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Greetings Family and Friends,

Many changes and answered prayers have occurred since our April prayer letter. Although late, our personal items cleared customs in Seattle and arrived at the right destination undamaged and all accounted for. With the gracious help of both family and friends our house has undergone some minor but much needed repairs and improvements. Included, but not yet complete, are offices for both Barbara and Larry.

I understand there are differences between the elements of “change” and “transition”; change is situational and transition is psychological. We have come to experience there is also a lot of in-between, and tribal cultures handle all these well. I’m not sure what that says about us☺.

As most of you already know, due to urgent needs with TWR South Asia Ministries and on short notice late in 2014, we were part of a decision giving us an assignment in the U.S. to represent South Asia and those needs.

**An important note at this time:** We remain financially supported missionaries to TWR South Asia and we take this opportunity to thank the Lord and express our appreciation to all those who have joined us in ministry and have faithfully continued to provide support and prayers. As the assignment commitments and time allows, we look forward to visiting as many of you as possible in the upcoming months.

As explained in previous letters and email, our emphasis will be on three of the eight countries that make up TWR’s South Asia (SA) Region - Afghanistan, Pakistan & Sri Lanka along with parts of India. With the exception of Sri Lanka, Islam is the dominate religion and cultural influence.

Through mass media platforms such as a new radio technology and other digital tools, TWR extends daily Christian Gospel programming in people’s heart languages to a potential audience of over 200 million; while alongside, our national on-the-ground SA teams play an integral and critical part in the strategy of extending the hope to this region that only the Lord can provide.

Some listener responses are below:

- **Sri Lanka - Sinhala listener**, said that he lived in darkness for more than 50 years and now he is able to understand the word and know more about Jesus.
- **Afghanistan**, this taxi driver has 14 members in his family who listen to the programs. “We cannot talk openly with you but we have been listening to your programs for the last year.”

- **Pakistan** a faithful listener ... *“In a small town lives a man with his old radio. He is a born again Christian and has a great love and hunger for the Word of God. He has been listening to the TWR programs on this old radio of his for a long time. In Pakistan we have a great problem of electricity failures for 16-18 hours a day in rural areas and sometimes more. To listen to the TWR programs on the radio on time was a great challenge for him. But with the hunger and thirst to hear from the Word of God he had a grand innovative idea. When there was no electricity he used to take a torch (flashlight) and connect the battery to his radio so it would start playing. Now he could enjoy listening to the word of God through the radio programs. This showed his passion to listen to the Word of God and God has done a wonderful work in his life. He is now sharing and promoting the TWR programs among his friends and relatives.”*

After this listener shared his story with the TWR team he was brought to our office and we gave him a new radio. He was so happy with tears in his eyes. He left our office praising God and thanking and blessing our team.

**Please Pray:**

- That our work of faith is powerful and our lives are worthy to bear the name of Christ.
- For wisdom and discernment in our TWR South Asia ministry roles.
- For those in the South Asia region that are seeking to understand more about Jesus, and for peace and freedom to worship and pursue God.
- For the safety and encouragement of our staff and their families and those who believe in secret.
- For us to see people through God’s heart.
- That the Word of God would grow deep inside His people and guide their lives.

God’s heart for missions.

**“Turn to me and be saved, all the ends of the earth! For I am God and there is no other.”**  
Isaiah 45:22

For His glory,

*Larry & Barbara*

A TWR transfer fund will be made available for those desiring to donate toward our moving expenses. Please designate these TWR contributions to **“Petersen Transfer Fund.”** This can be used for tax purposes as desired.

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