

# The WallPaper

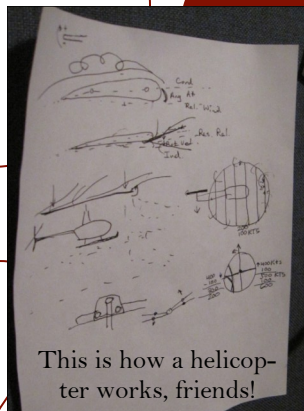
Christmas 2009 ~ McNeal, AZ

## Happy Helicopters!!!

We have lots to be thankful for. On the day before Thanksgiving Justin went up to Phoenix for another check-ride and now he is certified to flight instruct in the helicopter. Come on down and he'll give you a lesson! With that behind him, now he will be able to focus on building some (more affordable) time. Please be praying that it works out for him to have a couple of students. Teaching someone else to fly helps take you to the next level.

Justin is currently working on his advanced mountain/sling-load training. This is about 40 hours of flying, but because of his instructor's overseas travel, he will still have a bit of flying to finish up in February.

One hiccup in the plans has been that HeliMission, the organization that NTMA is partnering with in Indonesia, has indicated the need for us to meet their 500 hour pilot requirement despite NTMA's thorough check-out process. Justin will need to get an extra 200 hrs. There are a couple of possibilities for him to get those hours quickly and affordably. Please pray that one of those will work out.



This is how a helicopter works, friends!

## Leavin' on a Jet Plane...

As many of you know, we had gotten excited about the possibility of being able to leave by this coming April. After sorting through all of the logistics of getting Justin's flight time, completing visas, paperwork, and saying goodbyes, we realized that was probably not realistic.

That said, we are now planning to leave in **July 2010**...just seven months away! Please be praying for us as we try to make all of the preparations to move while continuing to get Justin the experience that he needs.



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The past six months have flown by. Courtney was able to go to VT in the summer for a couple of family reunions. We were also able to spend about a week with Justin's mom, sister, and brother-in-law. In October we made a quick trip up to Chicagoland for a missions conference and were so encouraged by our time with church family and friends there. Here in McNeal we have been keeping busy getting together with friends and being involved in all that goes on here at NTMA.

Courtney has been substitute teaching at the local high school and has enjoyed getting to know the kids and staff there. When opportunities come up, she helps the staff at NTMA complete projects and works in the office when needed. She also is continuing to meet with the same counselee and has been very encouraged to see how the Lord is working in their life.



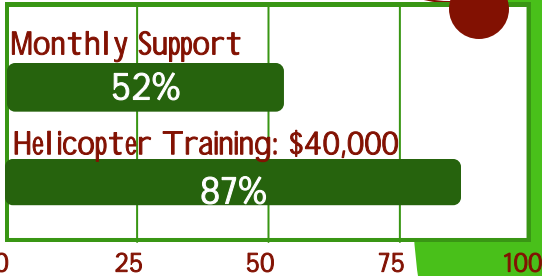
The descendants of Homer Sumner...our little part of the clan at the Summer Reunion.



Hiking with Dave, Holly, and Mom in the Tetons.



Courtney, Mio, Pappy, Mike, & Kelly sit down for Iron Chef night...Chili Challenge!



Thank you all for being on our team. We feel so blessed to have such a great group behind us cheering us on, praying for us, and supporting us financially. It is humbling for us to know that you believe in the work God is doing through us and we are so grateful.

We wanted to let you know that while our monthly support percentage has decreased, the actual amount has increased and we are thankful for those of you who contribute to that. We were just given the updated support information and found that the recommended support for working in Indonesia has increased substantially due to visa expenses and in-country travel costs.

### PRAISE the Lord with us...

- That Justin completed his Flight Instructor rating and is up to 200 hours in the helicopter.
- For good friends and special times with family during the past 6 months.
- For His provision in our lives. We are continually blown away by His care for us through all of you. Thank you!!
- For safety in all of Justin's flying and working in the shop.

### Please PRAY with us...

- That an opportunity will work out for Justin to get affordable flight time to get him closer to the 500 hours HeliMission requires.
- For smooth operation of the NTMA Helicopter program in Sulawesi, Indonesia and for a continued good working relationship with HeliMission.
- That God will provide the remaining funds needed to finish Justin's advanced training in the helicopter.
- As we begin the paperwork process and work on all of the logistics of moving overseas.
- That all of the details will work out for us to leave in July 2010.

*Merry, Merry Christmas!!! We hope that you all have a special holiday season full of joy and knowledge of the amazing love of Jesus Christ! Much Love, Justin & Courtney Wallhoff*