



Michaela's Mission

Serving the Lord Through Childcare

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Nanny Adventures

When I came to Cameroon to serve the Kuhns, I knew that Mike would be traveling quite a bit. One of the reasons for me to come was so that I could give Kara extra support at those times. Normally Mike is not gone for too long. However, in March and early April, he was very busy and had to be gone most of the time. During that time, Jubilee got typhoid and malaria at the same time and was quite sick for two weeks. I had to coax her to take her medicine and keep a damp cloth on her to bring down her fever.

One of my favorite things is that I have been able to share VeggieTales music with the kids. I loved it as a kid and now the Kuhn kids often ask for it to be played. Even Jubie gets very excited about it.



Jubie helped me make one of my dad's favorite desserts in preparation for his coming. She was most helpful in the taste testing, especially since I let her use her hands.



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My Dad Visited!

One of the reasons Mike had to travel was because my dad, David Federwitz, from LBT U.S. and Pastor Mohr from LBT Canada came for a visit. They traveled to language projects to check on them and they had many meetings with LBT partners here in Cameroon. The Kuhns and I also had our yearly field meetings with them while they were here.

Even though the reason for his visit was for work, it was still really great to see my dad again. He stayed with me while he was in Ngoundere which felt a little strange, but it worked out well and it was nice to have him around. Dad often brings things for missionaries when he visits them and I got to be on the receiving end of some of those things! My mom sent a couple of things with him and he brought me a few treats that I have carefully hoarded away.

When our visitors left, I was able to send a few things that I will not need for awhile home with Dad. It will make packing up a little less stressful. He was also able to deliver gifts from me to my sister who was confirmed and my brother who graduated. I could not be there, so it was good to be able to send them something to know that I was thinking of them.



Top: Dishes are so much fun when "Uncle" David (my dad) helps out. The girls had a blast.

Bottom left: Jubie enjoyed looking at family pictures in her "boat".

Bottom right: Gideon expresses his feelings about folding laundry.



Future Plans

I will be leaving Cameroon at the end of June. Originally I was supposed to return to the States at the beginning of August, but due to a family event and having to prepare for college, the Kuhns have graciously allowed me to leave a month early.

As my time here comes to an end, I have had to make plans and decisions for my future. I have decided to go to a two year community college this fall. It is not far from where my parents live. I will be studying for and Associate's Degree in Early Childhood/Elementary Education which will allow me to work with kids from birth to 3rd grade.

I will be rather busy this summer since there is quite a bit for me to do before college starts. I will have to relearn how to drive and find a car. Additionally, I will have to find a place to live for the next two years.

Prayers

Thanks:

- My dad was able to visit and bring a bit of home with him.
- For my time here and the chance to serve the Kuhns.

Needs:

- For packing to go well and as stress free as possible.
- That I would be able to close out my time here well and in a healthy way.
- That I would be able to acclimate back to life in the States.



I did Jubie's cornrows while she was preoccupied with VeggieTale's music videos. When Glo saw them, she wanted to match her sister. Since they took so long, she was able to get all of her independent school work done while I was braiding.

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