



# MozNEWS

Transforming a nation,  
one life at a time



## 9 Out Of 10 Children Pass



Hi, I have just returned from a trip to Mozambique. I had a great time meeting our missionaries and Mozambican staff and volunteers there. They are all doing a brilliant job serving the Lord.

### Here's some exciting news.

At our school we have an **overall pass rate of above 90% for this year.**

That means that more than 9 out of 10 children have beaten the odds and are being educated successfully.

For each one, this means **breaking the poverty cycle** that exists in their family: which means **putting food on their table** in the future.

I am so proud of each child and the effort they have put in.

Thanks to you who support us - we are making an impact: one life at a time.



Pictured: Proud dad Francis N'Sona with his children Goncalves (yr 3) and Benny (yr 2) with their school reports. Both boys passed.

### Even better news

We have decided that we will be **starting an extra 100 children next year** in grade one, giving them the opportunity of their "first day at school".

But to make this a reality, I need 3 things to happen; perhaps you can help me.

1. We will require 22 more desks, a blackboard and security windows.

That's 22 desks @\$130 each = \$2,860 (Perhaps you could buy one or two desks for the classroom)

Blackboard	\$ 130
Security/windows	\$1010
Total	\$4000



Pictured: Francis and me sitting at one of the students desks.

We need 22 of these to start the new grade ones next year

2. We need 4 teachers wages sponsored (\$200 per month per teacher)

(If you can sponsor a teacher, I will send a colour photo of your sponsored teacher and his/her details)

3. We need 100 new grade one children

sponsored so that they can start school in January (\$30 per month per child)

(If you are able to **sponsor one or more children**, I will send you a colour photo of your sponsored child and his/her details)



Pictured: Some of the children who started in our school at the beginning of this year.

Most of them passed their exams and will go up to the next grade.

If you can help, this would be a **great Christmas present** to help them start school next year. Please consider this great opportunity to educate a child.

Thanks and God bless you,

Greg

## *Match Made In Mozambique*

Who would have thought that two people who had never met would be brought together by a common call.

MozOutreach Missionaries Israel Keys and Phillipa Brodie have announced their engagement.

Israel wrote in a recent update *"It*

*is amazing what can happen in a few months... I'm Engaged!"*

They plan to be married in Perth in March of next year, then returning to Mozambique next July. In the interim, they plan to have a three month stop over in Portugal to complete an intensive language training course, giving them the time to establish themselves.



**Phillippa Brodie and Israel Keys -  
a match made in Heaven  
and in Mozambique**

Full credit must be given to the character of these two young people who have upheld their Godly values admirably on the field.

Israel's proposal took place in the moon light under the Mango tree outside the compound office in full view of other missionaries and guards.

Phillippa and Israel, we wish you all the best and honour you for your strong example to others.

## Masamba Church: A Testimony Of Faith

by Phillippa  
Brodie

Masamba church is located in Masamba village, the poorest area in Beira. Many of the people in Masamba are unemployed and uneducated.

They live in very close quarters and in unhygienic conditions - we often wonder how they survive.

The church building is currently located on Ordinanca's (the church leader's) land.

He and his wife Regina have 4 children. Ordinanca is currently studying Grade 7 at school in the evening, and is currently sitting exams.

Ordinanca has been **faithfully serving** the Lord with Mozambique Outreach for the **last four years**.



Ordinanca sharing the gospel

Over that time some of the things we have seen include:

1. The church building **blew over** in a cyclone. With no financial assistance from Mozambique Outreach for reconstruction, the **church believed for the provision** to rebuild, and now has a church structure stronger than the one before.

2. Ordinanca's wife Regina had been sick with tumours in her stomach, and just two weeks ago stood in testimony to the healing of this sickness!! **Testimony page 4**

3. MozOutreach has a ministry into the



Ordinanca baptising inmates in prison

**c e n t r a l** prison in Beira city faithfully run by Ordinanca and to date has included two baptism services within the prison walls!

4. This church has played a key role in the church plant in D o n d o .

Ordinanca initiated **running street evangelism** with his disciples, and is still currently running one of the weekly New Christian's Courses out there.

5. Recently the church was able to **purchase some new benches** - a small thing perhaps in our mind - but a BIG thing for a church in Masamba. A great testimony of provision and of faithful tithing and offering.

6. In the last few months the church has started to conduct **daily prayer meetings**, and is involved in leadership training, specifically for children's church leaders, with our Brazilian missionary Maria.

They are also wanting to move the location of the church off Ordinanca's land, and **build a larger structure** than the one they currently have.

Truly their faith and vision can be a challenge to us all.

**In the midst of abject poverty they are still able to look outside of their circumstances and trust God for a transformed future.**

## ***Miracle! Woman Healed Tumour Miraculously Disappears.***



I give thanks to the Lord for healing my wife.

Regina had an illness for 6 months. She was really sick.

She went to see the doctor and the doctor told her to take a test and have X-rays and they said that she had cyst and she had to have an operation.

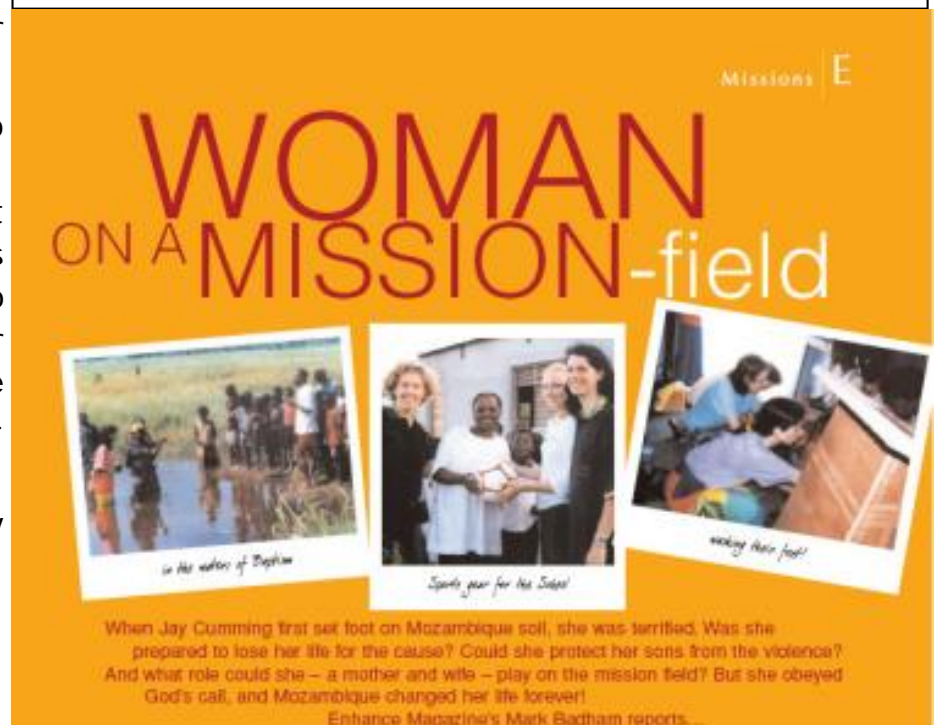
The doctor said to go home and come back on 27.08.04. When she arrived home we prayed for her and I said nothing is impossible for our God.

I asked Maria and Emma to pray for this situation as well. We were praying in faith that God would remove this illness from my wife. We went back to the hospital to see the doctor ready for the operation but the doctor couldn't find the cyst - it had disappeared.

I praise God for healing my wife.

Thanks. Ordinança

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