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Dear Friend of Abiding Above,

On our recent trip to Kenya, Africa I was able to go to several of the churches we have planted. God laid it on my heart to give each church a love offering of \$200. I could not make it to every church on Sunday, so my key leader, Daniel, arranged meetings with pastors throughout the week. I exhorted them to keep pressing on, reminding them that this moment called time is but a vapor. Soon, we'll all be in heaven together and that is for eternity!

It is a tradition in Kenya, to bow, as this pastor is doing, when receiving a gift such as fruit or money. With open hands, the gift is graciously received.

My friend, this is a result of your prayers! This is a result of your giving what God has given to you. This is the fruit from our multiplying, disciple-making training. We accomplished this training before and even during the pandemic.

Although we are back home in America, what we have started by

the Holy Spirit in Kenya continues on and on! This is the wise way to do evangelism and ministry in foreign countries - put everything in place to carry on even when we're gone.

Please continue to pray for these pastors who are following God's leading to train God's children to lead people to Christ, disciple them and train them to become a multiplying, disciple-makers to the ends of the earth.

People need the Lord, and we are the ones to tell them.





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Matthew 28:19–20 - "Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age."



Here I am preaching in a marketplace in just one of the many villages we traveled through as we met with pastors. It always blesses my heart as I hear a large crowd pray and ask Jesus to come into their hearts.

In our next newsletter, I will be able to give you even more news and pictures of this recent mission trip. Until then, please go to our website abidingabove.org to see the many things God is doing through us as we share the gospel with the lost, encourage spiritual growth in believers, by the power of the Holy Spirit, and to the glory of God!

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