

NTM Aviation sent Larry on mission business all the way over to Palu, Indonesia on May 18th. Losing a day, he found he was 15 hours ahead of MST, here in AZ. The Island is surrounded by beautiful mountains but the weather is truly tropical - rainy, sunny, humid and hot. Indonesia is made up of a conglomerate of many different languages because years ago it was a trade country for marketing spices. Larry is trying to learn words and phrases!

Larry went to Indonesia to perform an 100hr./annual inspection and train Nomad Nelman, who recently transitioned from flying the Cessna 206 to the Kodiak. Larry is giving him and Prayogo, another co-worker, hands-on practical training for this detailed inspection as he explains the fuel system, oil and fuel filter changes and essential cleaning. He says, it has been advantageous to be able to open up the aircraft with them so that they have a real grasp of the entire needed upkeep of this airplace for future inspections. Larry says, "It's been a real joy to be able to work alongside these men". They have made significant strides in the inspection for the Kodiak airplane but much more of the checklist is needed to be completed in the remaining 10 days.



Larry & Nomad as they inspect the Kodiak—10 passenger airplane

In April, Larry and other pilot/mechanics finished the R66 turbine Helicopter which was a 5 month project. They painted and performed all of the necessary tasks to prepare the helicopter for service in the Philippines. This rotorcraft was disassembled and packed into a container that left NTM Aviation in McNeal, AZ April 19th, by truck and is now sailing on a freightliner headed to the Philippine port, due to arrive **June 2nd**. This helicopter is an excellent piece of equipment for remote and isolated terrain where many missionaries are sharing the Word of God and planting indigenous churches. **A Praise:** Please, thank the Lord, with us for this tool that can assist in advancing the Gospel.

Thank you for praying for:

- keen eyes as they examine the entire Kodiak aircraft
- endurance to persist amidst the humid heat
- the capability to wrap up the project before Larry's departure date, June 7th, to return to AZ.
- The R66 helicopter would arrive safely to the Philippines without damage or customs issues.



Alicia did receive her diploma from Grand Canyon University and is working full time at a temporary company for a few months and then will be looking for another job.

Austin has graduated from Pima Aviation but is finishing up his FAA oral & practical tests to receive his Powerplant license. Then he will be a full fledged A&P mechanic. This summer, he has been invited back to Alaska for commercial Salmon fishing.



Serving our Lord together,

Larry and Kim

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Support Address: Ethnos360, 312 W 1st St., Sanford, FL 32771-1231.

New Name -- Same Purpose.

This year our mission is celebrating a 75 year milestone which causes our family to pause and reflect on precious memories of Larry's grandfather, Cecil Dye, who was the co-founder, along with Paul Fleming. NTM was birthed in Cecil and Dorothy Dye's living room in Saginaw, Michigan in 1942, where Paul Fleming and Cecil Dye spent many long agonizing hours on their knees - weeping fervently in prayer for the lost souls in the jungles of Bolivia that had never heard the Gospel of Christ. Larry's grandma Dorothy Dye wrote in her memoirs: NTM was born out of the tears and prayers of these two earnest young men as they met before God seeking His Wisdom, Guidance, and Help in reaching the lost. She added "NTM" was just the natural outcome of that love...

We wanted to inform you that after many years of prayer and consideration our New Tribes Mission leaders of have decided to change the name to adapt our image to a changing world. Ethnos360 fits the vision and purpose that New Tribes Mission started out with 75 years ago. *Ethnos* represents the "nations" that Christ referred to when He commanded His followers to "make disciples of all nations" (Matthew 28:19). 360 represents the entirety of the globe.

NTM Aviation (with whom we serve) is the air arm of Ethnos360 and we continue to provide aviation service to Ethnos360 (NTM) around the world -- just as we have for the last 48 years. We've been privileged to have a part in bringing many people groups to Christ. The Ayore and Quechua people of Bolivia. The Guahibo people of Colombia. The Bisorio, Iteri and Mouk people of Papua New Guinea. The Budik people of Senegal. The Maquiritare and Yanamamo people of Venezuela -- and so many more.

In the very near future, we as NTM Aviation will be changing our name so that we reflect our affiliation with Ethnos360 and all the other New Tribes Mission entities but as of now we are still NTM Aviation.

Not only did the mission change its name but a few months ago they relocated to a more adequate facility to meet their specific needs so you will notice another mailing address below.

From now on, donations by check should be written out to "**Ethnos360**" designated for the ministry of *Larry and Kim Dye* and can be sent to the following address. **Ethnos360, 312 W 1st St., Sanford, FL 32771-1231.**



This picture of the first NTM missionaries was taken in 1942 before they left for Bolivia, SA. Pictured above is Larry's dad, Paul, in the arms of his father, Cecil. Paul, his 2 sisters (Betty & Kay) Tommy and Rose are the only ones alive today.



Pray for NTM Aviation as we work through our own name change process.

New Name FAQ:

What if I write a check out to NTM instead of Ethnos360? The Mission will be able to process checks written out to NTM. However, the mission will be asking supporters to begin changing the name on checks.

Do I need to make a new EFT? No, it is not necessary to make changes to your EFT.

For more information you can check out NTM Aviation's website at the link below

<http://ntmaviation.org>