

## THE ROBINSONS

Missionaries To Malawi Africa

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James 3:18 And the fruit of righteousness is sown in peace of them that make peace

## Greetings,

I hope and trust you are all well and that you are standing strong in faith in these last hours before our Lord comes. By God's grace we are doing well and are still in the fight!Light Baptist Church

Thankfully, the Light Baptist Church building project has been going very very well. Thank you to each of you who have prayed for it. Although it may seem to be going in slow motion if compared to how quickly things can move along in the USA, given all of the challenges here, we feel like we are soaring on eagles wings!

We are very thankful for your support in this Church building as clearly it would be impossible without your generosity. Just as inflation has hit the USA hard, the same is true in Malawi. I mentioned in the last letter that there was a significant increase in the cost of everything which will definitely have an effect on the completion of the building.

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## **Campaigns For Christ**

What a privilege it has been to host and work with The Campaigns For Christ ministry here in Malawi. From the first day that I found out about this ministry I was absolutely impressed with the focus and the faith which was being exercised.

The primary work is to get tens of thousands of copies of the book of John and Romans into the hands of people in a particular area and then at the same time give them a printed invitation to come to and attend an evangelistic preaching meeting.

Since Campaigns for Christ did all of the hard ground work, other brothers and sisters who <u>ARE</u> called to "GO" but <u>are NOT</u> called to "STAY" forever on the field, had the opportunity to come and serve in a very real way in foreign missions. I FOR ONE SAY PRAISE THE LORD for such faith!

Collectively we passed out 100,000 copies of John & Romans, 100,000 invitations, we had a few thousand folks attend the preaching meetings, a few hundred people who made a first time profession of faith, and we are busy working through a follow up list of over two hundred names and numbers of people who registered to request further teaching. Register For the 2023 trip.

## **Coordinated Efforts**

Thanks to your generosity, in addition to the USA volunteers we were also able to host a number of local Malawian participants made up from the folks from the local churches here in Mzuzu, Bible Institute students and other Independent Baptist Local Church Pastors from different parts of the country. This gave us a "training ground" opportunity on how to conduct future coordinated efforts while simultaneously

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Psalms 133:1 Behold, how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity! Fellowship Baptist Church

I mentioned in previous letters that I had several men who were in the Bible Institute up in the Chitipa area who were historically Pentecostal preachers. I mentioned that some of them were at a serious crossroads of faith due to being exposed to true biblical doctrine for over a year and a half now. One of those young men was able to come to the Campaign effort.

He had mentioned to me a while back that he no longer preaches any Pentacostal false doctrine and that **he only preaches the truth** in the church which he is responsible for. He went on to say that he was convinced that he needed to leave the Pentacostal churches all together and follow the truth, but that he wasn't exactly sure how to go about it. I told him to be patient and that if he was very serious, and willing to undergo plenty of opposition, then God would show him what to do, and when to do it. We prayed about it for several months and I asked you all to pray for him as well.

During the time he was with us on the streets I could see that he was really fired up and that he had been greatly encouraged by what he was experiencing. I gave him the opportunity to give a testimony during one of the testimony services. He said that there were many things which had impressed him about the Independent Baptist Churches since he began to know us.

He mentioned that first of all, that we indeed have the right doctrine. He went on to say that we also have the right exaltation of the scriptures and that we were more humble than any other group he had seen. He said that the very most impressive and compelling thing he had seen was our **fellowship** and genuine care for one another. He was so impressed by our willingness to work *with* each other as equals instead of everyone trying to "*lord over*" others. He said that he has been praying and searching for the truth for years and that he is 100% sure that he has finally found it. He then declared publicly that he will resign from the Pentacostal church and that, as of then and there, he is no longer any part with Pentecostals; he is an Independent Baptist!

I asked him later on how it went back in the church he had been a preacher in for years. The "Head Bishop" was a woman and, as I had imagined, they all but tarred and feathered him and his family. They shamed him and his family for his association with the "white heretic" (yours truly). He simply said that he knew it was coming, and that the truth was worth it. He is a natural born preacher and he immediately asked me if he could go ahead and start holding services in their sitting room at their house because people need to know the truth! He named the church Fellowship Baptist Church because **it was the fellowship which he had never seen before that sealed the deal in his heart.** What a testimony to God's truth and his ways.

As of now, they are holding services in his home while they look for a space to rent. He has a genuinely humble attitude and is requesting to be further taught by Pastor Daniel and Pastor Alex here in Mzuzu, as well as myself. I am thankful that he has examples to look to now in terms of pastoring a Bible Believing Church. Pastor Alex and Pastor Daniel are both men of great faith and they love the Lord and his people. I must say that I am excited about this development in the Lord's work and I covet your prayers over this man and his family as well as the work of faith which is underway there in that area. His name is John Nkisi.

Please Continue in prayer as there are a good number of Malawian Pastors and church members all over the country who are greatly encouraged to be a part of these evangelism efforts. Please pray that the Lord will continue to establish a spirit and attitude of cooperation as we continue to try and strengthen the churches and pastors here in Mzuzu and around the country. Thank you all once again for your sacrificial prayer and support to enable us to do this work.