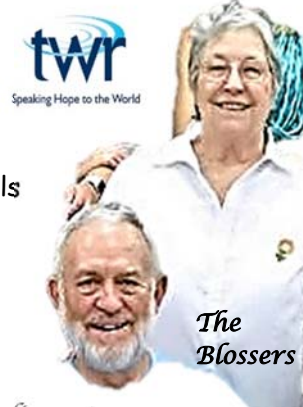


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Dear Partners, Friends and Relatives,

Our last letter to you was in May. Since that time, we have had some interesting experiences and so has TWR. Below you will see News of TWR and the Summer Travels of the Dan Blossers. Enjoy!



### TWR Transmitter News

**The Silk Road Transmitter is now on the air!** A new era of gospel broadcasting dawned in this region where camel caravans once plied ancient trade routes. Kyrgyzstan, Kazakhstan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan, Tajikistan and some adjacent areas, these largely unreached countries can now hear the Gospel over the new and powerful AM transmitter from a location in Central Asia. One listener says, "We were doing a lot of home (church) groups after 11 at night because after 11 the police go home and are not working. When we had no Bibles, we heard from TWR... and encouraged each other. Media and TWR are very important to our country."

### TWR360 News

The digital arm of our ministry that has the potential to reach men and women worldwide with the gospel and discipleship resources answers listeners' questions such as these: "Who is God? Does God even exist? Can I know God? Does my life matter? **Dan is a part of this "360" team** whose programs give answers to these questions. But other questions such as this recent one are **sent to Rose Ellen to answer**, "My husband is living with another woman he says that God told him he could do this he says that he is in a legal marriage with me and a covenant marriage with her and God himself has more than one wife and a covenant marriage is more important than a legal one I can't not show him the point am I wrong in staying in the situation I feel God wants me to stay put please don't say my name if you read the on the program Thank you" (exact wording and spelling.). How would you answer that?! A big prayer request is for God to continue to supply the financial resources for TWR360 as a very large source of funding has ended. It is so important for this vital internet ministry to be able to continue. Please pray and should you feel led to give, send to the U.S. address at the bottom of this letter and mark it for TWR360.

### TWR Radio News

Since North Korea has been in the news recently with President Trump meeting North Korean leader, Kim Jong Un at the DMZ (the border between South Korea and North Korea), we are reminded that radio is very important in this part of the world. (By the way, in 1985 we visited that very same border and actually stepped across the line into North Korea for a few minutes!) In such areas of the world like N. Korea, where the Gospel is not preached, persecution is great if the government discovers one practicing the Christian faith, having a Bible, or telling others of Jesus. A letter smuggled out to TWR South Korea says that the Christians are empowered and encouraged by TWR programs (on small radios secretly gotten in) to continue practicing their faith as they "wait for the day of freedom" which they know will come.

### Summer Travels of Dan and Rose Ellen

June and July were months of lots of travel. The end of May into the first part of June found us in Peru. Climbing to the ruins of Machu Picchu had been a



*dream of Rose Ellen's for years. God allowed it to come true. Her good friend, Jean Carlisle, accompanied us. Introducing TWR360 to our travel agent in Cusco encouraged us, as she was so excited to be able to have access to resources to help her grow in her faith. She said there was little outside of church services available to help her. She had just changed churches to try to find a spiritual place, hoping to grow. TWR360 will meet her need.*

*July found us traveling first to NC, visiting with a good friend and her daughter that we knew in Cambodia, where we had great fellowship. Next, we went to Allentown, Pennsylvania, to attend Dan's mother's side of the family's 30<sup>th</sup> reunion. Ninety people were there—cousins Dan had not seen in years.*

*After Allentown, we went up to Rochester, NY, where we had two-and-a-half days of a great visit with two of his old John Brown U's college friends. We had not seen Dan and Kim Scheel, who are now serving in Kenya, for years. Previously they had served in Ethiopia for many years. We often see Fred and Dot Ng when we go to Allentown for reunions as they live two hours away in NY, but only a couple of other times have we had the three friends and their wives together.*

*Leaving NY, we stopped at the Flight 93 Memorial in Shanksville, PA, where the 40 heroes of that flight saved countless lives as they tried to take the plane from terrorists on 9/11/2001, crashing it into a wooded area. What an inspiring, selfless act of courage and beautiful monument to remember it! The visitors' center gave the story of that day and the lives of those courageous men and women. It was almost spiritual, visiting the crash site, the graveyard, of those on Flight 93 and the Wall of Remembrance with the 40 engraved names. It is so worth going to see and we thank God for His great mercy and grace to America that day.*



*We traveled on to Goshen, IN, to spend a week with Mom Blosser and celebrate her 96<sup>th</sup> birthday with all her children and some of the grandchildren. And finally, we arrived home and are back into our regular routine of TWR ministry for Dan, and Rose Ellen's volunteer activities in the community. Wherever there was internet and a block of time, Dan was able to continue his work with TWR360. Isn't technology great? Thank you for your faithful prayers and support. We still need you so much as we continue to serve with TWR.*



Because of the Kingdom,

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