A number of weeks ago, I shared the work that Travis Sharon, a frontline missionary and youngest son of Leroy and Lisa Sharon, who run the Sharon Family Projects, is doing up in the mountains. Travis originally began helping and was later given full leadership of a village school, now named T.E.A.M.S. (Travis' Education And Missionary School).
In the former newsletter, I mentioned the need for $3,000 in order to build a school before the rainy season starts. **Praise God this need has been fulfilled!** Travis was really grateful when he heard the news. As it takes a bit to start a new project, this was a real encouragement! **He continues to need support both financially and through prayer.** Below is a list of the project's current needs.

**Needs:**
Piping to water gardens and bring in clean drinking water from a spring - **$1,000**
Hand tractor with tiller, trailer, rubber wheels and metal wheels for use in the mud - **$4,000**
(Note: The hand tractor would be used for tilling gardens, running pumps, flour mills, rice huller, generator, etc...)
A more durable roof on the school building - **$1,500**
Volunteer to work with the curriculum and improve the quality of education

I also shared a couple videos last time, **T.E.A.M.S. & Mission Story**, both about 5 minutes long. Below are a couple more videos you might want to watch to see the work Travis is doing and consider how you might be a support.

**Video: Travis Sharon, The Missionary** *(about 14 minutes long)*

**Video: It's Not Always Easy...But, It's Worth It!** *(almost 5 minutes)*

If you are interested in learning more or helping financially, please call 423-413-7321. Prayers would be especially appreciated! Not everyone can give, but everyone can pray. Thank you!
Bible Worker Testimonies

It's been many months since I've shared any Bible Worker Testimonies with you. This doesn't mean there haven't been any, but rather that we've been busy writing about other things. I'm hoping to share a number of them with you next week or the following. As I'm looking them over, I'm encouraged at how God answers prayers for housing, alcohol addictions, physical needs, inability to have children, depression and other struggles. God is good! Do we believe that?

"And Jesus said to him, "If you can believe, all things are possible to him who believes." Immediately the father of the child cried out and said with tears, "Lord, I believe; help my unbelief!" (Mark 9:23-24) God bless as you head into the Sabbath 'believing all things'.

Monthly Updates:
As of February 27, 2015 (Thank you!)

God bless!

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While typing this newsletter, the hymn, *Higher Ground*, kept running through my mind. It's so assuring that there is indeed a God who can make a way. "Lord God, plant our feet more in You."

*Higher Ground*

1. I'm pressing on the upward way, New heights I'm gaining every day;  
   Still praying as I onward bound, Lord, plant my feet on higher ground.

   Lord, lift me up, and let me stand, By faith on Canaan's tableland;  
   A higher plane than I have found, Lord plant my feet on higher ground.

2. My heart has no desire to stay, Where doubts arise and fears dismay;  
   Though some may dwell where these abound, My prayer, my aim, is higher ground.

3. I want to live above the world, Though Satan's darts at me are hurled;  
   For faith has caught the joyful sound, The song of saints on higher ground.

4. I want to scale the utmost height, And catch a gleam of glory bright;  
   But still I'll pray till rest I've found, Lord, lead me on to higher ground.
"Ask of me and I will give you the heathen for an inheritance." Psalms 2:8