



## FAMILY

We enjoyed a wonderful time over Christmas with Jennifer's family in Utah. The girls got to experience "real" winter weather! We were able to spend time with Brian's family over New Year's weekend.

Alyssa and Sabrina have enjoyed playing in a basketball league the past few months. They have loved learning a new sport! Olivia is halfway through Kindergarten at our church's Academy, is reading well, and making friends. Jennifer is in the middle of accompanying many band and voice solos for the local schools' regional contests. She also stays busy with the music ministry at church.

## CAM Center (Headquarters) Operations

I sent out a rather lengthy email update on January 20th describing the change in ministry focus for us with CAM International. Below are excerpts from that email. If you'd like to read the whole transcript, please visit our website at [www.seethemasters.com](http://www.seethemasters.com) or Brian's Facebook page.

"When we first joined CAM in 2000, our desire was to serve the headquarters of CAM in Dallas in the area of Computer Support.... In the fall of 2006, I was asked to consider a change in ministry and step in to be the Director of Operations for CAM's headquarters in Dallas....I thoroughly enjoyed serving the headquarters of CAM through this avenue of ministry...."

"...I have now been asked to lead CAM's effort to find and implement earned income streams. This will include our Spanish bookstore as well as other business ventures that would produce income to fund CAM's ministry. As I'm gearing up to learn this new responsibility, Jennifer and I, as

well as the CAM leadership, recognize that God has to bless these business ventures. It is still very much a step of faith that God will provide for CAM's needs. However, we recognize that the trend in the "Evangelical Churches of America" is not moving toward supporting mission agencies. While it is a sad trend, we also recognize that we need to search for other ways that God will fund our ministry.

In order for me to gain some additional training and knowledge for the earned income ventures, I have...

- Signed up for an 8 week course (February - March) with Southern Methodist University (SMU) here in Dallas on the subject of Entrepreneurship: Starting a Business
- Connected with several entrepreneurs in different areas of the country to glean from their experiences
- Connected with Community Wealth Ventures who helps non-profits start for-profit subsidiaries for the purpose of funding their mission
- Read God Owns my Business by Stanley Tam to understand how others have successfully performed these ventures."

"All of this is being done in an effort to serve the headquarters of CAM International so that future ministry can continue. There are some big and wonderful things that we feel God has planned for CAM to do, but one of our main obstacles is money. Thus, we are seeking God's direction and God's funding for CAM. Perhaps this is the new way that God would choose to bless CAM financially so that we can see Latins come to know Christ, trained, and sent out as missionaries to reach areas of the world that we Anglos cannot reach.

I will be passing on many of my responsibilities in Operations to allow me to commit more time to seeking new areas of income for CAM. We still will retain our status as supported missionaries of CAM. If you have questions for us about the change in our ministry focus, please feel free to call, email, Facebook, or stop in and see me. I'd love to chat with you about your thoughts on this matter. Most of all, we covet your prayers for us as we step out in faith to follow God's leading in our lives.

This year we would like to be able to come and share in as many churches, Sunday School classes, small groups and/or home meetings as we can. Yes, our support needs some bolstering, but more than that, we desire to be a catalyst to





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share about missions with many believers in the U.S. If you have a potential opportunity for us to share, please feel free to let us know.

**PRAYER:**

- Pray for Brian as he transitions into a new area of responsibility for CAM.
- Pray for Jennifer as she enters a busy 4-6 weeks of accompanying with the local middle and high schools.
- Pray for Bobby Moore as he needs a full-time job.

**PRAISE:**

Praise for God's provision of our new Director of Finance, Dan Shotts, who will be assuming the responsibility for

CAM's finances as well as the medical plan.

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