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"Then Josiah ... issued this order to the Levites, who had been set apart to serve the LORD: 'Put the holy Ark in the Temple ... You no longer need to carry it back and forth on your shoulders. Now spend your time serving the LORD your God and his people ...' " 2 Chron. 35:1-3



May the LORD give us all discernment so that we spend our time serving Him and His people and not wasting energy on unnecessary busyness.

The Banna New Testaments were shipped on March 20th and were scheduled to arrive in Djibouti on March 31st. I have not heard whether they arrived in Djibouti. Please continue to pray for their safe arrival, that they will be obtained quickly without extra storage charges and cleared easily with reasonable import charges, and that they will reach the Banna people in excellent condition and be received and read with eagerness. The dedication is scheduled for August 8th.



I moved back into my home in Sebring on February 4th. I feel much more settled now – praise God! What a blessing to have my niece & family (James & Christina Post, Mikayla 5, Laurel 4, and Timothy 2) visit in early March. I was worried that the children might be bored. However, neighbors lent me toys for them to play with, we took them to a playground, and they loved the swimming pool here in the retirement village. Praise God! Please pray for the Post family as they prepare to return to Papua New Guinea with Wycliffe early next year.

Kafa Translator Matt flew to Nairobi, Kenya, on March 31st for his final residence course toward his Master's in Biblical Translation. Please pray for God's protection for him and his fellow-students, and for their families at home. Pray for His enabling in their studies.

Praise God for enabling me to finish preparations for the consultant check of Kafa Ezekiel. Pray for Teka as he does the back-translation of Jeremiah into Amharic. (I need this to prepare for the consultant check of Jeremiah.) Please continue to pray that the Lord will change the visa policy in Ethiopia so that I can return for at least 2 or 3 months at a time to work with the Kafa team.



Team leader Jonathan & Teka in new Kafa Office

Kurt Michler has completed a training course for typesetting the Kafa Bible. He is getting ready to start typesetting the Genesis diglot (one column in Kafa, one in English). Please pray for wisdom for him. We are truly grateful for his partnership in ministry, and for yours.

I was able to talk with Gus' widow Abby via Skype early this month. She is feeling stressed because the children have been sick, her sister who cares for them while Abby is at work wants to leave, and the landlord where she is renting has asked her to move so he can rent the entire property to some organization. Please ask God to provide for all her needs. We still pray that she will have opportunity soon to buy a "condo" (small apartment in a high-rise building) suitable for her and her family.

Joyfully serving the LORD with you,

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