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Our Dear Faithful Prayer Partners and Financial Supporters,

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I arrived safely from the USA and am now in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, with my family, before heading to our Deaf ministries in Gambella. We had a wonderful time in Gambella last month. I just returned to Addis Ababa to extend my visa for another 30 days. They told me to come back on November 2, 2025, to complete the extension. I will return to Addis Ababa before that date. Please pray for this visa to go through, because, if the extension is not approved, I will need to return to the United States for a short time to get the paperwork in order. We are asking the Lord to meet this need.

In September, two souls were saved! Please pray that they will grow in the Lord. We continue to worship under a tree at the hotel where we are staying in Gambella. Tuom visited me in September with members of his church—refugees who fled war in Nasir and Akobo. They have no food, no clothes, and no mosquito nets to protect them while sleeping. With the rains and flooding, many are sleeping on the roads. I gave them some money to buy mosquito nets. If we have more funds, we would like to visit them in Matar to bring blankets and shoes.

If the Gambella government provides us with land, we will begin building a church. We still need your ongoing support. I plan to baptize some believers before November. Please pray that the Lord gives me wisdom as I move forward with baptisms, so that these new believers remain faithful in Him.

The Deaf ladies here are thrilled with the beautiful gifts sent by our sisters from the US. You are a blessing!

Thank you so much.

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A special note from Kevin Maki, IPM Deaf Ministries:

Discipleship doesn't happen overnight! Over two decades ago, a Deaf teenage refugee from S. Sudan, James Nyoach, was invited by his sign language interpreter from the public school to visit a church in Altoona, Iowa. He came to Christ there, got baptized, and became burdened for the lost souls of his own people. This same church has walked alongside him, become his sending church, and recognizes that regardless of the dangers, he is not going to stop putting his life at risk by returning to the refugee camps on the border of his country to find Deaf people and give them the gospel! In 2023, his sending church helped James apply to IPM, and the next year he went through IPM's national training alongside men from India and Liberia. This year, upon returning Stateside, his sending church decided to license and commission James formally, 2 days before he returned to Gambella, Ethiopia.

I first met James almost 10 years ago when he drove up from his Bible college to meet with myself, IPM evangelist James Campbell, and a national worker from IPM when we were in a church meeting in Virginia. Although he was given an invitation to help that church launch an outreach to Deaf in that part of the US, he was convinced God wanted him overseas. James' sending church later asked our Deaf church in California to give him a 3 month preaching internship to complement the "theory" from Bible college, and James also lived with us for 4 months in Colorado between trips to the field. He has worked for business men and even lived with their families in his sending church; these same men wrote references on his behalf



when he joined IPM and later were involved in laying hands on him. The moment of separation is real. When the Holy Spirit calls and equips a man to go and do a job, the local church has the mandate to recognize this and to sacrificially lose not only a member of their body, but to pray, give resources, and sometimes even to go visit for sake of encouragement and accountability. Praise the Lord for what happened on August 30, 2025, when part of James' unsaved family travelled from Minnesota to witness this special service in Iowa. Praise the Lord that IPM can partner with churches that are obediently sending out their best to the harvest!



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THE NYOACH FAMILY**

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