



the DELONGS

“...That All...The Earth May Know”

Dear Friends,

“...Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature.” Mark 16:15

The first part of John 3:16 reads, “For God so loved the world...”— but what about His love for individuals? The second half of the verse reveals the central purpose behind God’s sacrifice of His Son: “...that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.” Therefore, without exception, every person could say John 3:16 like this: “For God so loved me!” A.B. Simpson, a great missionary of the past, often hugged a globe to his chest and wept over the world’s lostness. Yet his global vision was marked by compassion for individuals. Prayerfully, you and I will also feel the compelling responsibility to take the gospel to our world by sharing the Good News with one person at a time.

We are thankful for the Lord’s blessing and hand of guidance during our June Candidate School. It is most encouraging to witness the Lord’s continued calling of eager laborers into His harvest fields. We are excited to watch how the Lord will use this year’s candidates as they endeavor to take the gospel to the countries of Japan, Ivory Coast, Bolivia, Brazil, Liberia, Honduras, Peru, Amazon Basin, Germany, Guyana, Belarus, Uganda, and Botswana. Your prayers for these new missionaries as they work to reach their mission fields will be greatly appreciated.



This May and June I was blessed to speak in Maryland, North Carolina, and Ohio as well as in two summer youth camps. It is both wonderful and humbling to have the opportunity to challenge churches and young people in the areas of missions and serving the Lord. Four teenagers trusted Christ as their Savior during the youth camps and many more made decisions to surrender their lives to God’s leading.



Thank you for your continued and faithful support of our ministry in world missions. We understand and know that without your partnership we would not be able to do what the Lord has called us to do. Thank you from our hearts. Prayerfully, may we each embrace what God has given us to do in giving the gospel to our families, neighborhoods, workplace, and to the uttermost parts of the world. Your continued prayers for our ministries in Papua New Guinea and Australia will also be most appreciated. Blessings to you all.



Yours in Christ,
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