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Thanks For The Memories

Allen, Janelle, and Scott want to thank each and every one of you for the love and kindnesses you showed to us while we were in the States. The AOM banquet was a big success. We were blessed and encouraged by the time we spent with the different churches and with many of you individually. The Averys are just now getting over jetlag and the family has just returned from their trip to Zambia.



Silent Auction Fun at the AOM Banquet



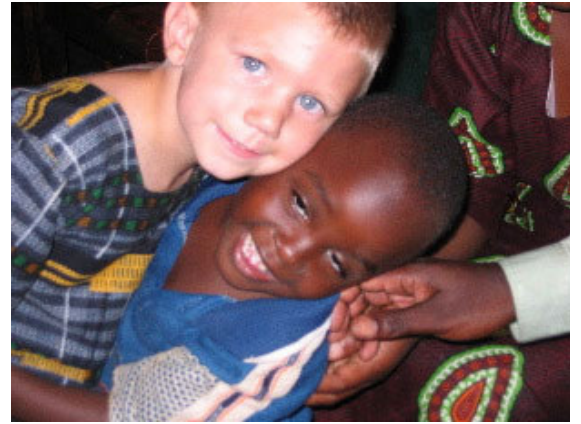
Most of the AOM Board Members at the Annual Retreat

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From Angola To Malawi

Scott, Lisa, and the children traveled 3,600 miles and visited 6 churches across Zambia. Scott conducted two leadership seminars and preached four times, Lisa taught two 2-day Sunday School teacher training seminars, and the children played in sand and mud from Angola's border to Malawi's border while bonding with the African children. They praise God for the commitment and enthusiasm they saw among the Zambian Christians. A highlight of the

was being able to spend time and travel with Pastors Martin and Joseph, leaders from Mongu, as they traverse width of Zambia.



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Theology Program Moving Ahead

Allen met with the Bible Training Center for Pastors (BTCP) committee to chart the way forward for 2005. Allen edited and expanded the Teacher Training Seminar notes for the committee to review in January.

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It's Beginning To Look A Lot Like Christmas

It is hot, swimming pool are in use and watermelons are on sale everywhere. It is just like it is in the USA - right were blessed to be able to buy an American brand turkey! We pray each of you will have a wonderful time remembering the birth of Christ as you enjoy your families and churches during this time of year.



Pool Weather



Watermelon Season = Christmas Time

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