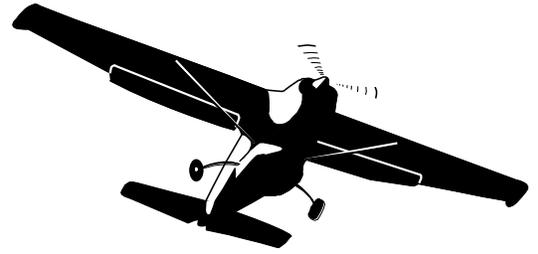


# Mission Aviation Fellowship

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## LePoidevin Prayer Release

Dear Praying Family and Friends,

### ANOTHER TRIP TO NIASSA

JUNE 2018

We are excited that the Niassa Flying Doctor project is slowly gaining momentum! Dave did the flight in June, bringing the Mozambican doctor and nurse to the three villages that are part of this project. The doctor is quite inexperienced, but he loves going, and he really cares for the people. Such a joy to see!

The girl on the right has a tumor in her right cheek. She and her father came along on the return flight for her to have surgery in Nampula. The doctor was very thoughtful to explain to the local people that the plane was not going to take the girl away and she would disappear. He emphasized that she would have surgery, and the plane would bring her back after a minimum of three weeks.



- **Praise the Lord for the caring Mozambican doctor!**
- **Please pray that the girl's surgery will go well, with no complications**
- **Thank the Lord with us for a special gift from a foundation to help cover the costs of the medical flights!**

### SUPPORTING KINGDOM WORK

From a missionary friend of ours:

*In June I was scheduled to dub "The Jesus Film" into the Koti language in Angoche Mozambique. My family had traveled to Nampula where my wife and three sons would stay while I went to Angoche to do the recording. The drive to Angoche from Nampula can take anywhere from 4 to 10 hours depending on road conditions. MAF/Ambassador Aviation was able to fly me there in 42 minutes. This not only blessed me by not having to drive over potentially treacherous roads, but it also allowed me to leave our vehicle for my wife to use while I was away. Also, when unforeseen things affected my travel plans they were able to*



Pilot Steve Simpson with Jon Beutler

*work me into their schedule. The recording went very well and soon the Koti people will have "The Jesus Film" in their language. During our 15 years in Mozambique I have been blessed several times by MAF. The greatest of these was 8 years ago when my wife was pregnant with our third child and I was three days drive away when her water broke. Dave LePoidevin had the plane in the air within 45 minutes of me calling him and we arrived at the airport nearest my wife a "short" four hours later. Thank you for supporting this crucial ministry that takes care of the rest of us!*

Jon Beutler - SAMSON Ministries

- ***Praise the Lord for a successful recording of the Jesus Film in Koti!***
- ***Please pray that everyone who watches the Jesus Film in Koti will understand and respond to God's love***

## FAMILY UPDATE

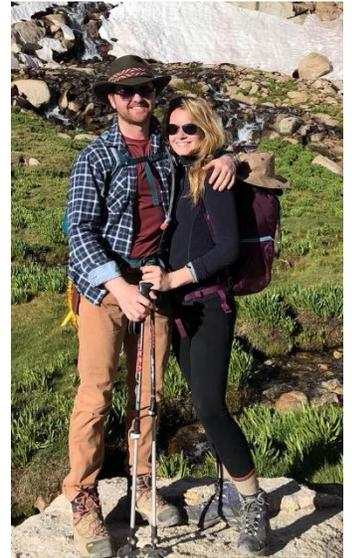
Karina and Robbie have their challenges, but they are doing well! Karina continues in her vet tech job, and Robbie makes pottery.

Sylvia and two friends managed to hike all the way to the top of the summit of Mount Whitney! That was 18 uphill miles. Talk about sore muscles afterwards!



We are very happy that Thomas arrived for an almost three week visit with us! It has been interesting for him to see this part of the world again, with different eyes than when he left more than five years ago. Annie is so thrilled to have her beloved big brother with her!

Annie loves to play with Legos. She has quite a few of her own, but it is a special treat to come to her friend Diego's house; he has many more, and they both have so much fun making things and playing all kinds of imaginary games with their creations. 😊



- ***We are so grateful for all our kids!***
- ***Thanking the Lord that Thomas can be with us in Mozambique for a while***

is and to keep us from boasting about ourselves. *"For God, who said, 'Let light shine out of darkness,' made his light shine in our hearts to give us the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Christ. But we have this treasure in jars of clay to show that this all-surpassing power is from God and not from us."* (2. Cor 4:6-7)

Thank you for praying for us as we strive to be part of building God's Kingdom here in Mozambique! May His Glory be revealed through our jars of clay!

Gerd, for the LePoidevins

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