



THE BOHMAN FAMILY

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Dear Praying Friends,

“Lo, children are an heritage of the Lord: and the fruit of the womb is his reward. As arrows are in the hand of a mighty man; so are children of the youth. Happy is the man that hath his quiver full of them: they shall not be ashamed, but they shall speak with the enemies in the gate.”

- Psalms 127:3-5



The Word of God likens our children to arrows that are an offensive weapon we can use against the devil. My wife and I rejoice that our first “arrow” was launched this month in the country of Kenya as we helped our oldest daughter, Erica, get settled into her new home and ministry there. After her deputation, linguistic training, and a refresher course in Swahili, she was so excited to finally be on the field and start to put everything into practice!

She will be assisting missionaries Luke and Tonya Shelby who have been in that part of Kenya for over twenty years. Her desire is to help with children’s ministries in the many churches that have been established. With the needs in the churches and local schools, she will be kept very busy!

The Lord was so gracious on the whole trip and provided in such a wonderful way! We want to thank so many of you who prayed for us! Having helped many other missionaries on the field, it was very special to do the same for her! We helped her purchase appliances and furniture - and then get them all connected, assembled and in place in her apartment. She was also able to purchase an older vehicle that had been very well maintained by a European family. God supplied so much!

Before we left for Kenya, we had a great Candidate School for new missionaries with BIMIA. As mentioned in our last prayer letter, several of these missionaries are heading to Africa. Amen! All were approved and are now starting on deputation to various countries around the world. It is such a joy to be a part of the training process and to reproduce ourselves in the lives of the next generation of missionaries. God is still calling choice servants into His harvest field! Thank you for praying and doing your part!

Until all nations hear,

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