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Hello Friends,

Once more we are sending this letter from Indiana, as we will be for the next several months. I'm not sure where August went, but it disappeared before I had a chance to take a deep breath! Can anyone relate?

On this side of the planet, I am just beginning to try and arrange appointments and the like - but back in Zambia they are having their problems. We have not as yet been able to find a suitable place to move our office and are being pressured heavily by the landlord (who refuses to return the money he owes us from the lease in order that we can put it toward property) so we remain in a 'catch 22' situation. Gedaliah is doing the best he can with the resources we have, but please continue to pray for him as he deals with things in my absence.

While we in no way intend to desert those with whom we have been working or cancel our plans or vision for them, it would seem that God has given us an additional challenge and mandate. It is one which we are embracing, as we believe strongly that it will make a difference in many lives. Bridge has been asked by Dr. Jonathan David, head of ISAAC Ministries, to take Bible teaching in the form of a special mobile school not only throughout Zambia, but to other African nations as well. This would offer teaching to pastors, few of whom have had the opportunity to attend any sort of Bible College. This is a great honor and a wonderful privilege and one which both Ged and I are looking forward to as time and resources permit. Pray that God will open doors of opportunity for us to spread God's Word. Our first experience will be later this month, as Ged travels to Tanzania to meet a group of 50 pastors and their wives for a two-day conference.

We really appreciate your prayers and support. We couldn't do it without you.

God bless you,
Ruth for the entire Bridge Team

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