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What a way to begin a new year...Two dear ladies, Faith and Pearl received Christ as Savior in January. Both of these ladies have been much prayed over and it was awesome to watch as another one of our

faithful ladies skillfully led Pearl to Christ. Pastor Monte has started teaching on Wednesday nights on the fruit of the Spirit and is shining with maturity and the filling of the Holy Spirit as he helps to lead the church. We took a step of faith and started financially supporting his wife, Mrs. Boitumelo, as our missionary for \$150 a month so she could quit her secular job, join the ministry team, and work full-time alongside of us all. It is vital for Boitumelo to have this opportunity to be mentored by Cindy and learn the in's and outs of being a Pastor's wife.

Please pray for her as she grows into this new walk of life. On Saturday, a group of teenage boys went out with Monte and I for soul-winning and it was delightful to see

their enthusiasm! And Resego (prounounced: rah-say-ho), a young college student, who is faithful to EVERY outreach and ministry opportunity there is, is a firebug of zeal and love for the Lord. She has the sweetest

spirit of any young lady you'll ever meet. We're praying that in time she'll marry a Pastor as everyone agrees that she's "made for ministry." For two months in a row the tithes and offerings of the church have paid the rent on the church building. This may not seem like much to some folks in the US but let me tell you IT'S A BIG DEAL here on the mission field. There are still some hold-outs but by God's grace the people are learning to tithe. Seeing the people take "ownership" of the ministry is one of the greatest joys a missionary church planter can have.





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LILLY PROJECT – 50,000 NEW TESTAMENTS IN SETSWANA – The original printers, with whom we had arranged printing for the Lilly Project, suddenly informed us that they could not do our job.

Soul Winning Saturday

Turns out, the owners are Muslim. A definite sign of what is coming here in Botswana. But God led us to another company where the owners are working with us in wonderful ways to minimize expense, maintain quality of product, and maximize the number of copies we'll be able to produce. **Please continue to pray for the completion of this project.**

BUILDING PURCHASE – Just before Christmas the owners of a property and building that I believe God has for us contacted us to say that they had a change of heart and WOULD SELL US THE BUILDING. We have begun the preliminary work of due diligence and trying to establish a realistic and reasonable price. Please pray SPECIFICALLY that God will give us wisdom, discernment, protection (from greed and corruption), courage, and provision as we go through this process. If this is the Lord's will, and I believe it is, the building will serve to house the church, a Bible college, and a Christian Preschool ministry, all of which will be the foundation of our future church planting efforts as we endeavor to reach and train the generation that will reach Botswana with the gospel.

FURLOUGH – Lord willing we will be Stateside to report to our churches and raise new support from mid August to the end of December this year and have started scheduling. I will be trying to stay "somewhat" on the Eastern side of the US this trip if possible but if any of our supporting churches want us to come we'll be there. Please let us know if we can "pass by" for a visit, as we say here in Botswana.

OPPORTUNITIES TO COME ON A MISSIONS TRIP – Right now we are scheduled to host four, possibly five, mission teams from the States this year. We're so excited! We Praise the Lord for those who come to see firsthand what God is doing and get "hands on" in it. There is still room, especially in the first week of July" to get in on a trip and visit Botswana. You'll never forget it if you do! Please contact me directly at **pastormhaley@gmail.com** for more information. We love and appreciate you all!

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