



Whirlwind Missions

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Hello, my friends!

I grew up in Nairobi, Kenya just a few miles from the equator at 5,000 ft. As a child, I didn't experience seasons of the year. In fact, we'd go to the beach in Mombasa for Christmas! Atlanta is different, we see change!

Summer means "the teams!" All year long we prepare our missions for this extended period of intense evangelism. Over 1,200 students from around the USA will join us in our goal to "Take the Church, to the People!" We will serve in 26 locations this year, sharing the Gospel with our Muslim, Hindu, Catholic and Buddhist neighbors.

This is an important period of the year for us, a time for calling out and commitment. We have to feel a sense of urgency. The apartment industry is really suffering. In the last four months we have had FIVE apartment complexes go bankrupt. That means new owners, managers and the stress that all the work we've done could suddenly stop. So far, because of your prayers, the new owners have chose to let us stay. Praise the Lord! That's not always the case.

There is also a season of life with the people we work with. "We're moving back to Bangladesh," Rahul told me, smiling from ear to ear.

"What?!" I exclaimed.

"My Daddy bought a new place and we're going to start a hotel."

"Man. I'm really sorry to hear that Rahul. When are you leaving?"

"Summer!"

My heart breaks as the children I work with, who are like my own kids, leave. Most of the time they move to another complex or house somewhere in Atlanta. But it's not unusual for them to go back to Mexico, Guatemala or Bangladesh.

"Hey, Mr. Tim!"

I was startled to see a young man who I think I recognized. "Abisai? Wow! You're all grown up! How are you doing?" I asked as I gave him a big hug.

"I'm doing great. I'm almost ready to graduate from High School!"

"Amazing! Last time I saw you, you were in 5th grade! Sure makes me proud of you. Staying out of trouble?"

"Yes, sir!"

Abisai accepted Christ in the Summer of '02 thanks to one of our teams that came to spend time with him. Right now at our mission in Azalea, I have 15 young people from the Atlanta Chinese Christian Church *living* at our mission, sharing Christ with our kids all day long! This is the season for harvest. Pray for lost souls coming to Jesus!! We made the little bookmark from cloth from Costa Rica, to help remind you to PRAY!



Take the Church, To the People!

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