two classes on January 4th. I am teaching Homiletics (preaching) in the Bible institute and Greek to one of the pastors. In our church services in Ndop I have begun a series on First Peter during Sunday mornings and Proverbs during our new Wednesday evening service. Brother Chrsyanthus has moved to Ndop having been commissioned and sent by his home church two villages away. He and his family are living near the church here and adjusting to their new environment. He has a vision to reach the 13 villages of the Ngoketunja division. His wife, Valise, is helping Abby teach the children in Sunday school, and Chrsyanthus will begin teaching the regular Sunday school next week. We praise the Lord for many visitors that have been coming to Believers Baptist Church and for the salvation decisions that have been made through preaching as well as through one on one contact with people after church and throughout the week. Please continue to pray for these people to follow the Lord in baptism as well as the many areas of Christian growth. They seem to be hungry for the Word of God and are all thrilled to now have their own copy of the Bible. One of our attendees was saved and turned her bar into an alcohol-free restaurant!

Abby is expecting our third child in early July. She had her first doctor visit complete with ultra-sound for the grand total of about \$15! She is doing well but really has a big job in keeping up with Elena and Elias, our two very busy, life-loving toddlers. Elena continues her Pidgin and Bansa language acquisition, welcoming home our carpenter friend in the evenings with a mixed greeting of, Na who...wiy kijung, Who is it, welcome! Elias tries to copy everything of interest that Elena does and adds teasing to the mix by grabbing her toys and running. The whole quarter (neighborhood) must hear Elena's frustration at times!

We had a great student tract campaign as students came back to Ndop for school. We probably passed out 3,500 tracts in two days. When Elena sees the students walking by our house now, she wants to go out and give them tracts "so they can know about Jesus." Praise the Lord for students from several schools that have trusted Christ in the last two months!

Other praises:

- For electricity in our house on January 2 and for the new refrigerator and washing machine now being used!!
- For safety in my first few solo flights to various airfields. The visibility is hazy with the dust but there are no threats of storms.
- For safety in a survey trip several hours up the bumpy, dusty Ring Road. I visited some Bansa villages with friends from there.
- For a few doctor visits and medicine for me that cleared up some sickness.
- For open doors in preaching to a youth football team (soccer).

Other prayer requests:

- For the ability to buy a dependable vehicle.
- For funds for airstrip construction in the village of Wum.
- For full government authorization of the Cameroon Bible Fellowship.
- For two pallets of Scripture to arrive safely from Bearing Precious Seed.
- For coming evangelistic survey trips.

Looking to Jesus,

Sam, Abby, Elena, and Elias Sanderlin



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