



Michaela's Mission

Serving the Lord through Childcare

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Who am I?

I am a missionary kid from Ghana, West Africa and I will be finishing up high school this spring. I have a passion for working with children and learning new things. Growing up overseas has made me uniquely prepared for serving outside of the United States. I come from a family of missionaries, and it seems as if it is in my blood and heart to serve the Lord on the mission field with Lutheran Bible Translators (LBT).

Some hobbies I enjoy are reading, cooking, and sewing. Although I love doing those things, when I learn how to do something new, I become obsessed with it until the novelty wears off. Even then though, I appreciate having another skill to add to my collection of abilities.



I will be serving Mike and Kara Kuhn and their kids: Tobias, Gideon, Gloria, and Jubilee.

My family has been influential and supportive of my ministry. They are a blessing to me.



What will I be Doing?

I will be filling the role of nanny for the Kuhn family in Cameroon. Mike and Kara Kuhn are LBT missionaries and they have four children. My main duties will be to keep the youngest, Jubilee, occupied while Kara homeschools the other three kids and to support and be of extra help to Kara when Mike travels. I will also keep an eye on the kid's chores in the morning and prepare lunch on the weekdays. These are just some of the things that I will be responsible for while I am with the Kuhns.

You might ask what this has to do with being a missionary. On the surface, it may not look like I am doing anything special to serve the Lord in Cameroon, however, I am. The Kuhns are very busy with their work and I will be able to lift some of their cares by watching their children. Mike travels often and feels more at ease to take longer, farther trips when there is someone to be there with Kara. Kara homeschools the three oldest kids, which is a full-time job in and of itself. By occupying Jubilee, I will be able to free her up to focus on teaching and any other tasks she is responsible for as a mother and wife.

Prayers

Needs

- That I will be able to raise the needed support.
- That God would give me wisdom as I start training for overseas life.

Thanks

- Everything has gone smoothly in the process of joining LBT.
- I have been able to get to know the Kuhns and start building relationships with each of them.

How Can You Help?

There are two main ways that you can help further God's mission through me.

The first is **Prayer**. I cannot go without my brothers and sisters in Christ supporting me in this way. Prayer builds a protective wall around God's servants so that they may do his work to the fullest. I ask for your prayers as I venture into this new experience that God is calling me to.

The second is **Finance**. I will need to raise enough money to pay for my flights there and back, my living expenses, and any other everyday expenses. Altogether, I need to raise about **\$12,000** before the end of July. This is where you come in. I cannot do this on my own. I need people like you to walk this path with me through donations to my mission. It is not just my mission though; it is *your* mission too. The body of Christ works together for the good of all people. Would you consider being part of the ministry that God is calling me to by making a financial gift?



This sign perfectly sums up the new chapter that I am starting in my life.



I have a collection of Bible verses from people who are close to me. I would love to expand that collection and include verses from supporters. You can mail them to me at LBT attention 'Michaela Federwitz' and I'll remember you whenever I look at them.

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