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**LETTING GOD'S
GLORY SHINE**



**HOW OUR TIMELINE
HAS CHANGED**



**THE TIME IS NOW
TO JOIN THE TEAM**

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God's plans don't always seem to make sense. But He is not calling us to know all the answers, just to fully trust that He does. We've found that in those moments when you are stepping out into the dark, when your dreams feel like a pile of ashes, is when God is about to blow you away. It's in those moments that His Glory can illuminate our lives!

Recently some fellow missionaries serving in Papua, Indonesia (same island, but west of Papua New Guinea) lost everything. Their home burnt to the ground, leaving them with nothing but the clothing on their backs and a few items they were able to save from the fire. It's impossible to even put into words the shock and pain their family and teammates faced. This was definitely a moment of "why?" and we probably won't ever have the answer to that, this side of heaven. God wants to remind us that He is in control though, and what happened next was the moment when God got to shine.



Sometime before the fire this family set into motion a shipment of a car. The car was fitted into a large crate for its sea voyage. The ship only made it as far as Bali and then was detained. That was

right before the fire. Now for the family to replace their belongings, they had to leave the island for a bigger, more metropolitan area — for Bali. They had to make their purchases there and ship them to Papua via boat, using up time and money. Upon arriving in Bali though, they found the boat with their empty car aboard was still in the port. They had a huge crate and car just waiting for them to fill with newly needed items! They packed the car full, then filled in every nook and cranny left around the car. God provided them a swift and simple solution to a big problem, a problem that being in a foreign land made even bigger. No man could have orchestrated what God did for this family in the midst of such loss! His love for them was evident and His glory shone to multiple nations!

God already has "empty crates" lined up for you and for us and He longs for us to anticipate His hand in the unknown! Recently, we hit a bump in the road. **We didn't meet the required 50% pledged for our Wycliffe budget, so we are unable to attend our July training.** We have such a peace that God is in control of this journey we are on. Even in this, we see God is at work. For the first time ever, JAARS is offering an October session of this training, which is a huge gift to us. If we attend in October our departure date of January 2015 will not change. If we don't meet the requirements to attend this October class, our departure date will be delayed at least half a year.



This is where we need you! As one body with many parts, God has called us to bring His Word to the nations. **He has called us to be the feet; He has called others to be the legs!** The legs move the feet. Will you be our monthly financial partners? Will you be our prayer warriors? We ask you to prayerfully consider partnering with our Wycliffe ministry. Will you be our legs?

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Let's do this together, *John & Kristi Craig*