

SEPTEMBER 2016



FINAL DAYS - Saturday Aug.27th. We have eight days left on our survey trip here in Botswana. Emily flew out on Aug. 22 and arrived safe and sound in Indiana 36+ hours later. Thank you for praying for her safety! Cindy and I are leaving on a road trip through the "bush" approx. 6 hrs. north of the capital city to see Francistown the second largest city in Botswana. Having filed for the required permits to live here in Botswana, we hope to have an approval by the end of September. Botswana is still an open country but in these "last days" the spirit of anti-christ is much at work throughout the world in the high places (Ephesians 6:12) of government organizations (Psalm 2: 2-3). As he has done so many times before, I believe God will give us the victory as a result of prayer and dependence on HIM. **Please pray for approval of our permits.**

FIRST FRUITS - Last week we led 3 sisters (two aged 21 and one 15) to Christ while out soul-winning and rejoiced greatly to see them in church on Sunday morning! Two weeks ago Lloyd, (right) a 24 year old man received Christ after the Sunday service. Last Sunday Sky, another young adult woman, responded in the invitation and was saved. **Praise the Lord for five precious souls saved!** A few weeks ago I met Buteng (an Adventist) and his girlfriend Nicole (a former JW) and spent most of an hour sharing the gospel with them. There are several others we have met, engaged with, and witnessed to. We are compiling a list of these to follow up on when we return in January. God has quickly given us a deep affection for the people here. The Botswana are incredibly gracious, humble, and loving; unlike any people group I've ever known. But most are lost and victims of the deceptions of false doctrine. My hearts desire, and the impetus of our ministry is that they truly understand and experience the awesome realities of being a born again Christian and worshipping God in SPIRIT and especially in TRUTH.





THE FINISH LINE - We'll fly home from Botswana on Sept. 5-6. <u>We so appreciate your</u> prayers for safety and especially stamina. Jet lag is a factor and we have only a few



days to unpack / repack and then it's back on the deputation trail for 11 solid weeks of meetings to finish raising monthly support and the funds needed to transition to Botswana. We're close to the finish line of deputation. Please pray specifically that we will "finish strong" and raise 100% of the support needed. More importantly pray that God will bless the preaching of His Word and use our presence to be a blessing in each church. I would also ask you to pray for God to call others to join us here for the good work that lies ahead. Cindy and I love and appreciate <u>each one of you</u> who faithfully pray and give. Thank you for allowing us the blessed privilege to serve on your behalf as missionaries here in Botswana.



Enjoy pictures of our survey trip on our Facebook ministry page: Haleys To Botswana

