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Merry Christmas!

1st of all we would like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas, and a Happy New Year!

I am writing on behalf of my two sisters Ashley, and Sarah and of course myself as well. As many of you know my Dad Billy Sampson and Mother Jane Sampson has done much work in Wales since 1998. They have taken 6 trips overseas since 1998, and have also served in Belgium, France, and Canada. In April of 2007 they are going over for 2 weeks to help in the GPA European Bible conference for Bethany Baptist Church and Pastor Paul Jones who is the national pastor of the Bethany Baptist Church in Yhnshir, S. Wales. Dr. Ed Moore who is the European director for the Gospel Preachers Association will be moderating the meeting.

My sisters and I have been asked by the mission churches, and established churches that support the Bible conference to come and sing with my parents to handle the music for the entire conference. We will not only be singing, but we are also going to plan a special youth service in another Bethany Baptist Church just up the road where pastor Darren Rogers, another national pastor will hold this particular meeting. My Dad will be preaching, and we will be singing, and I will be speaking as well to the youth on how they can get involved in missions, and the importance of fellowship in having a solid youth group.

We will also take time to be with Missionary David Bennett, which is the 3rd national pastor that we will be with, while serving in Wales. We will be doing a service for him on one of the Sundays we are there. We will be doing whatever he asks of us while we are with him and Crown Hill Baptist Church.

The reason for this letter is for two things. We need your prayers, as we as a family take our 1st mission trip overseas with the entire family. Pray that God will use us to be a help to the missionary's that we will be with during our time there, and that we will see people saved, and lives changed forever through the ministry that God has blessed our family with.

Second of all we need to raise \$3000.00 for the total cost for the 3 of us to go. **\$1000.00 a piece** will cover our air fare, and the rest will cover our meals for the 2 weeks. We will have our housing provided for us by Pastor Darren Rogers, and his wife Joanna. They are such a blessing to us. They have been in our home the past two summers coming over and raising support, and also working in our home church with our vacation Bible school. The housing being provided will be a great help, and should give us enough support that we won't be a burden on them to provide meals for us.

Many of you supported me in August to go to Grenada, and I am planning on another overseas missions trip this summer in June, and in addition to that will be working with the GPA youth missions team in August as they come here to Chicago to help Brother Mike Wagner organize a Vacation Bible School for the kids in this area, plus all the traveling with Mom and Dad in 2007.

As many of you know my sisters and I travel with my Mom and Dad all year long. This year in 2006 we have traveled over 55,000 miles, and have seen people saved all of this land of ours. Our hearts desire is to help Mom and Dad, and to try and be an encouragement to our generation. Yes, with home school, and traveling it's a very demanding schedule it gets tough at times, but my sisters and I Praise the LORD for letting us help our parents, and that our family has a ministry together!

Please pray for us!
Christmas!

Thank you for your prayers and support, and have a Merry

Emily Sampson