

Jack and Jonnie Hunt SERVING WITH Mission Aeroservices



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And He said unto them, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature". Mark 16:15 I was at our world map rearranging the prayer cards to make room for another and paused to look at that large number of cards that represent so many of the missionaries that use aviation in their ministry around the world. Sometimes I feel like a small yellow duck in a small mud puddle. swimming around in a closed environment making muddy water. Then the Lord shows us the results of our home ministry as we look in the faces of those He has so graciously allowed us to help and to be a part of their worldwide outreach to souls in the difficult areas of this earth. What a blessing to look back and see what God has done!

It has been an interesting and varied year here at Mission Aeroservices.

We have the usual aircraft maintenance workload, and are finishing up interior work and fuel system repair on the Piper Cherokee Six that flies Bro Byron Foxx. Bible Truth Music and who also has the 'God Bless America Crusades' each year. (tremendous music, and works with choirs as well.)

We have received a new replacement flight instrument for Pastor Wingard's airplane and just replaced it this week; he recently received his reinstated Medical Certificate and I am getting him current in the airplane again.

I have one coming in May for recurrent instrument flight certification, and a couple of others looking to come for flight training, but as yet no predictable starting times. We have been talking with a number of missionaries about various maintenance and flight operational questions as usual.

It is always so sad to hear of one of God's servants passing on to Glory, but especially when he is only 46 years young. Missionary Kelly Hein who flies into and ministers in Mexico from Texas, died just over two weeks ago in Texas in a horrible airplane crash. He is doing well today as a Christian at Home... however, it is always so hard on family, friends and co-laborers left behind. He was flying with the son, aged 19, of the owner of the airplane in Laredo, Texas. On take-off the left engine began smoking badly, and they turned back to try to make it to the airport. Witnesses stated that it looked as if they got too slow trying in missing some buildings close to the airport; lost flying speed and crashed very hard on the airport. I am sure in watching the final seconds recorded on video that they felt not physical pain as it was over in milli-seconds.

I had flown with Bro Hein and two others down in the Dominican Republic and into Haiti after the earthquake a few years ago using four aircraft. He will be sorely missed. Please pray for his wife and family with their loss.

On a better note... We had a work team led by Stephen Buettner, Youth Pastor at Missionary Bible Baptist Church in Hanover, PA. It included his wife, his youngest son, and four young men and two young ladies from the teen ministry. They really got a work out. They shoveled and raked gravel on Canaan Road, and the girls helped here at the house with Jonnie in cleaning the yard. On Saturday we cleaned out a large collection of unorganized and unwanted odds and ends from the main hangar. Now it is almost impossible to find a lot of parts and tools... Oh well, chalk it up to the price of progress! I did take all of the teens for an air tour of New Bern. None of them had flown before, and they loved it. What a blessing to have them here to encourage us with hard work and fellowship.

We praise the Lord that our Great Granddaughter Mollie is over the effects of the Gastroparesis, but her parents have to closely watch her diet for the foreseeable future. Thank you folks for the many prayers offered on her behalf. Thank you Lord!

Pray for the following families that we are still trying to reach for the Lord: The Meyers, the Dolders, the Grosses, the DeCooks, the Trabuccos, and the Spencers. The wonderful thing about sharing the Gospel to 'blind folks' is remembering that we were once 'blind' and by God's grace now we 'see'! There is hope for them because God saved us, and the Gospel is mighty powerful as applied by the Holy Spirit. Faith comes by hearing and hearing by the Word of God!

We love you dear faithful co-laborers, prayer warriors, and supporters taht make it possible to serve our Lord here as we give flight to missions!

Keep Looking Up, and Keep On Keeping On 'Til the Shout!

Our Love in Christ.

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Philippians 2:4

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Some missionaries Mission Aero has helped



Jack, Jonnie, and Cindy Hunt in the early days



Hunts with the youth of the work team



Aircraft out of the hangar for cleanup



Young men refurbishing our 1 mile road



Youth Pastor Buettner with the whole team

Thank you Missionary Bible Baptist Church for your unselfish work and help to the Hunts and the ministry of Mission Aeroservices to the regions beyond!