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## The Gospel Is Going Out

We want to share with you what is happening because of the effort of one of our newest missionaries.

Pat works with all new missionaries in helping them get to the field.

Jeremy is an engineer who has been serving as an apprentice at the HCJB Global Technology Center.

He just got back from three weeks in the Central African Republic (C.A.R.) where he was part of a team that installed a new radio station and satellite service for one of our partners. Here's an excerpt from his report:

*"We are now online! Praise the Lord, we now have internet service literally 'in the middle of nowhere' here in the heart of Africa. All that can be seen for miles in any direction is the African Wild... Isn't technology great?*

*Every day, there are men pushing carts full of freshly cut wood to sell in Bangui. It may take*



**His Word is now going out with joy in the Central African Republic**

*them all day to push one load into town. Then, they hitch a ride back home that night and start again early the next morning. Every morning on our way to the work site, we pass little children carrying jugs of water from a spring, balanced on their heads, from a spring back to their homes.*

*The ministry we are building the radio station for, Integrated Community Development International, is working hard to empower the people of the Central African Republic. Around the country, this ministry is installing wells using foot-pumps so water will not have to be carried long distances. They are also working with the local*

*people, teaching them skills like sowing and farming that will help them start their own businesses.*

*The radio station we installed in Boali was able to air their first live broadcast before we left. The internet Satellite link is now up and running. The missionaries in C.A.R. now have access to the internet that will enhance their ministry and provide them with a better connection with family and friends back home.*

*The day we left, Samson shared with tears in his eyes the gratitude he had for the churches in America and all that they have done for his country. We are all a part of His great commission. We all have the privilege of giving in different ways to the work that expands and proclaims the gospel of Christ to the nations. Thank you for your part!*

**You, too, had a part in bringing the gospel to C.A.R.**

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# Go Into All The World...

Our newest missionary class completed training in February.

We are so excited to have had a part in finding and training these new workers for the harvest field.

Pray for these folks as they work at raising their support . They each are greatly needed and our prayer is that they can raise their funds quickly.



Pete and Mary will work in our GI Technology Center in Indiana



Ruth and Santiago headed to Ecuador



The Kinney family are looking to go to Ghana



Laia and Arron headed to England



The Johnsons are deciding which of three service opportunities to choose



Krista will head to Australia

# Passing The Baton

During a flight up from Quito in September of last year, Dick had the opportunity to catch up with a friend from Ecuador who was starting a new ministry called Leader Mundial (World in Spanish). He was relating his vision about training young leaders from around the world in leadership development skills. His vision caught Dick's attention because he, too, has a passion for seeing young leaders and potential leaders grow in their skills to benefit God's kingdom.

Dick mentioned to him that if he wanted to include in the curriculum training on biblical giving and biblical fund raising, he would be happy to teach those two modules. As the attendees would all be missionaries, it seemed like it might be a good match.

They talked off and on about his dream and through a ton of hard work it was begin-

ning to come together. Dick received a email in December inviting him to join the conference in Quito, Ecuador, in February.

There were forty-one in attendance from twelve different nations such as Indonesia, Haiti, South Africa, Chile, Zambia and more. These were all youth leaders or pastors who desired to grow in their skills through an intensive five-day training experience where each missionary had a personal mentor there on site that would help guide them that week and in the future. What an experience for Dick! Hands on relationship building and teaching to a thirsty group of young men.

One of the highlights for all of us was during a time of sharing and prayer when a white South African said to his black brother in Christ who he had never met be-

fore, "When I was in the army I was paid to hunt people like you down and take you into custody if you lived that long. Since then I have come to Christ, been called to the pastorate and here we are brothers, planning ministry together." They wept and many of us wept with them as this poignant realization of our changed lives in Jesus Christ flooded the room. It doesn't get much better than that here on earth.

Because of a very healthy donation month for us in December, we were blessed with enough funds to pay for this trip to relish in a true mountain-top experience. So the blessing of this time away is attributable to many of you. From Dick and his forty-one new friends –

**THANK YOU!**

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## Coincident or God-incident

After posting our newsletter on Pat's high school reunion website, Pat received an e-mail from a former classmate.

Edward had been a listener to HCJB's shortwave release when he was attending college in the early 70's in Michigan.

Edward was able to share Christ with a Japanese stu-

dent at the same school when he directed the student to listen to our Japanese broadcasts.

Kazuo and Hisako Ozaki have been sharing the gospel with Japanese listeners since 1964. Hisako went to be with the Lord this past September. Today Japanese listeners can listen to our programs on shortwave or the

internet.

Kazuo produces his programs in Chicago and sends them to Australia for the shortwave release.

You can listen to some of our foreign broadcasts by going to [http://www.hcjb.org/worldwide/worldwide/other\\_languages.html](http://www.hcjb.org/worldwide/worldwide/other_languages.html).

HCJB Global airs programs in more than 120 languages and dialects. Touching the world for Christ.



# Desires of Your Heart

When we joined the mission nearly 16 years ago, one of the things that Pat left behind was teaching in a classroom.

Once again, God has shown his great love and faithfulness to His promises.

Recently, Pat got to spend a couple of hours in a second grade classroom.

Becca, our daughter, teaches second grade at a local charter school. They had been studying the Civil War and slavery. She had read the class an Ashanti (tribal group in West Africa) legend in

connection with the study of how slaves came to the US.

She asked Pat to come in and share some pictures and tell about being in West Africa.

Did you know that more than 10 million slaves were brought from Ghana to the US between the 1500s and the Civil War.

The kids were amazed to see photos that looked just like the drawings in the book they had read.

Each of the students left that day quite humbled by the luxuries they have and the little kids just like them live with on a

daily basis.

That day a parent happened to be observing in Becca's class. She said afterward, "I wish every child in this school could see these pictures."

Pray with Pat that the seeds planted in the hearts of these children may one day yield more workers for the harvest field.

PS - If you haven't seen the movie "Amazing Grace," it's powerful!

## Prayer

- For a healthy pregnancy and safe delivery for Andrea, our daughter-in-law
- That we would be consistent in our walk with the Lord
- For three positions that are open at the office
- For stamina as we take on extra responsibilities due to these vacant positions
- For our President, Dave Johnson, while he is on sabbatical for two months

## Praise

- For one new monthly supporter
- For folks like you who stand with us financially and prayerfully
- For Christian radio going on the air in the Central African Republic
- For the great spirit of cooperation with the team of folks we work with
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## Thanks

For all you do that enables us to serve the Lord with HCJB Global.

Blessings,

**Dick & Pat**



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