

## Billy, Crystal, & Hudson COLEY



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Dear Pastor and Church Family:

## Safe Arrival in Kenya

On November 13th, my family and I said goodbye to family and friends as we boarded our airplane departing from Oklahoma City. Our journey back to Kenya had us pass through Atlanta, GA, then Amsterdam, NL, before reaching Nairobi, KE. All of our flights went smoothly until we were getting ready to board our last flight for Kenya. We ended up having a two-hour delay, which for an already exhausted family was not the most welcome of news. We praise the Lord for how amazingly well Hudson handled this return trip. With the delayed flight in Amsterdam, it was almost midnight before we touched down in Nairobi. After arrival, we thanked the Lord for the ease through security all along the way and safety that He allowed us to have. We later thanked the Lord again for the quick passing through immigration and the safe arrival of all our luggage. From the time we left my in-laws' home in OKC to the time that we arrived at my mom's home in Nairobi, was a total of 33 hours.

## **Beginning Our Second Term**

As we are recovering from jetlag and getting settled back into our home, I am prayerfully making plans with the Bible institute young men and the church leaders regarding the time we will be watching over the ministry of our missionary colleague as he finishes up his furlough. Missionary Cormier and I are working together to teach the Bible institute young men, as well as the church members, their responsibility to work together in building their church. I will take part in youth meetings, preaching services, and teaching in the Bible institute. In addition, we will have our usual time of evangelism and Bible studies for salvation prospects and new convert discipleship. One of the upcoming preparations we have will be a class on baptism for recent converts. In error, mainstream Christianity in Kenya teaches that baptism is a necessary work for salvation. Our goal with these classes on baptism is not only to teach what the Bible says about biblical baptism, but to have the baptism candidates see for themselves from Scripture the measure of their faith. Thorough teaching on this subject is important as we seek to only baptize those who have genuinely accepted Christ as their Saviour. Please pray for us as we labor for souls in Kenya.

Thank you for your faithful prayer and financial support!

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