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Miriam, Trainings, Tamar, Bible Studies and Reading Club

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Good morning from Tumu.

Thank you so much for your precious prayers. It's hard to put into words how much I need and covet your prayers. We all need each other to pray for one another and thank you for sending your requests for prayer to me. There is someone in Ghana praying and praising God for you!

I have a few prayer requests:

Pastor Abel has asked permission of Miriam's uncles to marry her. It seems like this should be a joyous time and even though they accepted the bride price, the uncles are now threatening Miriam and also her sister that they want their marriages done in a Muslim way. Miriam has stood her ground saying that they are both Christians and will be married in the church. The family is now at odds. Pastor Abel will go and visit the uncles today to try and settle this matter. Please pray for wisdom for Pastor Abel and Miriam as they navigate these difficult times. Pray that through this, the family will see Jesus and have their hearts opened to the truth.

I am excited to be a part of the Youth Executive Training for the Good News Bible Church youth leaders happening this Saturday. Please pray for these young leaders to grow in their understanding of what it means to be a servant leader. Pray for Pastor Abel and I as we lead different sessions to help them understand biblical leadership.

Tamar is an intern from a university in the US. She is coming for 1 week along with our SIM colleagues that are focused on using sports as a way to share Jesus. They will be with us from July 17-25th. Not only will they be joining us in our ministries, they will also conduct sports camps as an outreach to children and youth in Tumu. Please pray for Tamar and what God wants to do in her and through her during her time here.

Bible study with my friend Asana has been so very encouraging - she grew up in a Muslim home but now follows Christ. Recently, she delivered a baby and I have been going to her house to have the study. Her husband, who has not been actively following Jesus, was home one week and joined us and the next week his Muslim friend also joined us. They were very interested as we read the story of Moses, his calling and God's power displayed through the rescue of the Israelites. Please pray for these precious souls. Asana's husband said after our study one day that he has heard from God for the first time in a long time. His Muslim friend expressed that he is empty and wants God to fill him with His Spirit.

Every Wednesday afternoon, I have about 20 children and youth gather in my yard to read books and other activities. There is a huge age range...from 4-14 year olds. Please pray for wisdom on how to handle them, help them with their education and also show them God's love. Pray for a person to help me, that I could also train to continue the work.

For the past few years we have been conducting a discipleship training program through the Good News Bible Church in villages about an hour outside of Tumu. This is an opportunity for youth to grow in their knowledge and understanding of what it means to follow Jesus. We will begin a new cycle starting on July 27th. Please pray for the 3 pastors and I as we share from God's word and make things practical for these young people. Pray for the youth to have passion for the Lord and grow in their love for Him.

SO GRATEFUL!

Let me know how I can be praying for you.

Much blessings,
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Pastor Abel and Miriam.jpg
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