



Dear praying friends,

August 2025

We have two praises to share this month! First, on August 11th, I was able to make the seventeen-hour roundtrip drive to retrieve the twelve boxes that we had to leave behind upon our return to the field. Unfortunately, the taxes, fees, and storage were much higher than anticipated, but God provided what was needed, and we learned some valuable lessons about shipping to Uganda. Secondly, Abbey was able to complete her final course to receive her master's degree.

When we first moved to Kasese in 2022, Carson and I started getting our haircut from a Muslim man in town. Though he was always friendly toward us, I had never had an opportunity to share the Gospel. Two weeks ago, going for a haircut in the middle of the day, we were alone for the appointment, and I was able to learn more about him and his family. During the conversation, I discovered that his youngest daughter has a serious throat condition that is preventing her from eating solids though she is almost eleven months old. At that time, I assured him that we would pray for her and offered some time if he wanted me to come to his house to meet the family and pray for them. To my surprise, he contacted me the next day, and we organized a meeting. With his permission, I was able to read some encouraging Bible verses, proclaim Christ, and deliver some gifts for the children. Please pray for B and his family. He is open, and my prayer is that we will be able to continue our conversations about salvation.

Regarding Fort Portal, we plan to begin looking for a home there in September and move in October. Finding a good home here in Africa can be challenging, and the unknowns of a new landlord, security of the area, necessary renovations, and new neighbors can create fears. We have a few connections there, but we ask that you please pray with us that our prospective landlord will be receptive to the Gospel, open to a long-term contract, and flexible with potential repairs that will be needed.

Please pray for the following requests in the month of August:

1. **Madelyn's development.** It is hard to believe that our little miracle baby is five months old! She has already mastered the "rolling over," and the crawling stage is nearly upon us.
2. **Carson's schooling.** Our son began 2nd grade this month. Please pray that he will have patience with himself in learning some of the new concepts.
3. **Masters classes.** With Abbey's completion, I have now begun my Masters in ministry program. These programs will give us some accreditation, which will help us in the starting of any future schools or Bible colleges.
4. **The future church plant in Fort Portal.** Our prayer is that God would open the necessary doors, prepare the hearts of the people, and give us wisdom as we embark on our first church plant.
5. **More people to surrender to worldwide missions.** The need for more laborers to surrender to be used by God around the world is great.

Your faithful servants in Christ,
Caleb, Abbey, Carson and Madelyn Turner

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