



A DAY TO AIM HIGH

Every day is an adventure in life, especially with God in it. We know the verse in 1 Corinthians 2:9 which states, "Eye has not seen, nor ear heard, nor have entered into the heart of man the things which God has prepared for those who love Him." It's not just for the heavenly to come, but it's also during our earthly time with Him. Just recently, we had the wonderful opportunity to spend the day with the Berry's Grove Baptist Church. We had no idea the blessings and joy that awaited us.

Pastor Ric was invited to preach on a lovely Sunday morning and then do some Young Eagle flights in the afternoon. The whole day was a blast! Pastor Ric preached on grace and the mystery of iniquity and Godliness. The church loved the message and listened intently. I found myself up front twice ministering in song doing special music, and Kyle was in the back aiding the AV booth with all the technical skills connected to Pastor Ric's presentation.

After the service we all went out to the Person County Airport and had our fun for the afternoon. We ended up having a total of 14 Young Eagles with a small handful of little kids under 8 years old that wanted to fly too. Pastor Ric gave the kids a run down on how flight works, showing them how to do a preflight. With one of AWA's Cessna 172's, he was busy flying for several hours









taking up three kids each in and around the airport flight pattern for their turns. With the younger kids, some of the parents escorted them so they could have the chance to fly as well. What fun everyone was having!

Inside the little pilot lounge, mothers and a lovely church member named Cindy helped make the process flow smoothly as we all worked together to get the kids certificates and logbooks filled out and ready after their flights. The kids waiting their turn were so patient and all played happily together.

The parents were having fun too, inside and outside watching and listening to all the activities. They were especially excited to see their children getting to fly perhaps for the first time or getting that much closer to a cherished dream of being a pilot. What an honor to be a part of making dreams come true and planting heavenly seeds for the Kingdom! The Young Eagle program is one of AWA's tools in reaching children and youth for God. In a world full of wickedness, sin and temptation, this kind of spiritual maintenance makes all the difference. This special Sunday was a day to aim high indeed; a morning of getting to know our Father above and an afternoon of flying high. Thank you for your support and God bless you!

Until next month!

The Stevenson Family

