



# THE HAMMETT FAMILY

## TO SOUTH AFRICA

“GO YE THEREFORE AND TEACH ALL NATIONS...” MATTHEW 28:19

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Dear Brethren & Prayer Partners,

Thank you for your faithful prayers on our behalf. The Lord continues to do great things in the ministry here in South Africa, and we are confident that many of you are laboring together with us, in your prayers to God for us!

**Discipleship Growth.** The work of church planting incorporates many varied facets and areas of responsibility. The work of discipling men is perhaps the most time consuming, yet most rewarding aspect of our ministry here in South Africa. In the last year, since we were able to return to the field, we have seen many of the disciples taking clear steps of growth in both their walk with God as well as their passion for outreach. Many of our discipleship sessions have focused on the topics of walking with God in His Word, developing a Scriptural prayer life, training our children in the nurture and admonition of the Lord, living a Spirit filled life, and learning how to preach Christ to every creature. The clearest perspective for seeing discipleship growth in ourselves and others is often by looking at a broad perspective of time. Many of these folks have truly taken steps of growth over this past year. Please continue to pray for Bro David & Lizbeth, Bro Albert & Mapula, Bro Washington & Memory, as well as the many other members that faithfully serve in each of the 3 respective mission works!

**New Contacts.** The Limpopo Outreach continues, as we have now reached into 7 of the 22 areas that we are targeting this year with Gospel literature. We are offering correspondence Bible studies, and have had a number of folks respond and begin to do the Creation to Christ studies. This outreach has stretched the faith and strengthened the zeal of the disciples here to be intentionally active in evangelism, which is one of my primary goals for this outreach to accomplish! Just last week we met a lady who was interested in the Bible studies. When Bro David learned that this lady lives in the nearby vicinity to him, he invited her to gather some others with interest and he offered to come and teach them the Gospel in person. Pray for these folks to come and learn the Gospel of Christ!

**Makotopong.** The outreach that we did in the village of Makotopong several weeks ago resulted in a group of folks that wanted to study the Bible. We have been meeting on Friday afternoons for the past month at Mrs. Mabitse's house, and Bro Albert has been teaching them the Gospel. This elderly lady opened her home to us and invited all of her relatives and neighbors. We have had 9 adults attending these studies. These folks come from varied backgrounds of ancestral worship and false churches, but these things have left them empty and frustrated. Please pray for Samuel, Tshepo, Mrs. Mabitse, and her family to come to faith in Christ!

**Conversions.** We have seen several wrestling with conviction and the claims of the Gospel on their lives. We are praying that many of them will soon obey the Gospel and be converted. In recent weeks both Eunice and Kutullo have expressed that they have been born again! We are working with them and look forward to how the Lord will use their testimonies to reach others with the Gospel!

Please continue to pray for these dear souls and the ministry here in South Africa!

For Souls,

Bro George Hammett & Family