

Wormleys to East Africa



2 Timothy 2:2



Dear Praying Friends,

Sept 2019

At the end of August I was able to spend several days preaching and teaching in Uganda. As always, it was a great time being with some wonderful brothers and sisters in Christ. As soon as I returned from Uganda, we packed our bags and headed to Tanzania! We had enrolled in a four week Swahili intensive at the State University of Zanzibar. Monday through Friday, Bethany and I were able to attend the classes while Josh's parents watched the kids. We are so thankful and blessed for such loving, giving family who are willing to help out when needed! The last week Bethany's sister Ashley was able to come and babysit while we finished our training. It was an incredibly challenging and beneficial month!

Zanzibar is 95% Islamic and while we were there we had some great opportunities to share the Gospel and give out Bibles and Christian literature to Muslims. One friend named Habib who received a New Testament was reading it at work several days later and said he had questions about what he was reading. Another devout Muslim named Iddi, spent almost an hour with me one Friday afternoon discussing the truth and validity of the Bible. Please pray for the many friends and contacts we made during our time there. Pray that God would open the hearts of those who received the scriptures: Muhammed, Habib, Abu Bakr, Rahma, Shanni (our teacher), Hussein, and others.

Half way through our time there, we were robbed one evening. After returning to our room we found that the safe box and been broken, several hundred dollars and some valuable items had been taken. We were very thankful that we were not in the room, and that the thieves had left our passports behind! It was a crazy evening as I went with the police and the owners to the ferry were we assumed the thieves might have gone. We had pictures from the CCTV and were able to apprehend one of the thieves! Unfortunately, the Tanzanian police are not as concerned about justice as we would hope for and the thief was released within a few days. But again, we thank God for His goodness and graciousness in our lives. The next month will be extremely busy as we return to our normal teaching in the Bible colleges and times of discipleship. Continue to keep us in your prayers. God bless!

Living for Eternity, Josh, Bethany, Abram and Journey Wormley



*** Notice— We are planning on taking a short furlough April—August 2020. We would love to visit as many of our supporting churches as possible, as well as new churches. Please let us know if you are interested in having us come!**

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