

Subject **Tamberma 2**

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Here's the update from the Togolese pastor who leads the team:

Dear Brothers and Sisters in the Lord,

Certain among you are already aware of the things that God is doing among the Tamberma people of Nadoba in the great North of Togo. For several years a group of Togolese (pastors and members of churches) and 2 American missionaries (Beky & Cindy) have invested in the work of evangelization and church planting of the Baptist Church of Nadoba (Tamberma), and the Lord has sustained us spiritually and materially.

A church is being established and is growing. A young man is established there as pastor. Many are leaving the fetishes and are giving their lives to the Lord Jesus. Even the old men and women are beginning to come and manifest a zeal for the Lord Jesus. The Light of the Truth of the Gospel is shining and chasing the darkness away. The violent persecution which took place in 2008 against the church and its members did not discourage the brethren but rather reinforced the faith of many. One young woman was chased from her house by her parents, but she has stood firm for the Lord and has demonstrated incredible faith.

Your prayers and support have greatly contributed to what has taken place in Natoba and gives us great joy. Thanks to you and your support, we have a beautiful building on our property. We are very thankful and say to you, THANK YOU VERY MUCH! We ask the Lord to bless you greatly and we invite you to share the joy of the Lord for what He has done there.

We still need your continual spiritual and material support.

What are the needs?

- Funds for the ministry
- Support for the pastor
- Help for the poor
- Prayer for the spiritual growth of the young pastor who has a wife and 2 kids
- Books for the pastor's personal Bible study

How you can participate:

I want to participate in the work God is doing at Natoba (among the Tamberma people) by:

_____ Praying for the evangelistic team, the pastor, and his family

_____ Praying for the spiritual and numerical growth of the members of the church

_____ Giving a one-time gift of \$ _____ for the Tamberma Fund

_____ Giving a monthly gift of \$ _____ for the Tamberma Fund

_____ Giving food and clothing (new and used, but in good condition) and other help for the poor

**If you would like to participate, please contact Davi Beky and let her know you would like to partner in prayer or giving or send your gifts to:

ABWE, PO Box 8585 Harrisburg, PA 17105-8585 to account #011096 and mark your gift TAMBERMA FUND.

Thanks very much,
Pastor Djimesse (leader of the Tamberma team)