

## Please Pray for

# Keith Phelps

## Director of Africa

February 2019

"Also I heard the voice of the Lord, saying, Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?
Then said I. Here am I: send me."

Isaiah 6:8

Pastor & Mrs. Keith Phelps

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Dear Pastor and Church Family,

Time is drawing near to have our 9<sup>th</sup> annual Bible Believers' Conference in Ghana, West Africa to help train leaders and new converts. We have been having these conferences now for 9 years as a result of seeing the great need for the training and teaching of God's Word to new converts and seasoned church members.

By God's grace, I will be going back to Ghana, West Africa on April15<sup>th</sup> to help host, along with national Pastor Emmanuel Ameyaw, the 9<sup>th</sup> annual Bible Believers Conference in the northern part of the country. Over the past 9 years we have seen tremendous spiritual growth in those that attend the Conference along with the result of hundreds being saved and many new churches established! We are also super excited to have Joe Hendrix a local missionary and Mark Patrick, pastor of Corinth Baptist Church in Corinth, MS, to travel with us!

As in our past Conferences, we will be renting a public school for the conference to be held. We will have to provide mattresses for all the attendees to sleep on, 3

meals a day, water and 2 large tents and chairs. We also will be helping with the transportation cost of getting attendees there and back home. We expect over 300 to be attending this year. Pastor Emmanuel estimates the total cost will be over \$5000 dollars. Most of those that attend, are only poor farmers with little or no money. The cost of fuel, food, and supplies have all increased since last year! We will also be doing evangelistic preaching in many villages while there!

Also, the week after the Conference we will be traveling to the country of Togo to work with some national pastors there and to check on the

Bible Training Schools for pastors there that we helped get established last year!

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If the church, Sunday School class, or an individual in the church could help sponsor this conference with any size donation, it would be a great blessing! My personal expenses will be about \$2500 for the plane tickets and in country expenses. As with most all other missionaries, the only

way we can go, is thru the partnership of God's people. Also, please pray for our wife's while we are gone, that God would keep them safe and provide their needs at home. For any questions concerning this mission trip, please call or write! I would be more than happy to come to your church and share our burden with you. Thank you so much for your faithfulness and commitment to

Christ and His works. While the borders are still open to these African countries, please help us get the Gospel to these poor people and help them grow in His Grace and Knowledge! God has really burdened my heart for this ministry, and I feel so privileged and blessed to have a small part in getting the Gospel to West Africa!

Your Brother in Christ,

### **Keith Phelps**

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P.S. For those churches and individuals who has helped us in past mission trips, I want to say again a warm "Thank You". Every soul that is saved and every one of God's people that is encouraged will be because of your prayers and sacrificial giving!