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“Buenas dias” I said to the lady selling Yaniqueques for 50 pesos at the entrance to our driveway in January. I know what some of you are thinking. *Wait, buenas dias is not French and Yaniqueques are a traditional fried pastry sold in the Dominican Republic.* That is correct. After 12 intense months of language study across multiple states and provinces in North America, **Becca’s parents paid for our family to visit Becca’s brother and his family who are missionaries in the Dominican Republic.** We had a wonderful time with the Sykes family and were able to spend some days relaxing while renewing our minds and hearts in preparation for our return to Cameroon (Eph 4:22-24).

We have been receiving exciting reports from the believers in Cameroon. The cell phone connection was poor, but I enjoyed a brief conversation with one of the church leaders in the Faith Baptist Church in Bamenda last week (a church started back in 2007). Early last month, he was blessed to baptize a lady he led to Christ. The next Sunday, a second brother in the church baptized five more new believers. During that service, a man came under deep conviction and visited the home of a third member of the church. This man also believed in the Lord Jesus Christ last week and was scheduled to be baptized this coming Sunday. My favorite sentence in the phone report was, “The church is growing.” Praise the Lord (3 John 4)!

Last month, there was also a leadership conference held in the Southwest Region of Cameroon. The Southwest is one of the two war-torn regions. Several of the villages in this particular region have been razed or evacuated by the conflict. Despite the danger, three of our former students (all pastors and evangelists now) led this conference. Representatives from 18 different churches were in attendance! Two individuals professed faith in Christ, and six new believers in the local church (where the conference was hosted) were baptized that week. To God be the glory! Despite “peril or sword,” Jesus promised, “I will build my church; and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it” (Matthew 16:19).

In our last update, we reported our plan to return to Cameroon this month. **During physical exams last month, we discovered some health issues that need to be dealt with before we can leave for Cameroon.** During my six-month skin checkup, my doctor discovered a new suspicious spot on my shoulder. A biopsy was taken, the results came back, and a surgery is planned to remove a safe margin around the area later this month. Drew’s regular checkup in January revealed dangerous levels of glaucoma in his eyes. The doctor wants to adjust his daily eye drop treatments and check his eyes again in a month. We appreciate your prayers for both of these health issues. The disappointing news is that these health issues will delay our return to Cameroon one month. The good news is that we are still in the hands of the Great Physician who gave Himself for us and does all things well. He is in control of our lives and the timing of our activities. Thank you for your prayers, patience and faithful partnership.

Through the years, many of you have encouraged our family to produce a CD. **We are happy to inform you that God provided an opportunity last month to record 12 songs for a family CD that will hopefully be available for sale by our next update.** We look forward to announcing the particulars and informing you how you can order your own CD soon. We pray that the songs will be a witness to the lost and an encouragement to believers for years to come.

This month is our 20th anniversary with Baptist World Mission. Thank you for your faithful prayers and partnership.

Ben, Becca, Drew, Kate, Emma, and Faith Ann

Prayer Requests:

- Continued progress learning French
- Peace and revival in Cameroon
- Health & strength for Ben’s & Becca’s parents
- Health issues for Ben & Drew
- Transition & search for house in Cameroon