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Greetings from Beautiful Madang!

We sit down to write this newsletter a few days later in the month than usual because we were blessed to be able to spend a few days on vacation in Cairns, Australia last week. Having been going full steam ahead since our last break in March, we felt it was necessary to take a break and enjoy some adventures together before finishing out the remainder of 2014 here in PNG. Cairns is only a few hours by plane from Madang, so it was nice to be able to escape from day to day life here and not have to travel halfway around the world for a break.

The time was set by Emily's travels back to Montana to attend her brother, Evan's wedding. Emily was glad to be able to make the trip back and honored to be a part of the wedding party, welcoming Malia into the Hinebauch family. As always, the trip back took a few days and the week went by faster than liked, but it was good to be back with so many family members and friends to celebrate such a special occasion.

While Emily went back to Montana, Tyler stayed in Madang with his nose to the grindstone.

Pacific Rim
East Africa
North Africa
West Africa
South Asia
South East Asia
North Eurasia

We met again in Cairns on October 29 and hit the ground running, exploring some of Cairns beaches, rainforests, waterfalls, and taking the chance to mark sky diving off our bucket list. (Check out the blog for 40 Seconds of Freedom and watch the videos as well.) It was nice for us both to have a bit of a break from the heat in Madang and to have the opportunity to enjoy our adventures in a safe environment.

In October, the Mborena Kam translation team reached another goal in their process of preparing the translation for typesetting. They were able to return to their homes for two weeks then they will come back to town to continue the work. Pray for our teammates and leadership that are working closely with the translation team to have much wisdom, discernment and guidance from God as they continue the last leg of the preparation. Pray for the Mborena Kam translation team to have endurance and perseverance in this final leg of preparation, along with opportunities to dream of how to make the Scripture accessible in their language beyond the completion of the translation.

We are excited that within this next week, we will welcome a couple that God has sent our team to fill the role of Tech Services. You have prayed with us for two years for this and we thank you. This is the role Tyler has been "filling in" for since March of 2013. In the next few weeks Emily and Tyler, along with our teammates in the office will be orientating this new couple to our team and life in Madang.

Continue to pray with us for our spiritual health to be strong. Pray for our physical and emotional health, this past week we have both have struggled with colds. Pray for our teammates leading a computer program course for our national colleagues. Pray for the orientation of our new teammates. Praise God for a week of rest and relaxation. Pray for God's Kingdom to come in PNG!

Together in Christ,

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