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FW: Nate Wright April 2016 Email Update

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Dear Praying Friends,

I am using my G-mail address. I will probably go totally with Gmail in future. But all of my old accounts are still working.

I want to dedicate this update to the deaf. They are a large unreached group here in Northern Uganda and South Sudan. Many are deaf from birth, but many are deaf because of various diseases that were not treated properly. For instance, Gabriel was born hearing. But then he contracted malaria and was treated with high doses of quinine. Quinine kills malaria parasites, but it also adversely affects the hearing, and as a consequence, Gabriel is now deaf.

However, God is now working in the deaf community bringing many to salvation. In fact, God gave us two deaf men who were saved in our Gulu church in 2010. God is now using them and two of our deaf translators to start deaf churches throughout Northern Uganda. They already have 7 different villages in which they have a group of deaf believers in the process of becoming a church with a deaf pastor. Each of these deaf pastors is also enrolled in our Bible institute.

Villages: Deaf Leaders

Awach village: Brother Ocan

Anaka village: Brother Okello Benson

Bobi village: No leader yet

Pabo village: Brother John Anywar

Kitgum Town: Brother Abonga

Pader Town: No leader yet

Lacor Town: Brother James

Recently God has opened up a door for reaching the deaf in South Sudan. There is a school in Gulu where we have discovered 21 deaf students from South Sudan. Please pray for this opportunity to reach deaf South Sudanese.

Also, there is an upcoming nationwide soccer tournament for the deaf being held in Arua. Deaf teams from all over the country will be coming to play soccer. We want to put together a tract and a way to contact our church (probably FB and texting) to give to every player.

Although I never foresaw this deaf church planting opportunity, God has clearly blessed us with this ministry. Our desire is to reach deaf with the Gospel and start deaf churches all over Northern Uganda and South Sudan.

Prayer Requests

- Pray for our two deaf evangelists: Morris and Gabriel.
- Pray for our two deaf interpreters: Francis and Patrick
- Pray for each deaf church leader as mentioned above
- Pray for deaf to be saved and for safety for the many miles traveled.

Thanks for praying,

Nate, Sara, Andrew, Joseph, Susanna, Caleb, and Daniel Wright!