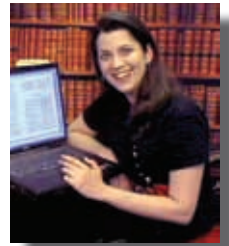


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“But my God shall supply all your need according to His riches in glory by Christ Jesus” Philippians 4:19

First, let me apologize for forgetting a prayer letter. While I was getting the other missionaries' prayer letters sent out here and Bro. Furrow's (Caprock's other missionary) letter posted on our web site, it somehow did not register with me that I was due to write a letter too. Please forgive me for missing February's letter.

Typesetting

The Croatian New Testament is finished! This project has been a bit drawn out for several reasons, but it is finally complete. There have been many corrections sent back and forth and we had a bit of trouble with special characters not displaying correctly, but God gave us a way around those issues and it is now in the hands of the printers! Very soon the Croatian people will have the entire New Testament printed and available to them. I anticipate the day Bro. Leslie calls to tell me the Old Testament is finished also.

Bearing Precious Seed has contacted me about typesetting a New Testament with Psalms and Proverbs for them. I have spent several weeks doing various font & size tests for them. These tests are often necessary to let us know what size the finished book will be, deciding on the balance between font size and final book size. As soon as they decide on the details, I will begin typesetting it.

In addition to the Croatian New Testament and getting ready for the English New Testament, I have done bits-and-pieces work, including prayer cards for my brother, missionary Dewayne Noel; helping a missionary recover the text for a project when he lost everything but the PDF files; creating templates for missionary friends in Samoa, the Faafouinas and other small projects too numerous to mention, but all critical to those needing them for ministry.

Web

In one of my previous letters I said I was going to do less web site work (and I have), but I was contacted by a church, asking for help building a web site. I agreed to help them. One of the reasons I agreed to help was a call I received from Pastor Black of Antioch Baptist Church in Pueblo, CO. I created a site for them last year. He said they are still getting visitors who find them through their site. My home church also has visitors who find us via our web site. Besides those who come, only God knows how many are witnessed to through the lessons and Scripture on these sites. My ministry is that of preparing seed and tools for those on the front lines. It is not up to me, but up to God, to choose which tools He wants me to work on.

Home

For the past 12 years, I have lived in someone else's home or in church mission quarters. It has been an unusual and blessed provision from the Lord. However, these last few years many things have indicated that the time was quickly coming when I needed a place to call home—my home. At the end of 2009, I learned that the house I have been living in was no longer going to be available to me. This prompted me to begin my search for a home, just a bit sooner than anticipated.



It has been a long, drawn-out, and sometimes frustrating process, but God has led each step of the way. Many times during these past months, I have asked God to close the door if this was not his will, nor His timing. Each time He opened the door wider or opened another door, confirming that He was leading in this.

Last week I signed the papers on a house in River Oaks, Texas and now have a home to call my own. One of my greatest anticipations is getting my office completely set up. For long months I have worked at the kitchen table or from a chair in the living room, with files and papers packed in boxes and stacked around me; often spending more time looking for files needed than actually getting work done. I cannot wait to get my office fully set up! I pray that being settled in my own home and having an organized and equipped office will enable me to be more effective and get more work accomplished.

Even before I signed the papers, I gave this home to God, promising to use it in any way I can for His work and glory. Thank you to everyone who prayed through this process and encouraged me at every delay. Thank you also to each one who has prayed, supported, written, and encouraged me.

One of the ministries I look forward to continuing is the conversion of Bro. Milton Martin's missions seminars from VHS to DVD. This ministry ended when I moved in the Fall of last year. I have not been able to set up video equipment since then. With my office set up, I can resume that job. It may seem as if I have been at this project for ages, but let me put it into perspective. There are about 14 seminars to convert. Each of these seminars is on 10-20 VHS tapes. Each tape must be recorded onto DVD – and there is no high-speed dubbing. It's all in real time. After each DVD is full, they must be duplicated, printed, and sent to Bro. Martin for distribution. I am in the middle of the 10th series now and hope to get set up to finish it soon.

Thank you all for your prayer, support, love, and encouragement. I pray God richly blesses each of you for your part in this ministry He has given me.

Because all I am is His,

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