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*"For of him, and through him,
and to him, are all things:
to whom be glory for ever.
Amen" Romans 11:36*

TERRY & BARBARA CHILDERS

*"Building Durable Missionaries
So They Keep on Going"*

March 2018

Dear Praying Friends:

We thank the Lord for blessing us with a good start into this New Year. Since the first of March I have been busy getting things in order for my trip to Africa. Writing this letter to you was among the important things on my to-do list. Besides keeping you informed about our ministry I also want to enlist a lot of prayer support for this trip.

Here is my schedule:

- March 12, 6:00 a.m. I fly to Nairobi, Kenya; arriving on the 13th.
- March 14-16: meet with Pastors, church members and acquaintances. Pastor Laban at Runda Baptist Church in Nairobi (the first church we started in 1989) is organizing a fellowship meeting for the 14th. Sixteen Pastors from our churches in western Kenya are traveling to Nairobi for this meeting.
- March 17: fly to Addis Ababa, Ethiopia for special meetings.
- March 18-23: visiting churches and friends in Ethiopia; we have known some of them for over thirty years. A Bible institute in the capital city invited me to teach a **SMART** module called Leadership Development. Many of the students are in the final stages of their pastoral studies.
- March 24: A graduation ceremony; this will be followed by a special service to commemorate the fifteenth anniversary of the East African Baptist Mission (EABM). Both the EABM and the Bible Institute are Ethiopian ministries that were founded by Brother Berhanu Yosef.
- March 25: ministering at a local church in the capital city.
- March 27: board my return flight to the USA.
- March 28: arrive home in Tennessee, Lord willing.

Please keep this schedule near to your place of prayer and remember to pray for:

- Safety and physical strength. Recent security issues have developed in Ethiopia but the Lord has given me peace to go through the door He has opened.
- Barbara, that the Lord will keep her safe and that all will go well as I'm away.
- The Lord to use me to help edify and encourage the Pastors and churches.
- My time with the Bible Institute students that it will be profitable for them and their ministries, both now, and in the future.

I look forward to the opportunity of writing you a good report when I get back to the States. Thank you for your continued prayer and financial support of our ministry. To God be the glory, great things He hath done!

Your missionaries,

Terry + Barbara

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