

Hello Friends,

I trust and pray all is well and your soul prospers even as your spirit. It's been quite a month for us at HHMI, Malawi.

I arrived safely on January 20th. During the trip my flight out of Washington DC was delayed. It looked like I might be enjoying an overnight stay in Ethiopia, but after a bit of prayer with Martha our flight finally took off, 2 hours late.

I arrived in Addis Abba with 40 minutes til departure. I made the connection with 5 minutes to spare. Since my luggage made it on the flight last, it was first to arrive when we disembarked in Blantyre. The customs agents immediately recognized me and commented that I was missed. When I asked which bag they wanted me to open for inspection they said "None, go through."

I also experienced a double blessing. This trip I checked 4 bags at 70 lbs each. Normally I get 3, the United agent said they were all free. I asked her to double check and told I usually pay for the extra bag, she said "Today it's free." What a blessing! PTL.

Walking around the school I am thrilled to see the excitement and am encouraged at the enthusiasm of the students and teachers. With 250 students. We're at 98% pass rate now.... we purchased a bus for school outings and it will allow us to expand our reach to students who want to come to our school but distance was an obstacle.





Our crops are doing very well. We've had plenty of rain this season, and several down pours this past week that kept us indoors.

Our outlying branch churches have implemented Farming God's Way and will have tremendous results this year. In the next few pictures you see a marked difference between standard and our FGW method....

Standard Way:



Farming God's Way:



FGW:



Our security team is maturing.... these guys are a joy to be around and train... but don't intrude on the property, they are not friendly to outsiders.





Thanks for your continued prayer, it is felt by all of us.

Yesu Wa Bwino, Tauway zonse! (Jesus is good, all the time)

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