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Dear Family and Friends,

We read in Revelation 5:9 regarding the Lord Jesus and His children, *“And they sang a new song, saying, You are worthy to take the book...For You were slain, and have redeemed us to God by Your blood out of every kindred, and tongue, and people, and nation.”*

What a joy and privilege, as God’s Children, to have the opportunity to be a part of taking the Gospel to *“every kindred, tongue, people, and nation”* around the world. We thank each of you who have prayed for us in our ministry with New Tribes Mission, as well as for those who have sent us gifts of support this past month. What a wonderful blessing you are to us, from the Lord.

Airplanes have been a vital part of the outreach of the Gospel to tribal people through NTM over the years. The use of airplanes have saved our missionaries countless days and even weeks that would otherwise be spent in navigating dangerous rivers, hiking along difficult jungle trails, or driving on almost impassable “roads”. About two years ago NTM partnered with a new aircraft company called Quest Aircraft. Quest has developed the Kodiak, a state-of-the-art turboprop airplane that is now FAA approved. NTM has spoken for 14 of these Kodiak airplanes so far, when they begin coming off the assembly line. The Kodiak can fly on readily available jet fuel, which is about $\frac{1}{3}$ the cost of aviation fuel. The aircraft was designed by missionary pilots who have served in remote jungle locations around the world.



We have just had the opportunity, along with our son, David, to take a flight on the Kodiak when it came to Sanford this week for a special showing. What a blessing to see God’s wonderful provision of an airplane – truly an answer to prayer.

Once again, thank you for your prayers for us. We thank God for you.

With grateful hearts,

John & Linda



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