

# *Missionary to Australia*

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*"For of him, and through him, and to him, are all things: to whom be glory for ever. Amen." Romans 11:36*

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## **November 2016**

Greetings in the precious name of Jesus Christ, who is "the Lion of the tribe of Juda, and the Root of David," (Revelation 5:5).

Our regular work of distributing the Gospel continues well and has kept me occupied this month. The Lord has blessed with many opportunities (perhaps more than in any other month thus far) to speak with various people as I am out in the neighborhoods. Some visits with people have been lengthy and in depth regarding matters concerning Christ and the Gospel, which I try to focus on when speaking with people. I am very thankful for every opportunity to bear witness of the glad tidings concerning the Lord.

The regular worship services at the Bambara Primary School are going well also. We are thankful that the school is able to provide us a comfortable meeting place and remains willing to renew our contract every six months.

Your continued love, prayers, encouragement, and support for the Lord's work in Australia and Papua New Guinea are very much appreciated.

Love in Christ,  
Frank James

## ***News From The Homefront***

### **Knives –**

It has been a cold, rainy spring. The weather people say it hasn't been this cold for 50 years. With all the rain, it brings out a lot of weeds in both the yard and in-between the pavers in our driveway and back patio. Frank had a 6-inch handy man's knife that I used to use to dig out the weeds. It broke though, and one day when Frank was in town he bought a new knife. From the start, I always felt embarrassed to open the garage door and walk out with a knife in my hand. I wondered what the people driving by thought. I would try to immediately start digging so that they would see what I was up to. The other day I decided to dig out more weeds and opened Frank's tool box to get the new knife. What I saw was about a 12-inch shiny, sharp, silver knife. Talk about being even more embarrassed to open the garage door with a knife in my hand. I almost wanted to crawl out on my hands and knees so no one would think I was dangerous. On the new knife, it scared me a little that it was so big and sharp. I quickly figured out to dig away from my feet as I wear flip flops and didn't want to lose any toes. I asked Frank if we could find a smaller knife. Even a cheap steak knife. I don't want the neighbors to wonder about us. ☺

A friend in Christ, Cyd James

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