



Aviation Maintenance Project Update

The Stevenson Family



Hello AWA Maintenance Supporters!

How many times does God shower us with the goodness of His loving heart? That fountain is bottomless, the love endless. He invests in us and fits us for His kingdom, even giving us work that will yield a blessing in many other's lives. On that note, we want to share with you the recent bustling blessings at the AWA hangar. We were super blessed to have Josh Fix, our soon-to-be deployed missionary pilot and A&P mechanic, working side by side with Kyle on our aircraft. One airplane in particular they

were working on was the Cessna 182, N8764X, that is headed for Nicaragua. They did the annual on it together and found great joy working as a team.

Josh has not been the only company Kyle has had in the hangar. Jasmin Schafer, an Air Force reserve avionics servicewoman has been coming to learn more about the Airframe & Powerplant (A&P) side of maintenance. She has been working alongside Kyle a little while now and has been a wonderful blessing and addition to the HQ family. As she has blessed us with her gifts and desires to learn more,



we have become a blessing to her and her family as we minister to her, and even to her children. Linda Monroe (my mom), watches the children, including Hadahsa, our daughter, during the workday. Thank you, Ms. Linda for all the unsung help you've given in the background to make work at HQ possible!

All the while Josh and Jasmin were helping Kyle, there was yet another addition to the team that we have been greatly blessed to get to know. His name is Malachi Bowen, a freshman in high school who has newly committed to being with us for 3 or so years to acquire his A&P license. Our internship program gives individuals like Malachi the opportunity to be certified and licensed as an A&P mechanic at the end of a 3-year term. This keeps costs way down, builds up their future, develops skill and a trade that they can use to serve the Lord in His vineyard. Few trades like this are still available.

Malachi has been a wonderful blessing as he works on skinning the wings of our Light Sport Cheetah; lacing the edges, making it tight, learning from Kyle the techniques to get the results he wants.

Investing in people builds God's kingdom. It fills the bucket of purpose for us and lifts heavenward the people we invest our time and relational connections with. Each skill is useful in His vineyard. Each pair of hands is valuable to the One who died to give them Life.

We thank Josh Fix and his family for their service here at HQ and soon in Nicaragua. Thank you, Jasmin, for your service to our country and here at HQ, for making things even brighter. Thank you, Malachi, for your hard work and the act of dedicating yourself to ministry here and what it takes to keep our mission pilots safe and our aircraft in excellent working order.

Please keep praying for us, our work, and our interns here at HQ. Helping hands are always welcome - give us a call at 919-938-2920 if you'd like to join the team. God bless!

Until next month!

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