

NEWSLETTER – March - April 2011

Growth Has Great Challenges And Great Rewards!

Occasionally, unbelievable things happen. One of them happened on March 31, 2011.



Government Of Southern Sudan

I received the following letter from the South Sudan Legislative Assembly:

*Dear Mr. Cal Bombay
Please, receive greetings from me in Jesus name. Mr. Duku has briefed me of the wonderful efforts you are making out there for SFC and how it would be worth it if we could make an echo from the ground here - more so by those of us*

in the government machinery.....

I have also extended an invitation to you to come and revisit that wonderful lecture you delivered to the Assembly last time. The Speaker of the Southern Sudan Legislative Assembly, Hon. James Wani Igga, has encouraged my committee to make all the necessary arrangements for it to take place before we enter into the review of the Constitution for the new country.



Hon. James Wani Igga
Speaker of the Southern Sudan Legislative Assembly

We have suggested 14th of April 2011, but we are flexible and would leave to your convenience, as long as it takes place within the month of April. Therefore, look forward to kind response at your earliest convenience.

*Sincerely, James Janka Duku
Chairperson of Committee of Education, SSLA.*

Some correspondence ensued, and we settled on the date April 28th 2011. I will be speaking to the Legislature, and notice “*before we enter into the review of the Constitution*



Southern Sudan Legislative Assembly

for the new country.” That is significant! You will notice the Christian greeting, “greetings from me in Jesus name.” There is no ambiguity as to their Christian faith. I have known this particular gentleman for some years. He referred back to making an ‘echo’ from the ground. I had

given a similar speech to the same GOSS (Central Government) in 2008. He wants the newly elected members of the Legislature to get the same unapologetic and Biblical input before they start their work on reviewing their Constitution.



Cal speaking to GOSS Legislators on corruption

Membership of the “Republic of South Sudan” in the Family of Nations will take place on July 9th this year, the newest democratic country in the world!

I am deeply humbled that God has given me an opportunity to challenge this new government to adhere to integrity and the Biblical principles of the Christian faith. They are not looking for ‘political correctness’ but for a moral basis on which to base the forming of their future. This time the public as well as civil service leaders are invited to attend. Please pray for me that April 28th will have a strong moral impact against corruption, fraud and theft by government officials and employees.



Cal addressing the Central Equatoria State Legislature

In the meantime, we are making some giant steps forward in the building of the farms. Our aim is to help 1,600 farmers to increase from subsistence on 1 or 2 acres, up to 25 or even 100 acres. Along with our very large fields, this is part of our developmental work. And again, we are backed into a financial corner. I do not spend money I do not have. I have been greatly encouraged re-



Helping local farmers like Chaplain

cently by Haggai 2:8, *"The silver is mine, and the gold is mine, said the LORD of hosts."* God has all the money He needs for this project. It just happens to be scattered across Canada in the pockets and investments of His people. You will find a form with this letter which you might want to use. Please read it carefully and prayerfully.



Mill House ready for equipment

Two of our greatest present needs are: a) Milling machinery and, b) Diesel Fuel – lots of it!

Milling Machinery. Some time ago, money was given for the building of a Mill House which is now finished and ready for the installation of the milling machinery. That has to be fabricated and built in Kampala, Uganda, about 500 km south of Bori, the main farm. That need is \$89,000 approximately. Please pray for this need.



The bush beyond our fields That need to be cleared

Diesel Fuel. We have installed a 60,000 litre, above-ground, environmentally friendly tank to hold the diesel. At this time, it is empty. We need to put at least 32,000 litres into it to get a tax-free delivery of fuel. That will cost us \$40,600 approximately. We need this for the bulldozers which will clear land at a rate of at least 6 acres a day using 200 litres a day. Our tractors will follow the land-clearing and they too need diesel fuel.



Fuel Tank ready and waiting to be filled with fuel

We expect, with the expanding of our fields and the subsequent increase in crops, that we will begin to cover our operational expenses by the end of this year from the products we grow and sell.

Our goals are being achieved! God has miraculously brought us this far and we know He will take us to the goal!

There is another very important prayer request: We are preparing to present the needs of the still starving millions in South Sudan to government bodies, foundations and to corporations. Will you make a point of taking some time **each day** to pray that God will give us both the wisdom to prepare this material, as well as contacts with the right Foundations and Corporations?



Sudanese Family waiting for help

This challenge is bigger than any of us, but you with your donations, and with the help of larger donations from new sources, it adds up to enough to get this project into the self-supporting and self-developing state we have been looking for from the beginning.

I hate to admit it, but I am getting to feel the wear and tear this is having on me. Please pray for strength and wisdom for all who are working both here in Canada and in South Sudan.

Yours very sincerely in Christ, for South Sudan

Cal Bombay

"Behold, I tell you, lift up your eyes, and look at the fields, that they are white already to **HARVEST."**

Matthew 9:37-38

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