



The Osborns

Missionaries to West Africa



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“And the things that thou hast heard of me among many witnesses, the same commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others also.” - 2 Timothy 2:2

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February 2013 Update

Middle East and Africa Partnership

Brother Edgar Feghaly arranged to bring four of our partners from the Middle East to present their ministries for the churches here in the U.S. These men are from Jordan, Lebanon, Iraq, and Egypt. They are in great need of financial support. We are grateful for the churches that have already committed to their support and others who will be giving it consideration. We have enjoyed sharing their ministries in several churches throughout IN, IL, and TN. God has used their testimonies and ministry victories to move in the hearts of these churches. We praise God for folks recognizing the urgency of taking the Gospel to this very volatile area of the world.



I have enjoyed traveling with my dear brothers: Karim DahDah from Lebanon, Ghassan Haddad from Jordan, Maher Daoud from Iraq, and Sherif William from Egypt.



It was precious to see God move on many young people during chapel services, even while listening through an interpreter! There were decisions of salvation, dedication, and surrender! The Gospel works in any language!

We had opportunities arise to share God’s comfort and strength at surprising moments! While having lunch one day, a church member was burdened with a heavy heart and just needed someone to listen and pray with him. Brother

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Karim took time to encourage him. Pray for Foster as he works to stay close to the Lord on a daily basis.



Bro. Feghaly interpreted for Pastor Maher Daoud from Iraq.



We enjoyed a time of recreation & competition as well!



One of the Great Highlights!

A great highlight of our travels was the opportunity to visit the Pacific Garden Mission in Chicago. We had the privilege of taking an extended tour. We watched a live broadcast of their famous radio program, *Unshackled*, ate dinner with

everyone, and then attended their evening service where we heard wonderful singing and a great challenge from God's Word!

Personal Blessings!

Although I have put my personal deputation ministry on hold for two months to help these dear brothers raise financial support for their ministries in the Middle East, God has provided me with several future opportunities in these same churches to share our own ministry to West Africa. What a blessing!

My tickets have been purchased, and I have applied for visas! I will be leaving Feb. 28th for 3 weeks in Liberia & Ghana. I am looking forward to our annual Bible conferences and Evangelistic meetings. I will also be traveling to Tappita, Liberia this year to preach and discuss the growing of our Bible College in that area.

Special Prayer Requests!

The Middle East

The situation in the Middle East is becoming more hostile. We need to be in prayer for the pastors & missionaries in these areas. Bro. Feghaly was planning to travel to Egypt & Northern Sudan after our trip to West Africa, but has had to cancel those trips do to safety. Pray for my dear brothers as they will be traveling back home in a few weeks.

West Africa

We praise God for the opportunity we have to still share the Gospel in Liberia & Ghana. Pray for the situation in Mali; it is just north of these two countries.

Pray that we can have a great impact on the pastors and churches during our conferences in Monrovia, Liberia and Kumasi, Ghana.

Pray that God will provide for my financial needs during this trip and safety in traveling. *If anyone would like to contribute toward my trip, the details are as follows: airfare - \$2000; Visas - \$400; housing, food, & land transportation - \$1200.*

If you would like to help financially with the food and transportation costs of pastors to attend the conferences, it would be greatly appreciated. The cost for the 3-day conferences for about 30 pastors will be approximately \$450 for each conference. Gifts may be sent to WWNTBM. [Be sure to designate whether the gift is for Rick Osborn expenses or West Africa conference expenses.]