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Dear Friends and Supporters,

Please allow me to send out a quick supplemental prayer letter. We arrived safely back in Botswana, and the work is going well. Several have already been saved. We are concentrating our efforts in Ramotswa and seeing good results.

We desperately need your prayers, however. It seems the devil started his attack before we even left America. Someone stole our identity and took over \$2000 out of our account in the U.S. Because the bank was insured, we got that back. The next problem was that we had to pull ourselves, the twins, a large stroller, four carry-ons, and seven suitcases off and stay over 36 hours in Johannesburg, South Africa. While we were dealing with all this, again someone stole our information and had a shopping spree in South Africa of over \$3,000. We don't believe we will ever get that back. Sometimes here someone in the bank is even working with the crooks.

Soon after arriving home, the sewer system in our block backed up and everyone's sewage wound up in our yard. Mimi and the twins have had to stay away from home for four weeks so far. They are supposed to have it fixed now, but must treat our yard with chemicals before it will be safe for the family to come back home. Because of all this we haven't been able to get settled in or get our communications fully functional. Until we can build back the loss of funds, we won't be able to do some things.

The capstone on all this is that we are required to completely re-register. We must submit several letters from various people, plus all of our credentials from ordination papers to College Diplomas. (My dad even had to lie for me and say I am qualified for this work). We don't know if this is because of what some foreigners have done or if it is rising sentiment against America. The old president loved America; the new one not so much. Some people have been required to leave the country. Pray with us that the Lord's will be done.

We really are not complaining, but all of this together is a heavy load, and we need prayer power to work through it. However, when we see eight souls saved our hearts are blessed and we can see the hand of the Lord working. Thank you for your faithfulness in standing with us. May the Lord truly bless you.

In the Service of Our Lord,

Travis, Mimi, Logan and Nikki Dykes