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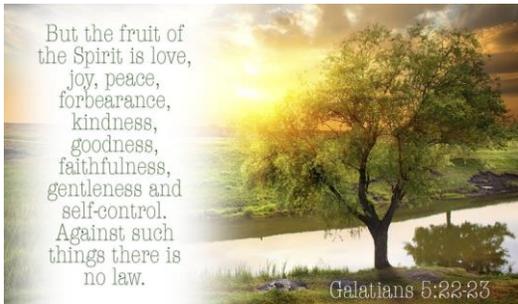
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Dear Sponsors and Supporters,

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**"We had a terrible problem with our mail service over the summer causing much of your support checks to be returned to you or to your bank. Our local Post Office seems to be on top of the problem now. But, we are still missing mail from many of our sponsors who have NEVER missed a single month's support. If your support comes to us directly from your bank, please check your statements to see if your check was returned, unable to be delivered. Please call us at 360-876-3737 if you are unsure. All checks to date have been processed. Our address has not changed. Thank you so much. Gene and Lorraine"**

*I would like to share with you a little about our Headmaster (Principal) at Sluys/Anderson Primary School. His name is Ephraim, and he is a kind-hearted and faithful man. For example, he was walking home one day and noticed a young boy, who is supposed to be in Standard 2, but had not been present for a while. Ephraim inquired as to why he was not in school, and the answer he received was because he had no shoes. This embarrassed our young student so much that he felt uncomfortable around his peers. Immediately, our Headmaster felt concern and showed kindness by*



*walking him to someone's house, in private, as to not embarrass this child further. The boy told his listeners that his father left him and his mother to fend for themselves, and there was not much to live on. Gifts were given, and money was*



*handed to Ephraim to purchase shoes for him as soon as possible. The week after we returned to the U.S., a family stepped up to sponsor him, and asked about any other needs. Had Ephraim not taken the time out of his busy day of being responsible for about 600 students, this young boy would be missing out on an education and provision. Ephraim has been a teacher in the Primary school, since 2005, and he took on the role of Headmaster two years ago. He knows these kids, is committed, and is a source of stability for them. In Hebrew, the name Ephraim means fruitful ('Efrayim). Our Headmaster not only has many branches, as in the quote below, but he has much fruit on his tree too! Thank you, Ephraim, for your faithfulness!*

*Jennifer K.*

**"A GOOD CHIEF IS LIKE A STRONG TREE WITH MANY BRANCHES:**

**PEOPLE LIKE TO SIT IN ITS SHADE."**

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