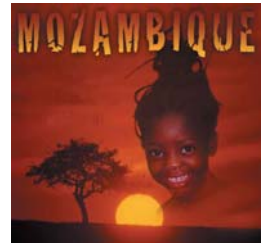


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Hi Everyone

This has been a month of great highs and one big low.

We continually look to the Lord for His guidance and strength to fulfil His will in Mozambique. Thanks for your prayers for those involved in the work.

Promotion For A Great Woman Of God



Some weeks ago, we asked for prayer for **Palestina**, wife of Pastor Justinio from Boane, Maputo.

She was **miraculously healed** last June, from a condition she had endured for 6 years since the birth of her child in 1996.

From a life lying on a mat, she became an active prayer warrior for God. In August last year, we **sent Justinio and Palestina to Maputo** to head up our work there.

They established a **church in Umpala** village and became the beloved friends to the nearly 2500 widows and children.

Tragically, Palestina contracted what we have since found out was Tuberculosis, and **passed away on Sunday 23 February.**

Palestina was a woman who had a beautiful heart towards God. She was a very **committed pray-er** – praying most days from 12am till 4am. She loved her Lord Jesus. She and Justinio were **very much in love.**



Justinio and Palestina in front of their house in Umpala village

Here are a few words for her in testimony to her devoted life for God.

"I knew Palestina as a woman who oozed positivity. She was my Mozambican mum. She was the church's mum. She was everyone's mum. I will really miss her. I loved her so much." Sandra Goldsworthy

"I knew Palestina. I knew her as a woman of great faith and faithfulness. I knew her as a woman who loved God, her husband and family. I will miss her." Keith Robinson

We will miss you Palestine, and we know that you are with your Lord right now.

Thank you all for your prayers for Justinio and their two children aged 15 and 6.

Market Garden Booming

We decided last year to start a market garden on our compound in Beira to help support the ongoing work there.



Judit in our compound crop of maize

Ramiro and Judit have been faithfully planting seeds, watering, harvesting and selling the produce at market. The latest bumper crop was maize (corn).



School Is Cracking Along



School has been underway for over a month now. The water tap and the toilets are all now functional – (and everybody said, "Hallelujah" – especially the children).



Children drinking from the new tap

The windows and doors are in and the three teachers and principal are kept working hard with the large number of children attending.



Our carpenter fitting the windows

If you would like to join Macca (the **construction team** leader) on the July trip, please let us know.

Perhaps you would like to **sponsor one of our new classrooms** which will be

built in July, they are priced at \$10,000 each (includes desks and chairs). Please write to us.

To sponsor a child through school is only \$1 a day (\$30 per month).

Touchdown - Emma

Emma Jones has arrived in Mozambique. Her email for those wishing to write is

emma@mozoutreach.org or mozoutreach@teledata.mz

MARCH TRIP

Led by Jay, the March team are Robin Coulson, Anna Coulson, Coral Fitzgerald, Kimberley Goldsworthy and Stephanie Dowling.



They will be touching down in Mozambique on **19 March**. Their itinerary takes them to Beira, where they will minister in prison, encourage the leaders, specifically the women; work with the students in the new school, followed by their journey to Maputo.

There they will be **visiting Boane** and praying for Ps Justinio and the widows and children after the passing of Palestina.

If you would like a copy of the itinerary, just contact the office. Thanks for your prayers for this team as they work

amongst the people. We are praying for divine appointments for them.

PRAYER

Would you like to be involved in prayer with us for Mozambique?

We have **weekly prayer** on **Tuesday nights at the Gold Coast** – based at our home in Palm Beach. If you would like to be involved please ring and let us know.

If you live outside of Brisbane/Gold Coast, you can still **be a part of our growing prayer team** for Mozambique. Just contact Dale Allen, through our office and we will connect you to our **monthly prayer newsletter – MozPRAY**.

Each edition consists of **teaching on prayer** and what we as a ministry are doing and believing God for.

Be involved in what the Lord is doing in Mozambique, Africa.

SEMINAR

SATURDAY 8 MARCH

8.30AM FOR A 9AM START – 12PM

EASTCOAST COC ROBINA TOWN CENTRE
(NEXT TO OUR OFFICE)

LEVEL 2, 44 HIGH STREET, ROBINA TOWN
CENTRE – GOLD COAST

Coffee and tea provided

Don't miss our seminar. We have a jammed packed program. For 3 hours we will have reports and updates on all the work that the Lord is doing in Mozambique.

There will be testimonies from short term teams, video footage and Power point presentations, all on the big digital screen.

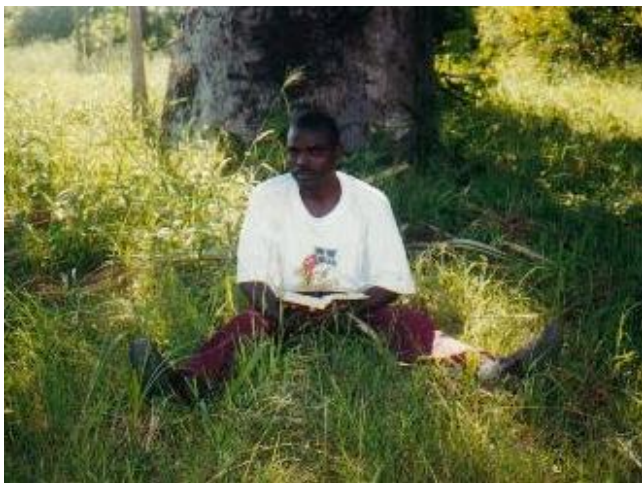
Opportunities will be provided to **sponsor school children** and **MozBIZ** businesses.

See the flier. Please book immediately through our office.

Bookings are essential.

GOD IS GOOD

*Ismael Raimundo Ussene was released from prison on 4 February. He had been there for **many years**. The good news of Jesus proclaimed by Mozambique Outreach in Beira central prison is what changed His life.*



He experienced a miracle when some one came to Him and said: I will go and pay your court fine. Now He is free and last Sunday He came to our church I Manga.

*He said "I need to pray with you and serve my Lord forever and serve with this ministry." He said, "**It is because of Jesus that I am now out of prison** and I want say thanks to the Lord. All my time now is for Jesus.*

*God is continuing to show His glory in prison. It is good to see **people coming to Jesus** crying and receiving joy and salvation.*



*God bless you
Manuel (Beira)*



Don't forget to sign up for the \$5 club. Just fill in the form and return it to us.

You can make a big difference with just \$5.

Until next month God Bless you
Greg, Jay and family

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