

PROGRESS DURING TRYING TIMES

"The Lord is my strength and my shield; in Him my heart trusts, and I am helped; my heart exults, and with my song, I give thanks to Him."

—Psalm 28:7

Summer is almost over, and we are coming to the end of a very trying year in Canada. We want to give thanks to all of you, our supporters. Covid and the restrictions imposed on us in travel have made our calling and project travel difficult. In everything, we give thanks.

NICARAGUA

We are thankful for progress in Nicaragua while the missionaries are away. Without our local help from Cezar and his lovely family, progress would not be possible. Monthly they take the three-hour drive from Puerto Cabezas up to the base in La Tronquera. They pay the local caretakers, check on the plane and perform needed upgrades to the base. This month Cezar and Ervin dug a very long trench to bury electrical wiring so that the Miskito house has safe power. The last line was an extension cord over the ground!

Recently Cezar's wife, Miurel, had to have gallbladder surgery. They drove 18 hours to the SDA Hospital in Esteli, Nicaragua, to obtain the best care. I can't emphasize enough the importance and impact of the aviation medical program and having missionaries in the region has been to the indigenous people there. Cezar himself is willing to learn to fly to be an in-country missionary so he too can serve in the region. Your prayers for him are requested and assistance in helping us raise the needed funds for his training. Cezar has proved a loyal and trustworthy servant of the Lord. We are patiently waiting on the Lord during these trying times to travel back to Nicaragua and once again establish our program to assist him in fulfilling this calling and the community's need of getting a full-time pastor.

CANADA

We have not been able to travel much from province to province here in Canada, especially Sioux Lookout, due to lockdowns, forest fires, and restrictions. We delivered new cylinders to Winnipeg for the Cessna 185 floatplane. Ray wanted to stay and assist with the install, but we promptly had to leave the province due to tighter restrictions. He prayed to find a qualified local AME to help him, and we were blessed with the opportunity to meet Sid, who installed the new cylinders. Bryan was able to assist Sid in all the minor

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mechanical issues that needed to be completed. Thank you, Bryan, for overseeing all things involved with the floatplane, and thank you for listening to God's calling on your heart as you continue to assist this mission project.

Having the plane ready for the delivery of goods and visits by Pastor Garth Geddes is a blessing in Sioux Lookout. We want to personally thank him for keeping us informed of the needs that arise. AWA's vision to serve the indigenous in this region is constantly evolving with the current times, and during the pandemic, Garth has made great strides for the needs of this region.

May God bless you; our faithful supporters are greater than you could ever ask or conceive.

Thank you and God bless!

Ray and Julie Young



Your AWA Mission Family at AWA Canada: Ray and Julie Young



Rejoice evermore. Pray without ceasing. In every thing give thanks: for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus concerning you. 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18





PRAYER REQUESTS:

Travel restrictions ease up so we can once again go to visit our projects.

We ask that you please pray on where you could support:

- Cezar becoming a missionary pilot in Nicaragua.
- A full-time pastor for the community of La Tronquera.
- Funds to operate and repair the float plane in Ontario.



PROJECT NEED:

Project managers and committed pilots willing to answer the Call to serve with AWA Canada in these uncertain times.

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