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## July 2022 Ministry Update

Hello Friends & Family!

In late 2019 our family moved from Tucson, Arizona, to Fayetteville, North Carolina. Both cities can be described as “military towns” as Tucson is home to *Davis-Monthan Air Force Base*, and Fayetteville is home to *Fort Bragg*, the world’s largest military base! The “footprint” of Fort Bragg covers over 251 square miles!

And even though we have lived in this community now for several years, due to the pandemic, it has not been until the past few months that we’ve been able to explore and get to know some of the really “must-do” sites to visit in this unique community. One of the highlights is the *Airborne and Special Operations Museum*, which is only minutes from our home. According to the museum’s website,

*“the U.S. Army Airborne and Special Operations Museum is a first-class institution that efficiently and effectively captures, preserves, exhibits, and presents the material culture and heritage of the U.S. Army Airborne and Special Operations Forces from 1940 and into the future. The Museum celebrates over 80 years of Army Airborne and Special Operations history and honors our nation’s Soldiers – past, present, and future.”*

We can testify to that description. If you are ever traveling Interstate 95 through North Carolina, it is worth the time to take a short excursion off the highway to take in the museum... and to visit with the Travis family! ☺



During our summer vacation weeks, we have stayed fairly close to home, with occasional day trips to the beach and checking out the local and regional sites. In addition, we’ve been blessed by the visit of dear friends. For two summers in a row now, we’ve had the joy of hosting our friends, the Norton family. Our families served together as missionaries in Ecuador a decade ago at the *Alliance Academy International* in Quito. Today, the Nortons reside in Kankakee, Illinois, where they continue to serve as “edu-missionaries” in a local Christian school.



Their eldest, Kenneth and Emma, were born just a few months apart. And we used to share baby clothes and support each other in many ways. Today, they have three boys who keep Emma on her toes when they visit. They have a grand time. And the adults share a passion for card games, and we may even tend to get a bit too competitive—especially when the women are trouncing the guys!

Thank you so much for your support and blessing to our family. Your ongoing support of *Ripe For Harvest* not only helps to underwrite the ministry work I am involved with supporting school leaders in locations such as Haiti, the Dominican Republic, Honduras, and Indonesia, but your support also helps make summer vacations like the one we are enjoying possible. Thank you!

Next month we’ll provide an update on the international work as well as the ongoing ministry here in the USA. Thank you for helping us help so many others.

Yours for Christ,

**Toby (for Tannia & Emma too!)**



Enclosed is my gift of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ designated for the ministry of *Toby & Tannia Travis #20245*.

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