"And the things that thou hast heard of me among many witnesses, the same commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others also." - 2 Timothy 2:2

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Osborn November 2015 Newsletter

Dear Supporters and Friends,

October has been a very busy and fruitful month! What a blessing it was to be in several churches, share our burden for West Africa, receive new support, see people saved, encourage churches in missions, and spend time with friends & family! We are excited to announce that we are approaching the 90% support level! Thank you all for your faithfulness and partnership! We continue to pray that other churches we have had the privilege to share our ministry with will consider us for support and help us reach our goal of 100% so we can leave for Ghana next March.

You may recall that I mentioned in our last newsletter that during my September trip to Ghana for a Youth Conference, I was also able to visit other missionaries who were very helpful in regard to our preparation for moving to Ghana. They gave me great advice on what we would need, where to get it, and what particular brands to get. Therefore, we are including in this newsletter a list of things we will need to furnish our home when we arrive. We will

be sharing a home with one of the National pastors; however, we will have 4 rooms that will provide us with privacy and independence. Because of some special gifts we have received, we have been able to tile the floors, have a private bathroom built, and install ceiling fans. But we still need many household items before we can move in. Your help with these items would be such a blessing and greatly appreciated!

Some of these prices are high because they are not high demand items in Ghana. We considered purchasing items here and shipping a container, but that was not recommended because shipping costs and import fees would double the price. To ship a vehicle would cost more than the vehicle! If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me by phone or email. (Please send any contributions to WWNTBM, P.O. Box 725, Kings Mt., NC 28086; memo: Osborn Ghana supplies. Also, if you could inform me by email of your donation, that would allow me to follow up and also remove the item from our list.) Thank you for your support!

With Great Appreciation and Gratitude,

Rick & Brenda Osborn

Bathroom

- (most urgent items) • sink & toilet - \$300
- mirror, shower/sink faucets \$135
- instant water heater \$210

Bedroom

- bed & mattress \$850
- dresser/wardrobe \$400
- A/C unit \$475

Kitchen/Laundry

- refrigerator \$590
- oven \$635
- freezer \$300
- microwave \$200
- sink \$235
- washer \$650
- dryer \$550
- water filter \$110
- diesel generator \$1500

Transportation

- Motorcycle \$1000
- 4-wheel drive truck \$25-30,000

This is the cost of a <u>used</u> vehicle that we need to travel into the bush and on all the roads in Ghana. The cost is attributed to high import fees!