Paul flies to Bolivia tomorrow (10/13/'16). I know --- I know!!! How in the world did this happen, right?!

Well – next year is New Tribes Mission's 75th anniversary and Paul was invited to accompany a photo-journalist who is going to write about the Ayore church in Bolivia since it was the very first work started by NTM back in 1943. A lot has happened in these intervening years and it shouts of God's amazing work in lives and His wonderful faithfulness!!! Paul is going to be the translator and "representative" as they endeavor to capture the story of the Ayore church and what God has done. The story of a people group that came from a primitive, nomadic way of life --- and that now has eight, functioning churches! Talk about miracles!

Paul and I had the privilege of living and working with these people for ten years! We learned their language --- taught them to read and write --- how to work --- how to count money and to bathe, cook rice and make bread --- and all the many things that we take for granted in our culture! But what really happened is that we fell in love with them! This gregarious, out-spoken and often head-strong people boldly took hold of our hearts and stayed there! What an amazing privilege it was to work with them --- and learn from them!!! Oh my --- they taught us SO much! And now Paul has this wonderful opportunity to help capture this story in word and picture and he is REALLY looking forward to it!

He will SO appreciate your prayers as he flies. Pray for all his connections with the photo-journalist and for the travel plans that they are making. He will be able to stay in Puesto Paz for a couple of days, however it will not be in our home as there isn't even a vestige of it! Pray that he will be able to slip back into Spanish and also some of his Ayore! It's been 38 years since we left Bolivia!!! Pray also that God's name will be glorified and honored through the story of the Ayore Church!

Thank you for being a part of what God has done down through all these years of serving Him together. Some day you will stand next to an Ayore and sing and worship the King of Kings TOGETHER. We will bow at His feet TOGETHER because you have been a part of taking the Gospel to the ends of the earth! THANK YOU for your prayers and your support! Thank you for being a part of our lives!

By His Grace! Paul and Faith Wyma