

# JOEL FAMILY NEWSLETTER

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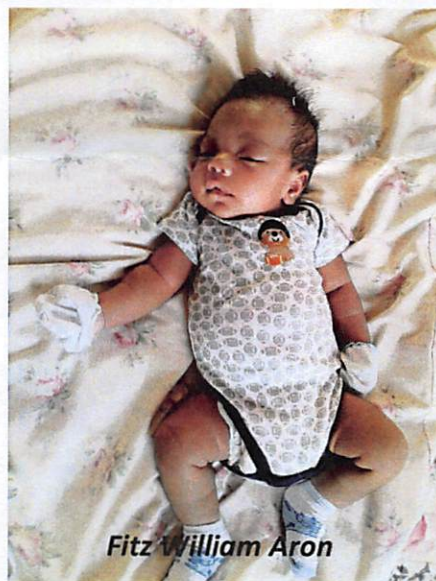
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Someone wisely warned that every Christian during their lifetime will go through trials and tribulations. Each one of us is either going into one very soon, or has just come out of one, or presently going through one. My wife Lihner of 39 years, had a mild stroke upon our arrival from the US Mainland, which rendered her right side semi-paralyzed. I have to assist her every move, from getting into and out of bed, going into and out of the bathroom, and going into the kitchen to eat. Praise the Lord, her left side is working normally. Her niece is giving her leg massage every night and she is improving very very slowly. Her affected leg became too weak to use a walker so we got her a wheelchair at the hospital. She will start therapy sessions next week. **PLEASE PRAY** for her recovery. We just heard that Sherrie's newborn, our grandson **Zion Cloud James**, developed a boil in his groin area. The doctor at the army hospital at Fort Cambell is treating him.

As soon as we arrived from our trip, our older daughter Terisa Joel Aaron gave birth to a strapping 9 lb, 6 oz. boy name **Fitzwilliam Joel Aaron**. Now we know how Abram and Sarai felt when they had Isaac... in their very old age, well, we had two grandsons simultaneously!! Terisa's mother-in-law has 20 plus siblings and you add the Joel clan to that, the baby shower was like the gathering of the twelve tribes and all their children. Two pigs were slain and roasted, both sides provided a pig. It was more

like a king' s banquet than a baby shower. The new parents stayed up the rest of the night sorting out the mountain of gifts for their newborn son.

**PRAISE THE LORD** for two senior high students who got saved at our five-day leadership camp and four others who got assurance of salvation. Also four of our pastors and some of their deacons went on an evangelistic boat trip to the nearby **island of Pakin**. The people invited their nephew and his pastor friends to **"Come over and preach to us"**. He is a recent graduate of Ambassador Baptist College, and our first ever Micronesian evangelist, being trained by Evangelist Mike Pelletier, Dr. Ron Comfort's son-in-law. Almost everyone on the island attended the two services held there, as well as two days of Bible Club for the kids. They asked the Baptist group to come back next summer. I planned to go, but my wife needed me home.



*Fitz William Aron*