

Woodington



Mother and Baby safe after rescue from the remote village of Samban, in East Sepik, PNG



Two days through the bush...

...this pregnant mother with delivery complications was carried by bush stretcher for two days before arriving at the remote Samban airstrip in the East Sepik region of PNG. From here a message was sent to MAF Wewak by Jessie Prior, the long term missionary there with a satellite phone, and the MAF aircraft was on site within 65 minutes.

By this time the baby was born but the mother could not deliver the placenta. Both mother and baby were flown to Wewak hospital where the mother received an emergency operation.

The next day Clare went to the hospital to pray for both Mother and Baby, when she received news that the baby was to be named after the pilot who rescued them; 'Paul John'.

How wonderful that we were able to help this mother and new born baby.

She has since been discharged from hospital with baby.

Family Prayer Requests. Please pray for...

- Tristan as he completes his last few months of school, sits exams, and prepares for university.
- Aaron who is sitting his second year university exams
- Imogen as she continues with her nursing career and continues to prepare for her wedding
- Kiri who has started her Master's course in Nutrition at Monash University.

Sad goodbye to the Kurtz Family...

... we have been blessed with the Kurtz family as our co-workers here in Wewak. But sadly, they have departed for a well earned rest in Germany and then will be returning, not to Wewak, but to Goroka where they are most needed.

Clare has been helping home school the Kurtz children this last year and will miss the children especially. Betty and Sebastian have become good friends, are easy to live with, and will be missed most dearly.



Wewak Compound Marys...

Neila, Betty, Sarah and Clare



Bibles for the bush

... Our MAF aircraft carry a bible box full of Tok Pisin and some English bibles for distribution to the bush.

The Bibles are provided by CRMF for sale at a huge discounted price, affordable by bush folk. In addition and we try and provide eye glasses to help them read the Bible.

In Wewak this year we have distributed over 1000 bibles to the bush.

Pictured here is a missionary from Germany travelling by MAF aircraft to Sumwari to run a Christian Leadership workshop and who is also helping Paul with the bibles.



5,000 hours and 10,000 mission flights

... June this year Paul flew his 5,000th hour with MAF. This is approximately 10,000 mission flights over the last ten years, or 1,000 flights a year.

We thank the Lord for keeping Paul safe. We are very motivated to keep working here in PNG for at least another 10,000 mission flights, God willing.

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Welcome for missionaries arriving in Monduku,
East Sepik, PNG.

Praise the Lord

- for a safe flying this year

- for all the people we helped here in PNG

- for our MAF staff and families in Wewak

Please Pray for Complete Healing of those
we Medevac'ed out of the bush

A special prayer for an outreach to the
Sepik villages continuing Oct 21st.



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