



# One Another



Ministries International

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Dear family and friends,

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**Praise!** This past week we completed our 14<sup>th</sup> ministry anniversary and I want to thank so many of you who have tracked with me, prayed for and supported me in this ministry.

Consider what God has done through our joint efforts in the past:

- We have stayed faithful to our purpose....to come alongside and care for those who care for the world through training, consulting, counseling and resourcing.
- Between 1999 and 2010, One Another Ministries provided services to 3,415 international Christian workers of 64 different nationalities serving in 103 countries (or regions) through 175 sending agencies.

**Answered prayer:** Thank you for praying as I traveled to Croatia in late April to participate in the regional conference of Pioneers, where two hundred international Christian workers gathered. It was a privilege to serve by speaking/training, consulting, and counseling. Here is a snapshot of the group I enjoyed:



Can you imagine how many churches and ministries this group represents? When you pray and give, God allows me to work with those who represent church plants among people groups represented in hamlets, villages, towns and cities all throughout Europe and beyond. That is exponential investment.

In my last update I asked you to *pray for missionaries serving among areas hit by natural disasters and for those working in dangerous areas*. Last month we learned:

- Of a national pastor who narrowly escaped death at the hands of militants bent on destroying all Christians in the area.
- Of the death of a short term missionary whose life was taken by a tragic accident just prior to her return home. The sadness and responsibility can overwhelm a team.
- While some have survived disasters (and on their way to recovery), others continue to grieve for those lost who never heard the Gospel. Consider their challenges and pray.

*Feedback:* Thanks for praying for the DVD series. We have had good feedback of how it is being used by mission training bases, teams, and individuals. One married team leader wrote “Dorcas, this is not just for singles....this is for everyone!” And we say “Yeah – he gets it!” You can obtain a copy of the series by visiting the home page of our website. For a donation of \$25 or more, they will be shipped to you. Visit our website [www.OneAnother.com](http://www.OneAnother.com)

*This week:* We will be meeting for prayer, planning and discerning God’s will as to how we can best respond to requests for this type of encouragement and training tools. We are asking God if we are to respond to those in Asia, S. America and a broader base in Europe. Several are traveling great distances to take part in the discussion and collaboration. Ask for God’s direction, His strategy, His supply and our obedience (and cooler temps!).

*Team related:* As the work grows, there are challenges that await us. Please pray for:

- Robert and Deb Lugar who learned in May they will have to move house. We have been grateful for the excellent property/facility the Lord provided for them in 2003 and it has served us well. However, the current situation with the housing market is incredibly tight in Montpellier. This is a crossroads as we (the team) consider where the Lord would have us be to serve the greatest numbers of His servants. We would like a facility to do more training while providing guest space as well. Please pray for the timing of this need as our calendars are full into November. We need the right facility, right location, right price at the right time to train and serve well.
- Please pray for those coming to our facilities here and for our travel schedule.
- Pray for the support raising efforts of Twala Andrino so she can join us soon.
- Please pray for our health and well-being. I have battled an upper respiratory condition for a few months. Ask God for strength, healing, rest, protection and wisdom to know how to pace and listen to Him.

*Praise again!* Our greatest weapon against the enemy is the prayers of God’s people. For 14 years we have watched God supply for this ministry. Nothing is more encouraging than to know we matter to God and to each other. In truth, our financial support is challenged with an uncertain economy, yet God’s supply has no limits. Would you pray He will raise up new partners to join us in this work? Would you pray for an increase in my personal support, or for special gifts? Thank you for responding and helping us to care deeply for His servants. I am blessed by you and His family!

Together to make Him known, and gratefully serving,



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