



WE DO NOT STAND ALONE



“And he shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that bringeth forth his fruit in his season; his leaf also shall not wither; and whatsoever he doeth shall prosper.” Psalm 1:3, KJV

On our last visit to Sioux Lookout, Ontario, we enjoyed one of the many sunsets on Pelican Lake. One evening I noticed a bare lone tree. It brought to mind that

we do not stand alone, as God is our support system, and it is He that keeps us and this tree firmly planted on solid ground.

As we look to the future of the Sioux Lookout project in 2022, we put it in the solid hands of our Lord. AWA

and the Ontario Conference have been working hard to supply air support for this region. The plane is needed for transportation of locals in need, goods, Pastoral outreach, and medical staff into the outlying regions. We are currently negotiating on a Cessna 206 plane for this area. This will be a welcome upgrade from the current aircraft. It will be faster, carry two more people, lower insurance costs and total operation costs. This will stretch our precious dollars farther and be usable all year long. The current aircraft is in summer use only. Should we be successful in our negotiations we will be stepping out in faith for \$210,000 Canadian. Please remember us and pray for the Lord's guidance.

We have spent our fall repairing the Cessna 150 and Cessna 172 that is slated for missionary training in Alaska in 2022. So, for now all our Canadian planes are parked in Oliver BC, tucked away for the winter. A larger hangar is greatly needed. Currently we are renting two small hangars and still need more space.

Ray and I are the AWA globetrotters so once again in 2022 we will be flying to the head office in North Carolina to help the USA team members, then off to Nicaragua with our new missionaries and to meet the students at La Trinidad SDA school that you have helped us sponsor. We will visit La Tronquera to make sure things are going smoothly on the base, help support the local community and meet up with Erica Brautigham to encourage her to do well in the Business Management course. Then we will get Cezar started on his flight training program. Thanks to donations from you we have the seed money to get this started. Our total budget is \$25,000 US dollars. Of course, we will keep you updated as much as possible as we go.



We do not stand alone at Adventist World Aviation, it's not just the planes, it's the people. It's the pilots. The missionaries. The mechanics. The supporters. You.

AWA exists because of people on a mission led by God, and we keep pressing forward because of the support we get from you.

This year December 25, 2021 fell on Sabbath. What a blessing to have had the holiday evening on Friday, preparation day. We hope you took the time to look up to see the stars, reminding us of another star in the sky, "The star of Bethlehem."



Thank you and God bless!

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