

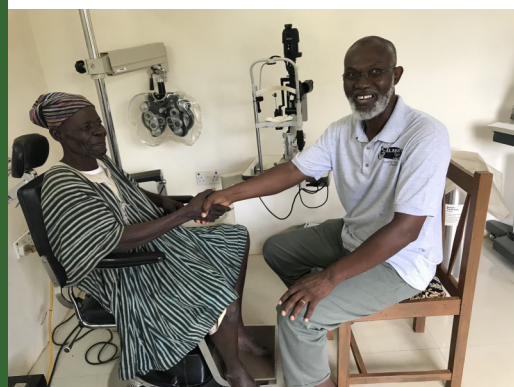
ALABASTER PROJECT

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CATARACT SURGERIES FOLLOW-UP

We have had several follow ups with the patients who had cataract surgeries in June. There were no complications after the surgical procedures. All are doing well and are very grateful to God for the gift of sight. One gentleman is so grateful he has not ceased to thank us and bless us for helping him to see again. Another gentleman gave a testimony. He is the father of two blind daughters. One major religion, the one he belongs to, made him sign documents promising to help him with surgeries for his blind daughters. Up till today he has not heard back from them. A group of believers rallied around and helped his daughters to obtain their degrees in education. Our works shall follow us!



NEXT GENERATION OF MISSIONARIES

June 2018, we were blessed to host interns from several universities. It is always refreshing to interact with young believers. Our time together was very productive. In addition to vacation bible school, the interns helped with the patients in the eye clinic during the surgeries. We had a lot of time to fellowship while painting the farm house in Sanga. Young adults often see the

Kingdom of God through eyes of faith which takes the word of God at face value. We hope to work with each intern again in the future or just encourage them to pursue the path that God has for them. Their lives will be richer, more fulfilling and great will be their reward in heaven as a result of their obedience.



FARM

We have been busy at the farm in the village of Sanga. We have added a better gate to enclose the property. Also, we have added a water tank since the city water reaches the village but not the farm. Lastly but

not least, we have purchased a male goat from Burkina Faso (a country located north of Ghana). This male goat will enable us to rear larger and stronger goats to give to widows and orphans. We are happy to report the expectation of several kid goats soon. Amen.



AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAM

Thank you for your prayers concerning this project. We have started an after-school program in the village of Sanga. We met with the students and their parents and collaborated as to how we can best serve them. The students were excited to receive the help and we have gotten the cooperation from their parents to admonish their children to be serious in their studies. We have known these students since they were babies and we feel as though we are helping our own family by reaching out to them at this time in their lives.



THE SHEEP THAT WAS LOST

Alhassan is an elderly widower living by himself in the village of Sanga. Joseph and I stop by to share the Gospel of Jesus Christ with him. Like most people in this area of the world he does not know his age, but in 1985 he was baptized and given the name Moses. He was married with two children, his wife and son died, he and his daughter became believers. Both he and his daughter left the faith about twenty years ago. During our visit, he prayed to rededicate his life to Jesus Christ, he is very active in the local church he helped to build over thirty years ago.



ROUND TABLE DISCUSSIONS

July 2018, we met with brothers and sisters from Asia, Africa and South America for discussions concerning the remaining people groups who have not yet heard the gospel, and our part in obeying our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ to take the message to all the world. We discussed the needs, the difficulties and the opportunities for indigenous people- from Asia, Africa and South America- to participate in the world harvest. Being the recipients of mission efforts for the past three centuries, it is now time for us to join in the global harvest as fellow workers and not only recipients. Amen.



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