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NEWSLETTER

October 2016

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WEBSITE

Our new website is shatteringdarkness.com We are continuing to update pictures and articles so keep watching and enjoying! Be sure and check out Lynn's updates on:

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Shattering Darkness Ministries

Ellie Kate's Burkina Kids Kamp!
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SEED/FARM!
and Elephants!
Oh My!

Read below about the greatness of our Lord, about His economy, His love and His plan. Many things wonderful and some things difficult happen in all Christians' lives. God is faithful wherever we live and serve. Read through Lynn Kennedy's message below and rejoice with us in our Great God!

Greetings in the Glorious Name of our Lord Jesus. Many things have happened on both sides of the ocean since last we connected via the e-newsletter.

- Please know we are continuing to pray for those of you that were impacted by the flooding in Louisiana.
- Please know we are praying for the folks so greatly impacted by the recent hurricane. We have friends and ministry partners in both NC and SC and some are still in the throes of unexpected loss.
- Please know I am praying fervently for the upcoming Presidential election.
- Please know we are praying diligently for partners experiencing severe health issues.
- Please be assured that your partnership with Shattering Darkness Ministries is NOT one-sided. We pray for you and thank our God upon every remembrance of you.

ELLIE KATE'S BURKINA KAMP FOR KIDS was beyond belief. In 2015 we hosted 132 children. This year we had 436 KAMPERS! Add to that 65 servant-helpers and we topped 500 folks for 6 nights and 7 days: 24/7! We are still receiving final counts in regards to first-time professions of faith. We want to be precise as best we can, so hopefully by our end-of-year Praise Newsletter a final count will be given. Enjoy the photos.

CONSTRUCTION: It seems like we are in the midst of constant building, painting, tiling, repairing. We are blessed to have completed our LIGHTHOUSE Chapel along with an office for the LIGHTHOUSE personnel and storage room for the LIGHTHOUSE foodstuffs. You will be able to see the inside of the Chapel in the photos of the LIGHTHOUSE first day of school, which follows.

LIGHTHOUSE: School year 2016/2017 is underway. We now have grades 1-3 and have begun construction for grades 4-6. From the beginning we made a commitment to keep classes at a maximum of 45 students. This year our classes are full. We are also able to

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have a Teacher and an Assistant in all three classes. Enjoy the photos.

PTI: Our Pastor Training Institute new semester begins November 1. In addition to a few new students we are beginning a "Prep School". Our churches have men called to ministry but their reading and writing skills are not at a level required for the Pastor Training Institute. The Prep School will be 3 years of 5 days a week classes. At the end of the 3 years they will be equipped to do well in the PTI. We have also begun making bricks in order to add three (3) new Dorm Rooms for the PTI/Prep students.

S.E.E.D./Farm Project: 190 mango trees were planted at the farm. Two were eaten by elephants! Oh My!! 188 trees are thriving.

For all reading this update: Thank you for praying diligently. Thank you for giving sacrificially. Thank you for loving Jesus abundantly.

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL



Lighthouse singing and dancing



Lighthouse students say "Thanks for Lunch!"

S.E.E.D Project Farm



Mango Tree at the FARM



Workers at our FARM

Ellie Kate's Burkina Kamp for Kids



Waiting for Pick Up



Let's Go to Kids Kamp!

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Full House



Bread oven, many campfires and great cooks



Gathering outside



Long food line



Water is delivered



Bro. Ron serves water



First Aid Station staffed by Lynn and Nurse Paulette

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Cleaning the church for Sunday



Loading up to go home

If you have enjoyed and been touched by our e-newsletters we have a favor to ask. Please pass along the newsletter to friends and co-workers. We are attempting to expand our contact base and each of you reading this month's edition know many people we never meet this side of heaven. To receive this bi-monthly e-newsletter simply send your email address to : nbkort@gmail.com

FOR OUR PRAISE/PRAYERS

FOR OUR PRAISE: ALL OF THE ABOVE

FOR OUR PRAYERS: Some of you are unaware we recently lost one of our young men. Abel served his Lord tirelessly wherever and whenever needed. He was a second year student at our PTI and married with a one year old daughter. Seems Abel and his 5 year old nephew were poisoned. Both have died. We are still in the grief/unbelief stage. Please pray for his wife Albertine, their little girl, Isca, and the local village leaders currently interviewing and questioning in their effort to discover the guilty person(s). Please pray that our Lord comforts, instructs and strengthens us in these upcoming days.

Once again we are reminded of the urgency to take the message of our Christ to the lost. None of us are guaranteed the next breath. Let us share our Savior while there is still time.

Because: People are still lost. Time is too short. Hell is too real.

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