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ETHIOPIA NEAR THE BORDER OF SUDAN: Bruce will be in Ethiopia when you receive this newsletter. The ministry begins with a conference for the pastors and leaders of almost four hundred churches and is followed by outdoor evangelism. The next phase of the ministry moves to our newest area in Ethiopia which is close to Sudan and Bruce will be in this area by the time this newsletter reaches you. Leaders and members from the new churches that have begun this year will gather for their first conference.

The past few months have extremely busy for us and filled with many challenges. In addition to our regular ministry schedule which has included conferences, crusades and new church plants in Congo, North Africa and the former Soviet Union; we have been in the process of moving to a safer and more central location.

Becky shipped our clothing, kitchen and household items in July and they finally arrived October 19th, rather than the August date promised. We now have winter clothing, pillows, towels, cookware and real curtains. Our ministry schedule has not permitted us to completely unpack but we now have the basic items needed as Becky and Marge Russi were able to purchase most of our furniture prior to the move. We still need a kitchen table, end tables and shelving for the living room.



Radio Broadcast from an Islamic Country

As always, extensive planning is needed for the success of our ministry trips and this has to be done in the midst of moving, setting up a new household and fulfilling all previous ministry commitments. While in Latvia during October, Bruce made plans with the pastors of churches in Jurmala, Kalciums and Jelgava to establish a new church in a Ukrainian city that currently has no church. Churches that we established will send a leadership team and worship group to start the new church. The new church plant will be the first missionary endeavor of the Latvian churches. Bruce will preach the evangelism meetings and continue to work with the leaders throughout the development process of the church.



Desecration of Christian Graves in North Africa

Two additional crusades and church plants are set for Islamic countries in North Africa. All of the previous churches we have helped establish in North Africa are doing well and Bruce will visit each of these churches. Additionally, a leadership conference is being set in the Middle East.

Thank you for your sacrifices or prayer and finances that help us reach the lost in the *Regions Beyond*.

"Our desire is to preach the gospel in the regions beyond" 2 Corinthians 10:16