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To: LOTS

Subject: Re: Ron & Debi Williams, Tanzania

UPDATE; Everything is going well here in Tanzania. Debi and I are OK. I just returned from seeing the doctor. I have amebas and parasites in my stomach and intestines. I guess this is a good time to find out. I can take the two weeks of medicine and be clear when we return to the states for furlough. The doctor said the only way to not get this is to stop eating in Africa. When we return from furlough, I will find some way to take food with me out to the bush when I am staying out so I know what I am eating. It is hard to refuse food or drink when they are offered. It is considered an insult if you refuse. If you want to have a relationship with someone, so that you are able to witness to them, you do not want to insult them.

We will be leaving for furlough in eight days. I believe we have everything taken care of that needs to be done to cover the eight months we will be gone. We do not really want to go and eight months is too long. But, the Lord has provided. We will be in the States from September 29th until June 1, 2008. We still have some openings in our schedule. So if you would like us to come report to your church, please send me an email at rlw0011@aol.com. The dates we have open are; Oct. 17, 21, 24, 28 and 31, Nov. 7, 11, 14, 21, 25, 28, all of Dec., Jan 6, 9, 16, 23, 30, Feb. 20, April 9, 30, May 7, 11, 14, 18, 21, 25, 28. Let me know if one of these dates fits your schedule, and if possible we will come.

We have arranged with a new builder to start working on the church in Marurani. The builder we had was not honest or very good. We have all but \$3000 of what we need. He will start building and prayerfully, we will be able to come up with the rest of the money while we are in the states and send it over. Please be praying about this for us.

Eric and Lori Bohman are missionaries with Baptist Independent Missions International. They have been in Kenya working in the bush there for fifteen years. He was recently made a Missions Director and they moved to Arusha, Tanzania. They have been attending church with us in Marurani. They have volunteered to baby sit the church for us while we are gone. They are wonderful people and we have become very close friends. Some of the nicest people you could ever hope to meet. They live only about a kilometer from us. It is a blessing having them here. Even though he is very busy with his director work, they have already helped so much. It is so cool to have someone with his experience and knowledge. They have started fourteen bush churches in Kenya so have a wealth of experience and they are only in their mid thirties. He was a carpenter by trade before becoming a missionary and knows a lot more than I do about building. He will be supervising the building of our building in Marurani while we are gone. After working alone for three years, I cannot begin to explain what a blessing the Bohmans are to us. He has all the talents I do not, knows so much about what we do, we get along so well, and Debi just loves spending time with Lori and their girls.

We continue to see people saved and lives changed. What a blessing it is to be in our Lord's service.

In CHRIST

Ronald and Deborah Williams

Missionaries to the Maasai and Warusha